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Amy Pilson  
Manatee County Utilities Department  
4410 66th Street West  
Bradenton, Florida 34210

Re: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) applications for FEMA 4337-DR-FL, Hurricane Irma

Dear Ms. Pilson

The Manatee County Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) Working Group has approved by vote and prioritized projects for HMGP funding from this disaster. These projects align with our LMS goals and objectives as noted, and with the State's mitigation goals and objectives (in accordance with the Code of Federal Regulations 44 §201.6). This letter demonstrates LMS Working Group support for the Manatee County Utilities Department project application detailed below:

Funding Priority: 4

Project Name: Manatee County Water Treatment Plant Festoon Cord System Replacement

Estimated Total Project Cost: \$170,000

Estimated Federal Share: \$127,500

Please contact me with questions or further information. Thank you for assisting with our mitigation efforts.

Sincerely,

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