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Grant

4781 Severe storms, Straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding
 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
 Declared: May 17, 2024
 CFDA Number: 97.039

Application Summary

This form outlines all project details, including Scope of Work, all costs, and location worksheets.

Title: Hidalgo County Edinburg N. 281 Community Saferoom

Total Project Cost: \$12,051,786.56

Eligible Amount: \$12,051,786.56

Funding Sources: Federal - \$9,038,839.92
 State - \$0.00
 Local - \$3,012,946.64

Subrecipient Management Cost: \$0.00

FEMA Obligation Data: Federal Number - < no value >
 Date of Obligation Letter - < no value >
 CATEX Comments - < no value >
 Project POP Date - < no value >

Is Phased Project? No

Applicant

Hidalgo County
 Hidalgo County (5 - South Texas Region)
 UEI: LHACK1UL6NR3
 FIPS: 215-99215-00
 State #: 91208
 FEIN #: 74-6000717
 Vendor # (Applicant): 17460007176
 DUNS #: 103110834 Type: County
 Physical: 505 S. McColl Rd. Suite F
 Edinburg, TX, 78539
 Mailing: 505 S. McColl Rd. Suite G
 Edinburg, TX, 78539

Workflow Summary

Current Step: 1) Application Entry
 Extended Description: **Note:** BRIC Grants Only: Applicants only need to submit their applications

through the FEMA.GO system. TDEM staff will be responsible for entering the application information into GMS.

A) Complete all application fields and worksheets fields and upload all requested documents.

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Recipients: Mitigation Coordinator (State)

Notes & Comments

There are currently no notes.

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Introduction

Summary Information

Grant: 4781 Severe storms, Straight-line winds, tornadoes, and flooding

Project Type: Regular - Community Saferoom

Title: Hidalgo County Edinburg N. 281 Com
Used to help identify the project. Ex: "St Thomas Bridge Reinforcement".

Applicant Information

Applicant: **Hidalgo County**
Location: Hidalgo
Type: County
Mailing: 505 S. McColl Rd. Suite G, Edinburg, TX 78539
Physical: 505 S. McColl Rd. Suite F, Edinburg, TX 78539
FIPS: 215-99215-00
FEIN #: 74-6000717
DUNS #: 103110834
SAM Registration Expiration Date: Mar 06, 2025
SAM Registration Status: Active
Congressional District: 15
State Senate District: District 20
State Legislative District: District 40
Applicant Fiscal Year Ending Month: 12

Is all above information correct and current? Yes

DUNS #: 103110834
Applicant value

Organization Unit: County J
Used to identify the department submitting the application. Ex. "Public Works"

Contacts

Primary Contact:Ricardo Saldana - Hidalgo County [Edit](#)

Organization: Hidalgo County

Email Address: ricardo.saldana@co.hidalgo.tx.us

Phone: 956-318-2600

Secondary Agent:Reynaldo Salazar - Director of St [Edit](#)

Organization: Hidalgo County

Email Address: rey.salazar@co.hidalgo.tx.us

Phone: 956-292-7025

Primary Finance Contact:Linda Fong - Finance Auditor [Edit](#)

Organization: Hidalgo County

Email Address: linda.fong@auditor.co.hidalgo.tx.us

Phone: 956-318-2511

Certifying Official:Richard Cortez - County Judge [Edit](#)

Organization: Hidalgo County

Email Address: richard.cortez@co.hidalgo.tx.us

Phone: 956-318-2600

Alternate Contacts:

Name	Title	Email	Phone
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* indicates a contact whose information may not be current or correct.

Planning Requirement

For all disasters declared after November 1, 2004, a community must have a FEMA approved Local Hazard Mitigation Plan in order to be eligible for HMGP. Not required for Plan or Plan Update applications.

Does your community have a current FEMA approved multi-hazard mitigation plan? Yes

Title of Applicant/Community Local Hazard Mitigation Plan: Hidalgo Co 2016 HMP

Date of Plan Approval: Oct 19, 2021

Mitigation Plan Page: 10

Page on which the project/activity proposed is listed in the Mitigation Plan.

Mitigation Plan Section: 6

Section in which the project/activity proposed is listed in the Mitigation Plan.

