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Ms. Katie Sommers State Hazard Mitigation Officer Wisconsin Emergency Management 2400 Wright Street, P.O. Box 7865 Madison, WI 53707-7865

Dear Ms. Sommers:

Thank you for submitting the Milwaukee County Hazard Mitigation Plan update for our review. The plan was reviewed based on the local plan criteria contained in 44 CFR Part 201, as authorized by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. Milwaukee County met the required criteria for a multi-jurisdiction hazard mitigation plan. Formal approval of this plan is contingent upon the adoption of the plan by the county. Once FEMA Region V receives documentation of adoption we will send a letter of official approval to your office.

We look forward to receiving the adoption documentation and completing the approval process for the Milwaukee County plan.

If you or the community has any questions, please contact Christine Meissner at (312) 408-4460 or christine.meissner@fema.dhs.gov.

Sincerely.

Mark J. Peterson, Acting Director

Mitigation Division

Attachments: Local Plan Review Sheets



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May 19, 2017

Ms. Leah Redding Milwaukee County Emergency Management 9501 W. Watertown Plank Road Milwaukee, WI 53226

Dear Ms. Redding:

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has notified Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM) that the *Milwaukee County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2016* has met the required criteria for a multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan.

The County and participating jurisdictions *must now adopt* the plan in order to have a FEMA-approved hazard mitigation plan and be eligible for funding through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, Pre-Disaster Mitigation program, and the Flood Mitigation Assistance program.

The enclosed Local Mitigation Plan Review Tool does not include recommended revisions for the five-year update.

If you have any questions, please call me at (608) 242-3252 or Roxanne Gray at (608) 242-3211.

Sincerely,

Margaret Zieke

Disaster Response & Recovery Planner

Enclosures

Cc: Christine Westrich, Milwaukee County Emergency Management Director

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