

Regular Meeting Agenda (DR-4673-FL)
Collier County Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) Working Group
Conference Rooms A/B, South Regional Library
8065 Lely Cultural Pkwy, Naples, FL
34113
0930hrs, January 19, 2024

1. Approval of
 - a. December 8, 2023 – Special Meeting Minutes - **Approved**
2. Quorum for meeting (In-Person) – **Quorum Achieved**
3. Membership
 - a. Nothing to report - **Voted in new members**
 - **Robin Bain – Alternate SFWMD**
 - **Varlam Molina – Alternate for LCEC**
 - **2024 LMSWG Schedule (tentative)**
 - 1st Quarter: January 19th
 - 2nd Quarter: April 19th
 - 3rd Quarter: July 19th
 - 4th Quarter: October 18th
4. Grant Opportunities –
 - a. HMGP-
 - **Hurricane Idalia (DR-4734-FL) – OPEN**
 - NOFA coming out early January 2024
 - **FDEM Grant Contact Information**
 - FDEM HMGP POC: Jared Jaworski
(Jared.Jaworski@em.myflorida.com | 850-544-8372)
 - FDEM is requiring 100% digital submission for grant submissions
 - FDEM Portal
 - Register at www.fdemportal.com/grants
 - Sub-applicants must request access prior to the application deadline to avoid late submissions
 - **SB4-A Waiver Program - OPEN**
 - During the 2022 Special Session, the Florida Legislature passed Senate Bill 4-A allocating \$350 million dollars to provide one-half of the required match for FEMA’s Public Assistance (PA) program to local governments impacted by Hurricane Ian (DR-4673) and Hurricane Nicole (DR-4680)
 - FEMA Local Match Requirements: Cover the local match cost share required for projects funded under the Hazard Mitigation Grant

Program (HMGP), Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC), or Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)

- **Open: 08/23/2023**
- **End: 06/30/2027, or until funds are completely depleted, whichever comes first**

b. Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program Retrofit Grant (HLMP)

- 215.559, F.S. Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program
 - <https://www.floridadisaster.org/dem/mitigation/hurricane-loss-mitigation-program/>
 - FDEM HLMP Interim Program Manager: Jillian Holzman (Jillian.Holzman@em.myflorida.com, 850-815-4515)
- Gulf Coast State College Mobile Home Tie Down Program
 - <https://www.floridadisaster.org/dem/mitigation/hurricane-loss-mitigation-program/>
 - Contact Gulf Coast State College at 850-872-3807

5. LMS Update

- LMS update was approved by FEMA on May 7, 2020. The LMS expires on April 13, 2025.
- Next 5-Year Update Cycle Begins Soon with expiration letters being sent out from FDEM in six-month cycle (18, 12, 6 months prior)**
- Kick-off meetings (18-24 months prior to expiration)

6. Other News –

- Collier County’s Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) –
 - Approved by the Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) on 02/28/2021
 - Approved by BCC at the 04/13/2021 Regular Meeting.
- Flood News
- Wildfire News
- Other News
 - **NEW FEMA HMA Guidance released on 03/23/2023**
 - <https://www.fema.gov/grants/mitigation/hazard-mitigation-assistance-guidance>

7. Next regular meeting: **19 April 2024**, 0930hrs, location **South Regional Library**.

- Meeting adjourned at 9:41am.

ATTACHMENT(S)

- 1) December 08, 2023, Collier LMSWG Special Meeting Minutes

Attachment 1 -12/08/2023 LMSWG Minutes

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8. Approval of
 - a. October 12, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes – **Approved Unanimously**
9. Quorum for meeting (In-Person) – **Quorum achieved**
10. Membership
 - a. Lisa Koehler – Primary for South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) – **Approved Unanimously**
11. Project(s) for Review:
 - a. Naples Airport Authority (NAA) Electrical Building Retrofit – **Project Approved**
 - POC: Justin Lobb | jlobb@flynaples.com | 239-643-0733
12. Project Priority List (PPL) Revalidation – 2023 – **PPL Approved as of 12/11/2023 (after meeting)**
 - a. Need to vote on updated PPL for FDEM Annual LMS Update (2023)
13. Grant Opportunities –
 - a. HMGP – Ian (DR-4673-FL) 12-Month Lock-In
 - 30-Day Estimate as of 11/08/2022 was \$36,063,710.00 for Collier
 - 12-Month Lock-In as of 10/17/2023 was \$46,198,985.01 for Collier
 - \$46,198.985.01 - \$36,063,7610.00 = \$10,135,275.01 increase
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 - https://www.floridadisaster.org/globalassets/demes-sb4a-job-aid_external.pdf
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- c. BRIC/FMA – Closed as of 08/31/2023
 - FY23 Cycle – September 2023 (estimated)
 - Notice of Interest (NOI) Form will be required for ALL subapplicants
 - NOI forms can be submitted to
 - Non-DisasterPrograms@em.myflorida.com
 - Submit by August 31, 2023
 - POC: Susan Harris-Council, Program Manager
 - (850) 815-4532
- d. FEMA FMA “Swift Current”
 - Provides funding NFIP-insured structures AFTER a major disaster declaration for a major flood event
 - Total funding (nationwide) for Fiscal Year 2023 is \$300 million
 - Initiated through the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), BKA [Bipartisan Infrastructure Law \(BIL\)](#)
 - SRL, RL, and properties deemed Substantially Damaged (SD) after the applicant’s disaster declaration date
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 - City of Marco Island will be adopting the new DFIRM in coordination with the 2023 update to the FBC (12/31/2023)
- c. Wildfire News
- d. Other News
 - **NEW FEMA HMA Guidance released on 03/23/2023**
 - <https://www.fema.gov/grants/mitigation/hazard-mitigation-assistance-guidance>
 - Guidance for Hurricane Ian and Hurricane Nicole is the historical 2015 HMA Guidance
 - https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-04/HMA_Guidance_FY15.pdf

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- a. Meeting adjourned at **10:06 am**

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2) PROJECT WORKSHEET FOR REVIEW:

- a) Naples Airport Authority (NAA) Electrical Building Retrofit

3) October 12, 2023, Collier LMSWG Regular Meeting Minutes (PROJECT SCORESHEETS REMOVED)

