



April 21, 2026 - Regular Meeting

Subject

Update of progress on Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) Grant and Lasting Manatee Program, Robert Burke, Business Services Manager, and Edrick Sweeting, Grant Supervisor

Category

REGULAR

Briefings

Briefing Provided Upon Request

Contact and/or Presenter Information

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Action Requested

No Action Required

Enabling/Regulating Authority

Florida Statute 125

US Federal Register FR-6512-N-01

Applicable Advisory Board

N/A

Background Discussion

The CDBG-DR team will update the Board and the public on the progress of the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) grant and Lasting Manatee program. The update will include a presentation on the status of Lasting Manatee (CDBG-DR) application processes, program launch timing, and program development activities. Additionally, they will present updates on Lasting Manatee's community outreach tools and participation opportunities.

Attorney Review

Not Reviewed (No apparent legal issues)

Instructions to Board Records

None

Cost and Funds Source Account Number and Name
N/A

Amount and Frequency of Recurring Costs
N/A



CDBG-DR Grant Program Milestone Update

Robert Burke

Odugo Ohizu

Helpful Links for Residents

[View the Application Document Checklist for the Home Recovery Program](#)[View Current Housing and Emergency Resources](#)[Sign Up for Program Launch Alerts](#)[Learn About the Recovery Programs](#)[Survey: Connect Your Neighbors with Lasting Manatee](#)[Contact the Lasting Manatee Office](#)[Back to Top](#)

Helpful Links for Organizations

[View the Infrastructure \(IRRP\) Applicant Preliminary Document List](#)[Learn About the Infrastructure Recovery and Resiliency Program \(IRRP\)](#)[View our Timeline](#)[Read our Official Documents](#)[View our Solicitations and Contracts](#)

Timeline



Homeowner's Path from Application through Home Repair

STEP

1

***APPLY
ONLINE***

May 1, 2026

STEP

2

***VERIFY
DOCUMENTS***

Summer 2026

STEP

3

***HOME VISIT
AND AWARD***

Fall 2026

STEP

4

***REHAB
BEGINS***

***Winter 2026
to Early 2027***

STEP

5

***WELCOME
HOME***

Year 2027



13 Questions to Submit Your Pre-Application

Location

Structure Type

Ownership in
2024 Storms

Ownership
Today

Residence in
2024 Storms

Residence Today

Damaged in
2024 Storms

Household
Members

Age/Disability of
Members

Income

Current
Property Taxes

Mortgage

Additional Leins

\$107.5 M

HOUSING

***HOME RECOVERY
PROGRAM***

\$75 M

***RENTAL RECOVERY
PROGRAM***

***BUYOUT AND SAFE
HOUSING PROGRAM***





May 19, 2026

The background of the image is an aerial photograph of a city, likely Manatee, Florida, showing a mix of urban buildings, green spaces, and a body of water. A semi-transparent blue overlay covers the top half of the image. A thick, wavy orange line separates the blue overlay from the white background below.

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