

FINAL PUBLIC NOTICE

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has received the subgrant application for the City of Sanford's floor repairs in the gymnasium and multi-purpose room due to damages in Hurricane Irma (DR-4337-FL PW 04325). 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. This action complies with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) requirements.

- Responsible Entity:** FEMA Public Assistance (PA) Program
- Applicant:** City of Sanford
- Project Title(s):** PA-04-FL-4337-PW-04325; 65656 - Parks & Rec Locations Not Completed
- Location of Proposed Work:** 28.80358, -81.28830
- Floodplain:** Project is located in the un-shaded Zone X, shaded Zone X and Zone AE, area of 100-yr flooding, per Seminole County FIRM Panel #12117C0070 F, dated 09/28/2007.
- Proposed Work and Purpose:** The City of Sanford will replace 1,568SF of taraflex resilient flooring in a gym and 1,768SF of taraflex resilient flooring in a multi-purpose room. Repairs will restore the facility back to its pre-disaster design, function and capacity within the existing footprint.
- Project Alternatives:** The alternative that has been considered is the no action alternative. This alternative is not feasible as the area will remain vulnerable to further damage and would be a hazard to human life and safety. With the no action alternative, continued negative impacts on the property, residents, and the community may be experienced. Alternate locations were not considered as the gymnasium is located within a community center and relocation outside of the floodplain would not be practicable.
- 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, 3003 Chamblee-Tucker Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30341, calling 770-220-5432, or by emailing FEMA-R4EHP@fema.dhs.gov. Comments should be sent in writing with the subject line FL-4337-PW-04325, City of Sanford at the above address within 15 days of the date of this notice.