Does the community participate in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)?

Yes

Community NFIP Status:

Participating Community

Is the community a member of good standing with the NFIP?

Yes

Date Established:

May 2, 1977

NFIP Number (CID):

480338

Project Management:

- The local jurisdiction will manage the project
- The local jurisdiction plans to hire a consultant/contractor to manage the project
- Other

Project management involves planning, executing, controlling, and completing the project in order to achieve specific goals and meet specific success criteria at the specified times, while providing updates on the progress and issues

Notes & Comments

There are currently no notes.

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Worksheets

1 results

#	Worksheet Title	Amount	Status
2	7517 N. Expressway 281	\$12,051,786.56	Included

Notes & Comments

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Scope of Work

Description of the Problem:

Hidalgo County has seen an influx of disasters involving strong winds, heavy rain and flooding. Previous occurrences include storms that had a direct path through Hidalgo County, most recently Tropical Storm/Hurricane Hanna in 2020 which caused over 5.7 million dollars in property damage and close to 30 million in crop damage.

Describe the specific problem the proposed project is intended to alleviate.

Scope of Work: Description of the Solution & Mitigation Proposed:

The County of Hidalgo is requesting funding to develop a concrete structure that will serve as a multipurpose facility, a safe room for first responders, critical/essential services personnel, and facility occupants that will meet the Federal Emergency Management Agency's criteria for near-absolute protection from hurricanes and allow for

Describe the proposed scope of work to accomplish this project.

Description of the Proposed Project:

The proposed safe room would be a 20,000 square foot hurricane safe room. In extreme wind events, thunderstorms producing flooding, or hurricanes, first responders and critical/essential employees do not have the option to shelter in place or evacuate from the county when the general population can be expected to leave

Describe, in detail, the proposed project. Also, explain how the proposed project will solve the problem(s) and provide the level(s) of protection described above. If any other projects are underway or proposed in the project area, please describe. Also describe any planned, future development in the project area. Please include building code requirements for new development and substantial improvements in the community.

Notes & Comments

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Costs

Worksheet Cost Type Summary

Cost Type	Quantity Sum	Unit Cost Avg.	Total Cost Sum
Fees Paid	1.00	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00
Materials/Supplies	2.00	\$5,041,972.64	\$10,083,945.29
Professional Services	1.00	\$1,954,841.27	\$1,954,841.27

Cost Line Items

Please specify any project costs that aren't worksheet or site-specific (since those costs will be specified in the individual worksheets).

Phased Project: No

If this project is to be done in 2 phases - A and B.

Type	Description	Qty	Unit	Price Pre-Award	Total
Worksheet Total					\$12,051,786.56
Application Total					\$0.00
Grand Total					\$12,051,786.56

Budget Narrative:

[Budget Narrative](#) 21 KB

Jan 31, 2025

[Attach Files](#)

The jurisdiction will ensure that all project costs are reasonable and necessary for the activity according to 2 CFR § Part 200 Uniform Administrative (URA) Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards. Please include explanation/justification for project and Subrecipient Management Cost amounts.

Subrecipient Management Cost

Will this sub-application be Opt-Out requesting any Subrecipient Management Cost amounts?

Funding Sources

Method: By Percent By Amount Funding Source / Other Agency

FEMA Share:	\$	9,038,839.92	75%	
State Share:	\$	0.00	0%	
Non-Federal Share - Local Share (Include In-Kind Value):	\$	3,012,946.64	25%	
Total Allocated:	\$	12,051,786.56	100%	
Subrecipient Management Cost Amount:	\$	0.00		

The amount of Subrecipient Management Cost requested for this Project.

Non-Federal Funding Share

List all sources and amounts utilized in the non-federal share including all in-kind services. In-kind services may not exceed 25% non-federal share. If any portion of the non-Federal share will come from non-applicant sources (donated services, private donation, etc.), attach letters of funding commitment for each non-applicant source.

Source	Name of Source Agency	Funding Source	Amount	Commitment Letter
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Funds Commitment Letter lists the sources and amounts utilized in the non-Federal share requirement, including all in-kind services. Funds commitment letters from non-applicant sources

Cost Effectiveness

Not required for Plan or Plan Update applications