



## Hurricane Michael Public Workshop

*Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery Funding*



- Introductions
- Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery (CDBG – DR) Timeline
- Eligible Communities
- State Action Plan Development
- Public Comment/ Question & Answer Session
- Conclusion

# OFFICE OF DISASTER RECOVERY

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- The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO)'s Office of Disaster Recovery supports long-term recovery housing needs, infrastructure and economic development in Florida communities impacted by disasters.
- DEO is the governor-designated state authority responsible for administering all U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds awarded to the state.
- Launched in September 2018, Rebuild Florida is a program of DEO created to allocate the federal funds and help Florida's communities with long-term recovery efforts from the devastating impacts of recent storms.
- DEO is currently administering long-term recovery programs for Hurricanes Hermine, Matthew and Irma.
- DEO is moving forward with every action possible to ensure the distribution of funding to Hurricane Michael-impacted communities is done efficiently and effectively.

# HURRICANE MICHAEL FUNDING TIMELINE

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- **May 8, 2019:** Funds originally announced by HUD (\$448 million).
- **December 3, 2019:** Florida receives second HUD allocation notice(\$287 million).
- **Total Florida Allocation:** \$735,553,001
- **January 27, 2020:** Federal Register Published
  - [FR-6182-N-01](#)
- **February 12 – 19:** Public outreach meetings.
- **June 1, 2020:** CDBG – DR State Action Plan due to HUD.

# MOST IMPACTED AND DISTRESSED (MID) AREAS

- *HUD Designated MID areas:*

- *Bay*
- *Calhoun*
- *Franklin*
- *Gadsden*
- *Gulf*
- *Jackson*
- *Liberty*
- *Wakulla*
- *Washington*



# CDBG-DISASTER RECOVERY STATE ACTION PLAN

- The State Action Plan provides a high-level strategy for how the funding will be used to address eligible communities' disaster recovery needs.
- DEO is leading the state's efforts to create the plan developed in partnership with state and local partners involved in disaster recovery efforts.

## **Action Plan Due: June 1, 2020**

- Public Comment = 30 days
- HUD review = 45 days after submission

Federal Register Notice Published

Develop State Action Plan

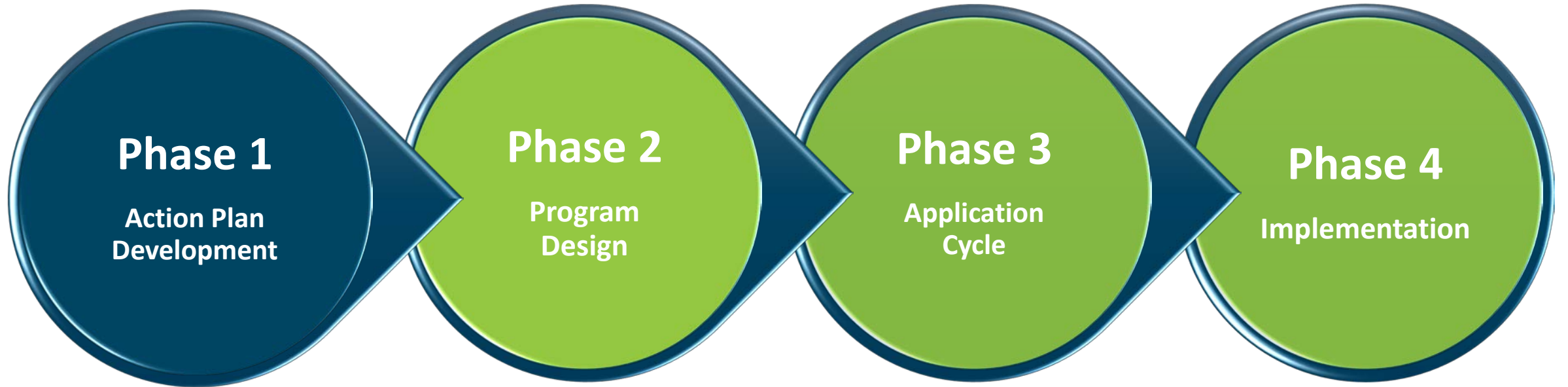
30 Day Public Comment Period

Review/ Respond to Public Comments

Submit Action Plan to HUD

**Ongoing Stakeholder Outreach**

# HURRICANE MICHAEL PROGRAM CYCLE



# LEARN MORE

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To learn more about the DEO Office of Disaster Recovery and programs available to disaster-impacted communities, visit:

[www.RebuildFlorida.gov](http://www.RebuildFlorida.gov)

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**Thank You.**

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