

## **HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM Recipient-Subrecipient Agreement**

On October 14, 2018, the President declared that a major disaster exists in the State of Georgia. This declaration was based on damage resulting from COVID-19. This document is the Recipient-Subrecipient Hazard Mitigation Assistance Agreement for the major disaster, designated FEMA-4400-0033, under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288 as amended by Public Law 100-707, 42 USC 5121 et seq. ("The Act"), in accordance with 44 CFR 206 Subpart N, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program. Under this Agreement, the interests and responsibilities of the Recipient, herein after referred to as the State, will be executed by the Georgia Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency (GEMA/HS). The individual designated to represent the State is the GEMA/HS Director, the Governor's Authorized Representative. The Subrecipient to this Agreement is The LOWNDES COUNTY. The interests and responsibilities of the Subrecipient will be executed by The LOWNDES COUNTY agent, the Subrecipient Authorized Representative.

1. The following Exhibits are attached and made a part of this agreement:

Exhibit "A": Assurances-Construction Programs, Standard Form 424 D

Exhibit "B": Project Administration Guidelines: Financial Assistance, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program

Exhibit "C": Certification regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements

Exhibit "D": Certification regarding Lobbying

Exhibit "E": Scope of Work

Exhibit "F": Progress Payment Request Form

Exhibit "G": Discrimination Complaints and Verification Form

Exhibit "H": Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act Certification

2. Pursuant to Section 404 of the Act, funds are hereby awarded to the Subrecipient on a 75 percent federal cost share and 10 percent state cost share basis for the hazard mitigation project(s) described in Exhibit "E". The Subrecipient shall be responsible for the remaining 15 percent share of any costs incurred under Section 404 of the Act and this Agreement. Allowable costs will be governed by 2 CFR Part 200.
3. If the Subrecipient violates any of the conditions of disaster relief assistance under the Act, this Agreement, or applicable federal and state regulations; the State shall notify the Subrecipient that additional financial assistance for the project in which the violation occurred will be withheld until such violation has been corrected to the satisfaction of the State. In addition, the State may also withhold all or any portion of financial assistance which has been or is to be made available to the Subrecipient for other disaster relief projects under the Act, this or other agreements, and applicable federal and state regulations until adequate corrective action is taken.
4. The Subrecipient agrees that federal or state officials and auditors, or their duly authorized representatives may conduct required audits and examinations. The Subrecipient further agrees that they shall have access to any books, documents, papers and records of any recipients of federal disaster assistance and of any persons or entities