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Ms. Heather Thole
State Hazard Mitigation Officer
Wisconsin Emergency Management
2400 Wright Street, P.O. Box 7865
Madison, WI 53707-7865
Reference: Adoption Needed to Finish Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Process

Dear Ms. Thole:

The Risk Analysis Branch of FEMA Region 5 Mitigation Division has determined the local mitigation plan meets all applicable FEMA mitigation planning requirements except its adoption by the participating jurisdictions of the Milwaukee County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025.

Mitigation plans may include additional content to meet Element H: Additional State Requirements or content the local government included beyond applicable FEMA mitigation planning requirements. Determination that the plan is Approvable Pending Adoption does not include the review or approval of content that exceeds these applicable FEMA mitigation planning requirements.

An approved local mitigation plan, including adoption by the local government, is one of the conditions for applying for and/or receiving FEMA mitigation grants from the following programs:

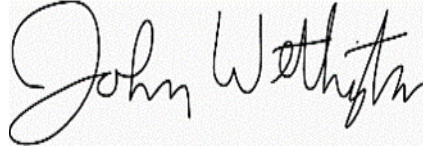
- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- HMGP Post-Fire
- Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities
- Flood Mitigation Assistance
- Safeguarding Tomorrow Revolving Loan Fund

Participating jurisdictions that adopt the plan more than one year after APA status has been issued must either:

- Validate that their information in the plan remains current with respect to both the risk assessment (no recent hazard events, no changes in development) and their mitigation strategy (no changes necessary); or
- Make necessary updates before submitting the adoption resolution to FEMA.

We look forward to receiving the adoption resolution(s) and discussing options for implementing this mitigation plan. If there are any questions from either you or the communities, please contact Meghan Cuneo at (202) 615-5294 or Meghan.cuneo@fema.dhs.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John Wethington". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and "W".

John Wethington
Chief, Risk Analysis Branch
Mitigation Division

Enclosures: Plan Participants Status List and Local Plan Review Tool

Enclosure: Plan Participant Status List

Below is the list of the approvable pending adoption jurisdictions in the referenced hazard mitigation plan. Please submit an adoption resolution for each jurisdiction to be included as an approved participant of the plan.

| Community Name | Jurisdiction Status |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| 1) Bayside village | APA |
| 2) Brown Deer village | APA |
| 3) Cudahy city | APA |
| 4) Fox Point village | APA |
| 5) Franklin city | APA |
| 6) Glendale city | APA |
| 7) Greendale village | APA |
| 8) Greenfield city | APA |
| 9) Hales Corners village | APA |
| 10) Milwaukee County | APA |
| 11) Oak Creek city | APA |
| 12) River Hills village | APA |
| 13) Shorewood village | APA |
| 14) South Milwaukee city | APA |
| 15) St. Francis city | APA |
| 16) Wauwatosa city | APA |
| 17) West Allis city | APA |
| 18) West Milwaukee village | APA |
| 19) Whitefish Bay village | APA |