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Subject: Two Mayors Ltrs



Municipal Clerks for Mayors, Elected Officials and Staff



June 8, 2010

RE: I. FY 2011 Hazard Mitigation Assistance Program

Dear Mayor:

The FY 2011 Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) Unified Guidance application period is now open (<http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/hma/index.shtm>). Potential applicants for any of the four non-disaster FEMA Mitigation grants (FMA, PDM, RFC, or SRL) should begin to gather information and develop eGrants applications for their specific project(s). Beginning June 1, 2010, any pre-award costs incurred in the development of these applications, such as survey costs, employee hours and/or contractor costs, should be captured for reimbursement purposes. Please notify the NJOEM Mitigation office with your intent to apply, as this is a complex process that mandates some conversation between the applicant and the state.

The FY11 HMA guidance includes guidance for all five HMA programs, including the HMGP. In addition to the FY11 cycle of the four annual non-disaster programs, the guidance will also apply to all HMGP funds made available for disasters declared on or after June 1, 2010.

Review the Program Guidance on our website at http://www.njslom.org/Grants_NewsandInformation.html#FEMA2010 for eligibility requirements. Applicants that are new to the process should contact the NJOEM Mitigation office to obtain assistance in getting started with the eGrants system.

All applications must be submitted to NJOEM through the eGrants system by **4:00 PM on Friday, October 1st, 2010.**

Contact information for the State Hazard Mitigation Office:

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Very truly yours,

William G. Dressel, Jr.
Executive Director

Re: II. Make Sure Your Management Team Reads the League Magazine!

Dear Mayor:

The League's monthly publication (published nine months each year) is an important resource in helping you to run your municipality efficiently!

Articles feature new ideas and initiatives taken by municipalities throughout the State, and keep local government organizations abreast of changing legislation throughout the year.

Each December we feature an article index, which lists every article published over the last year and the issue in which it appeared. This is an important tool as it can be referenced to assist readers in finding articles on particular topics when you need to reference them for projects or ideas that you are working on in your own municipality.

Each month we post the featured article as well as a few additional articles and columns on our website available for online viewing. And we keep these items online so that you may view these selected articles from past issues. However, it is important to continue your print subscription in addition to using our website so that you are able to view ALL of the topics *New Jersey Municipalities* covers each month, and to stay current on the topics and ideas circulating throughout the State.

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Very truly yours,

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