IOWA HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIVISION

STATE OF IOWA
ADMINISTRATIVE PLAN
FOR THE
HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM
SECTION 404

DR-1763

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Subject: FEMA-DR-1763-IA
Approval of 404 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Administrative Plan

Dear Mr. Miller:

This letter is to notify you that the State of Iowa Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Administrative Plan, revised September 11, 2008 for FEMA-DR-1763-IA is approved as of September 11, 2008. Your plan complies with the requirements as set forth in 44 CFR Part 206.437.

The Administrative Plan for this disaster is approved; therefore grant funding can be awarded for HMGP project applications found eligible. The State is responsible to ensure that all costs associated with HMGP meet the eligibility requirements for reimbursement under the specific program guidance for the appropriate category (i.e. state management and project costs).

Title 2 CFR establishes the principles and standards for determining costs for Federal awards carried out through grants. The principles are for the purpose of cost determination and are not intended to identify the circumstances or dictate the extent of Federal or governmental unit participation in the financing of a particular program or project. Cost principals determine allowance in a general sense, however, the program regulation and guidance determines eligibility of costs.

If you should have any questions regarding the program or application process, please call either Jim Donley, Senior Mitigation Program Specialist, at (816) 283-7010 or Kathy Strange, Chief, Hazard Mitigation Assistance Branch, at (816) 283-7033.

Sincerely,

Richard Hainje
Regional Administrator

July 12, 2008

Mr. Dick Hainje
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SUBJECT: Request to amend Iowa's HMGP Administrative Plan for FEMA-1737-DR-IA to include FEMA-1763-DR-IA

Dear Mr. Hainje:

Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Division requests to amend the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Administrative Plan (the Plan) for Disaster 1737 to include Disaster 1763, which was declared May 27, 2008. The Plan was submitted in accordance with the 44 CFR, Section 206.437(d), following a major disaster declaration and was approved by FEMA Region VII March 10, 2008. There are minor programmatic changes to the plan that are attached to this correspondence.

If additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Iowa's hazard mitigation staff at 515-725-3231.

Sincerely,

David L. Miller
Administrator

cc: Shelly Jones, Mitigation Specialist, FEMA Region VII