

FINAL PUBLIC NOTICE

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has received the subgrant application for Miami-Dade County, coastal parks, and marinas PW 08496 PN 37519, Pursuant to Executive Order 11988 and 44 CFR Part 9.12, final notice is hereby given of FEMA's intent to provide funding for this project under the Public Assistance (PA) Program.

An initial disaster-wide Public Notice was published October 6, 2017 for Hurricane Irma. Comments and other information received were fully evaluated by FEMA along with evaluation of social, economic, environmental, and safety considerations. This notice serves as a project-specific final notice for FEMA's funding action located within the floodplain. FEMA has determined that the only practicable alternative is to locate this facility at its original location within the floodplain because the facility is functionally dependent upon its location within the floodplain.

Funding for the proposed project will be conditional upon compliance with all applicable federal, tribal, state, and local laws, regulations, floodplain standards, permit requirements and conditions.

Responsible Entity: FEMA Public Assistance (PA) Program

Applicant: Miami-Dade County

Project Title(s): PROS Coastal Parks and Marinas

Location of Proposed Work: Police Station: 9610 Old Cutler Road, Miami, FL 33156
Homestead Bayfront Park & Marina: 9698 SW 328th St., Homestead, FL 33033
Matheson Hammock Park & Marina: 9610 Old Cutler Road Coral Gables, FL 33156

Floodplain: Project is located in a VE Zone, otherwise known as the Coastal High Hazard Area, per Miami-Dade County Map Panel Number: 12086C0467L and 12086C0754L, dated 09/11/2009.

Proposed Work and Purpose: The Applicant repaired interior components at the Police Station including flooring, electrical system, insulation, doors, equipment, and exterior AC. Repairs to Homestead marina included dock components, electrical and utility systems, AC, roofing/ceiling, windows, doors, foundation reinforcement and park recreational components. Repairs on Matheson marina included dock components, doors, electrical system, drywall, paint, roofing, windows, fencing, AC, road, and park recreational components. All repairs restored the facilities back to their pre-disaster condition.

Project Alternatives: The alternative that has been considered is the no action alternative. This alternative is not feasible as the function of the Police Station is to provide emergency services to the community by protecting human life and property damage. The parks provide recreational open space use of the floodplain and the marinas are functionally dependent upon their location within the floodplain.

Comments: This will serve as the final public notice regarding the above-described action funded by the FEMA PA program. Interested persons may submit comments, questions, or request a map of this specific project by writing to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region 4, 3005 Chamblee-Tucker Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30341, or by emailing FEMA-R4EHP-FLORIDA@fema.dhs.gov. Comments should be sent in writing with the subject line PA-04-FL-4337-PW-08496-PN37519, Miami-Dade County at the above address within 15 days of the date of this notice.