



STATE OF FLORIDA

DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Ron DeSantis
Governor

Kevin Guthrie
Executive Director

February 18, 2025

Dan Summers, Director
Collier County Emergency Management
8075 Lely Cultural Parkway, Suite 445
Naples, FL 34113

Re: Collier County Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Approved Pending Adoption

Dear Director Summers,

This is to confirm that we have completed a State review of the Collier County Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) update for compliance with the federal hazard mitigation planning standards contained in 44 CFR 201.6(b)-(d). Based on our review and comments, Collier County developed and submitted all the necessary plan revisions, and our staff has reviewed and approved these revisions. We have determined that the Collier County LMS plan is compliant with federal standards, subject to formal community adoption, for the jurisdictions below:

Collier County, Unincorporated
Collier County Public Schools
City of Everglades City
Immokalee Fire Control District
City of Naples

City of Naples Airport Authority
Greater Naples Fire Rescue District
North Collier Fire Control & Rescue District
City of Marco Island
Port of the Islands

Upon submittal of a copy of all participating jurisdictions' documentation of their adoption resolutions to our office, we will send all necessary documentation to the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) who will issue formal approval of the Collier County LMS.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact your LMS Liaison Mitchell Budihas at Mitchell.Budihas@em.myflorida.com or 850-524-4195.

Respectfully,

Laura Dhuwe,
Bureau Chief, Mitigation
State Hazard Mitigation Officer

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Attachments: MEMORADUM: State approval of LMS plans under Program Administration by States (PAS)

cc: FEMA Region IV, Mitigation Division – Risk Analysis Branch