

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONDITIONS FOR PROPERTIES
USING FEMA HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE**

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Authority: Sections 203 and 404 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §§5133 and 5170c; and § 1366 of the National Flood Insurance Act, (NFIA) as amended, 42 § U.S.C. 4104c.

Purpose: This template is provided by FEMA for signature by property owners and local government officials participating in a mitigation project funded in part by Hazard Mitigation Assistance. The template communicates flood insurance requirements and floodplain management criteria.

Routine Uses: The information on this form may be disclosed as generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. § 552a(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended. This includes using this information as necessary and authorized by the routine uses published in DHS/FEMA-009 -Hazard Mitigation Disaster Public Assistance and Disaster Loan Programs System of Records System of Records Notice (79 Fed. Reg. 16,015, March 24, 2014), and upon written request, by agreement, or as required by law.

Disclosure: The disclosure of information on this form is voluntary; however, failure to provide the information requested may delay or prevent FEMA from being able to provide Hazard Mitigation Assistance.

INSTRUCTIONS

This template is provided by FEMA for signature by property owners and local government officials participating in a mitigation project funded in part by Hazard Mitigation Assistance.

For Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM), Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC), Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA), the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), and HMGP Post Fire, these conditions apply when the property to be mitigated is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA). For Flood Mitigation Assistance, these conditions apply regardless of whether the property is located in an SFHA.

Information in brackets [city/county] should be updated as needed. This document must be signed and submitted to FEMA by the Applicant (State, Tribe or Territory) prior to award. The template requires the signature of the property owner(s) and the local municipal official(s).

Property Owner: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Deed dated: _____, Recorded _____

Tax map: _____, block _____, parcel _____

Base Flood Elevation at the site is _____ feet (NGVD).

Map Panel Number _____, effective date _____

Select one of the following "whereas" clauses appropriate for the grant awarded:

☐ WHEREAS, the Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) program, authorized by Section 1366 of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. § 4104c), provides federal financial assistance for planning and carrying out activities designed to reduce the risk of flood damage to structures insured under the National Flood Insurance Program;

☐ WHEREAS, the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), authorized by Section 404 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, ("Stafford Act") (42 U.S.C. § 5170c), including the HMGP Post Fire program authorized by Sections 404 and 420 of the Stafford Act (42 U.S.C. §§ 5170c and 5187), provides federal financial assistance, in any area affected by a major disaster or for which assistance was provided under Section 420, for hazard mitigation measures;

☐ WHEREAS, the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) program, authorized by Section 203 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. § 5133), provides federal financial assistance for the implementation of pre-disaster hazard mitigation measures;

☐ WHEREAS, the Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) program, authorized by Section 203 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. § 5133), provides federal financial assistance for the implementation of pre-disaster hazard mitigation measures;

NOW THEREFORE, the Property Owner has been informed of and accepts the following conditions:

1. That the Property Owner has insured all structures that will **not** be demolished or relocated out of the SFHA for the above-mentioned property to an amount at least equal to the project cost or to the maximum limit of coverage made available with respect to the particular property, whichever is less, through the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), as authorized by 42 U.S.C. §4001 *et seq.*, as long as the Property Owner holds title to the property as required by federal law, regulations, and policy (for HMGP, HMGP Post Fire, and BRIC, see 42 U.S.C. §4012a; for FMA, see 44 C.F.R. §77.6(a)(2)).

That the Property Owner will maintain all structures on the above-mentioned property in accordance with the flood plain management criteria set forth in 44 C.F.R. §60.3 and City/County Ordinance as long as the Property Owner holds title to the property. For a complete, detailed list of these criteria, see Insert jurisdiction name and title of Ordinance attached to this document.

2. The above conditions are binding for the life of the property. To provide notice to subsequent purchasers of these conditions, the Property Owner(s) agrees that the Insert jurisdiction name will legally record with the county or appropriate jurisdiction's land records a notice that includes the name of the current property owner(s) (including book/page reference to record of current title, if available), a legal description of the property, and the following notice of flood insurance requirements:

"This property has received federal Hazard Mitigation Assistance. Federal law, regulations, and policy require that flood insurance coverage on this property must be maintained during the life of the property regardless of transfer of ownership of such property (for HMGP, HMGP Post Fire, and BRIC, see 42 U.S.C. §4012a; for FMA, see 44 CFR 77.6(a)(2)). Failure to maintain flood insurance coverage will result in the property owner being ineligible for future Hazard Mitigation Assistance awards. The Property Owner is also required to maintain this property in accordance with the flood plain management criteria of Title 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations § 60.3 and any city/county ordinance."

3. If the above conditions are not met, FEMA may enforce the terms of the award by taking any measures it deems appropriate in accordance with 2 CFR § 200.339 and any other applicable FEMA authorities, including recouping the amount of the award from the Insert jurisdiction name. Property Owner(s) may be liable to repay such amounts.
4. This Agreement shall be binding upon the respective parties' heirs, successors, personal representatives, and assignees.

THE Insert jurisdiction name A Insert state name municipal corporation

By: _____ of the Insert jurisdiction name
Print Name of Jurisdiction Official, Title

Print Name of Property Owner(s)

Print Name of Property Owner(s)

WITNESSED BY:

Print Name of Witness

Notary Public