Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government Public Meetings

Hurricane Ida Recovery Priorities for Economic Revitalization and Infrastructure

Monday, October 30, 2023 at 5:30 PM Dumas Auditorium, 301 W. Tunnel Blvd





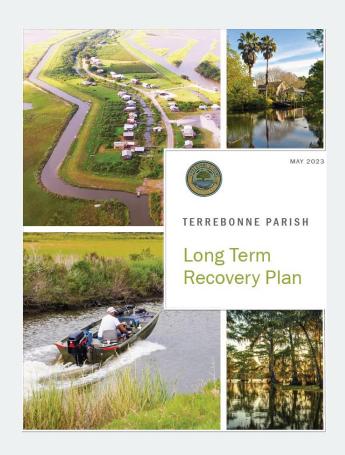


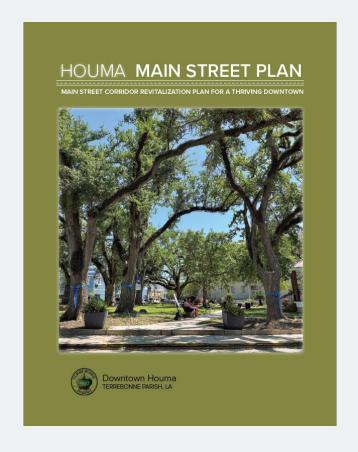
Purpose

- ❖ Gather citizen input on priority areas in which to spend the \$41.4 million allocation in *HUD*Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery Funds (CDBG-DR) available to the Parish through the State of Louisiana as a result of the impacts from Hurricane Ida and the declared disaster events in 2020 and 2021.
- Provide meaningful engagement of impacted communities, low-to-moderate income (LMI) residents, and residents of Disadvantaged Communities in the planning and development of projects under 2 specific programs to be administered by Terrebonne Parish:
 - 1. Hometown Revitalization Program
 - 2. Resilient Communities Infrastructure Program.

^{*}Funds are not eligible for homeowner repairs, reconstruction or elevations.

Previous Ida Recovery Planning





Priorities Identified

Long Term Recovery Plan

Avoid Disruptions to Seafood industry
Fortify Public Buildings Essential to Services
Water and Sewer Systems Upgrades
Coastal Restoration and Habitat Protection
Unsafe Roadways and Intersections



Houma Main Street Plan

Vacant Properties
Volume and Speed of Traffic on Main Street
Neglected Bayou
Lack of Commercial Amenities
Very few housing options



RESTORE LA: State Recovery Programs

RESTORE LA HOMEOWNER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

\$680 M

AFFORDABLE HOMEOWNERSHIP PROGRAMS

Flood Insurance Program \$1.5 M

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Interim Housing Assistance

\$4 M

RESTORE LOUISIANA

AFFORDABLE RENTAL HOUSING PROGRAMS Soft Second Mortgage Assistance Middle-Market Loan Program (MMLP) PRIME (Piggyback) Program \$764 M

Rapid Rehousing Program

Neighborhood Landlord

Rental Program

Permanent Supportive

Housing Program (PSHP)

\$15 M

\$40 M

\$11 M

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT **PROGRAMS** Small Business Loan and \$96.1 M **Grant Program** Hometown \$125 M Revitalization Program INFRASTRUCTURE **PROGRAMS** Nonfederal Share \$240.8 M Match Program **HGMP Global Match** \$77.3 M Program

Resilient Communities

Infrastructure Program

\$100 M

Intent





Purpose: To encourage new <u>economic revitalization</u> opportunities for LA communities while supporting the crucial recovery of the state's commercial areas.

- Create/retain jobs and to allow residents to have access to the products and services they need within their community.
- Respond to communities' most urgent rebuilding needs and assist in identifying long-term and innovative solutions to strengthen economic development within local communities.
- All funds must be used on projects that will benefit low to moderate income (LMI) areas/individuals and have a tie to the disaster and satisfy an unmet need.



Resilient Communities Infrastructure Program: \$16,675,420

Purpose: Aims to address remaining unmet needs by supporting more resilient community **infrastructure** and planning.

- All funds must be used on projects that will benefit low to moderate income (LMI) areas/individuals and tie to the disaster.
- Serve disadvantage communities that were economically distressed prior to the storm events.

Morgan City 90 Bayou Gas Field Legend Disadvantaged Communities LMI Block Group 51%+ Parish Boundary

Requirements

- Documented tie to the storm event
- Must be located within the Parishes/areas that were presidentially declared disaster areas
- National objective must be to benefit low-tomoderate income (LMI) persons
- 40% of allocation must be spent in a designated "Disadvantaged Community"
- Must meet one of the HUD Eligible Activities
 - HRP: Section 105(a) 8, 12, 14, 15, 17, 19, 21, 22
 - RCIP: Section 105(a) 1-5, 7-9, 11, 12, 16

HUD LMI Limits

FY 2023 Income Limits Summary

FY 2023 Income Limit Area	Median Family Income Click for More Detail	FY 2023 Income Limit Category	Persons in Family							
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Houma- Thibodaux, LA MSA	\$81,300	Very Low (50%) Income Limits (\$) Click for More Detail	25,750	29,400	33,100	36,750	39,700	42,650	45,600	48,550
		Extremely Low Income Limits (\$)* Click for More Detail	15,450	19,720	24,860	30,000	35,140	40,280	45,420	48,550*
		Low (80%) Income Limits (\$) Click for More Detail	41,150	47,000	52,900	58,750	63,450	68,150	72,850	77,550

NOTE: **Terrebonne Parish** is part of the **Houma-Thibodaux**, **LA MSA**, so all information presented here applies to all of the Houma-Thibodaux, LA MSA.

Stakeholder Outreach & Citizen Participation

*Consultation lists included below demonstrate ongoing efforts and continue to expand



Local Leaders & Elected Officials

Parish President

Council Members



Parish Government Departments

Planning & Zoning

Recovery Assistance & Mitigation Planning

Finance



Impacted Residents: LMI & Disadvantaged Communities

Public Hearings
September 28th
October 3rd

Survey

Terrebonne Parish Hometown Revitalization Program \$24,748,072

Examples of Eligible Activities

- Commercial revitalization grant
- Redeveloping a Low-to-Moderate Income (LMI) or industrial corridor
- Micro lending program
- Small business assistance program
- Business Incubators
- Eligible economic development or neighborhood revitalization technical assistance

Project Ideas Received (to-date)

- Support to Seafood Industry
- Downtown Acquisition
- Finding Our Roots Museum
- Downtown Complete Streets for Pedestrian Safety
- Small Business Incubators
- Community Centers
- Eligible Assistance to Tribes
- Façade Improvements

Terrebonne Parish Resilient Communities Infrastructure Program \$16,675,420

Examples of Eligible Activities

- Replace or redesign existing structures to mitigate against future disasters
- Relocating public buildings from a high-risk area through acquisition of new property
- Drainage improvements to reduce flooding
- Acquisition, construction, reconstruction, or installation of public works facilities
- Rehabilitate or replace existing pump systems
- Removal of material and architectural barriers which restrict mobility and accessibility

Project Ideas Received (to-date)

- Stormwater Management Basins
- Canal Improvements
- Drainage Upgrades
- Relocation of Public Works Facilities
- Property Acquisition
- Wastewater Master Planning & Expansion Study
- Wind Retrofit



Public Engagement

- Open Discussion (following presentation)
- Survey
 - QR Code link (left)
 - Social Media (Facebook, Twitter & Instagram)
 - https://www.tpcg.org/recovery/
 - In-person, paper version
 - General comments to:

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Comment Period