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Ms. Robyn Fennig
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Dear Ms. Fennig:

Thank you for submitting the adoption documentation for the Dane County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan. The plan was reviewed based on the local plan criteria contained in 44 CFR Part 201, as authorized by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. The Dane County plan met the required criteria for a multi-jurisdiction hazard mitigation plan and the plan is now approved for Dane County; the cities of Edgerton, Fitchburg, Madison, Middleton, Monona, Sun Prairie, and Verona; the villages of Belleville, Black Earth, Blue Mounds, Brooklyn, Cottage Grove, Cross Plains, Dane, DeForest, Marshall, Mazomanie, McFarland, Mount Horeb, Shorewood Hills, Waunakee, and Windsor; and the towns of Cottage Grove, Dunn, Oregon, Springdale, Springfield, Vermont, Verona, and Westport. Please submit the adoption resolutions for any remaining jurisdictions who participated in the planning process.

The approval of this plan ensures continued availability of the full complement of Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) Grants. All requests for funding, however, will be evaluated individually according to the specific eligibility and other requirements of the particular program under which the application is submitted.

We encourage Dane County and the participating jurisdictions to follow the plan's schedule for monitoring and updating the plan, and to continue their efforts to implement the mitigation measures. The expiration date of the Dane County Plan is December 6, 2027. To continue project grant eligibility, the plan must be reviewed, revised as appropriate, resubmitted, and approved no later than the plan expiration date.

Please pass on our congratulations to the participating jurisdictions for completing this significant action. If you or the communities have any questions, please contact Cadence Peterson at 312-408-5260 or at cadence.peterson@fema.dhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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