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Mr. Justin R. Domer
Director, Office of Long-Term Resiliency
State of Florida
Florida Department of Commerce
107 E. Madison Street
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Dear Mr. Domer:

On November 9, 2023, the Department approved the State of Florida's Public Action Plan for Community Development Block Grant disaster recovery (CDBG-DR) funds appropriated by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023 Public Law 117-328. On May 18, 2023, the Department allocated \$910,624,000 to the State of Florida for the purpose of assisting in long-term recovery from major disasters that occurred in 2022. This letter transmits the enclosed CDBG-DR grant agreement for \$910,624,000, which will also be administered under grant number B-23-DN-12-0001.

The date that the Department signs the grant agreement is the date on which the funds are obligated. All funds obligated for this grant must be expended within six years of the initial obligation date. Additionally, the State of Florida's line of credit for this grant will be accessible through HUD's Disaster Recovery Grant Reporting (DRGR) system. Please be advised that the State of Florida is required to report on its use of CDBG-DR funds outlined in the action plan through the DRGR system. The DRGR reporting requirements are outlined in detail in the *Federal Register* notice(s), as well as ongoing policy guidance. Please contact Shauntae Walker, Senior Community Planning and Development Specialist, via email at Shauntae.L.Walker@hud.gov to have users registered or to resolve any DRGR access issues.

The Department remains committed to assisting the State of Florida in its efforts to address recovery needs and looks forward to working with you and your staff in partnership to achieve this goal. If you have any questions regarding the information in this letter, please contact Mr. William Bedford, Director - Grants Management Division, Office of Disaster Recovery, at (202) 579-8085, or by email at William.L.Bedford@hud.gov.

Sincerely,

Tennille Smith Parker
Director
Office of Disaster Recovery