Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
Application Development Workshops

The Department of Community Affairs, Division of Emergency Management will conduct HMGP Application Development Workshops in Escambia, Bay and Franklin Counties. The purpose of these workshops is to provide potential eligible applicants with detailed information about the application process and assist in the completion of a draft project application. Staff from both DEM and FEMA will be available to respond to project specific questions or concerns.

Topics to be covered include:
- Requirements for program eligibility;
- Types of activities eligible for funding;
- Application preparation;
- Development of scope of work;
- Review of environmental issues; and
- Submitting accurate data for the Benefit Cost Analysis.

Listed below is the schedule with date, time and location for the workshops:

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| March 29, 2006 | 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. | Escambia County Department of Public Safety  
6575 North “W” Street  
Pensacola, Florida 32505 |
| March 31, 2006 | 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. | Bay County Emergency Operations Center  
644 Mulberry Avenue  
Panama City, Florida 32401 |
| April 5, 2006  | 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. | Franklin County Emergency Operations Center  
28 Airport Road  
Apalachicola, Florida 32320 |

A Notice of Funding Availability for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) for FEMA-1595-DR-FL and FEMA-1602-DR-FL was released on March 10. It is available for download at [www.floridadisaster.org](http://www.floridadisaster.org). For additional information, contact Kimberly Davis at (850) 922-5779 or kimberly.davis@dca.state.fl.us.

**Please note the Division is in the process of scheduling future workshops in other areas of the State.**