



LONG TERM COMMUNITY DISASTER RECOVERY UPDATES

As we shared during the Disaster Recovery Project Update during our February meeting, the US Economic Development Administration awarded MVRPC \$720,000.00 to administer the Disaster Recovery Manager Project on February 3, 2020. These funds will support a full-time Disaster Recovery Manager to support impacted jurisdictions and the entire Miami Valley Region for a period of five years. The position is currently posted and we hope to have a leading expert in disaster recovery here to serve our Region later this Spring.

MVRPC is requesting additional funding from the EDA in the amount of \$320,000.00 to amend and expand the scope of work in the Disaster Recovery project to include regional resiliency planning, comprehensive / master planning for the purposes of economic and workforce development, and technical support for funds reporting compliance for all impacted counties.

MVRPC is grateful for the support from The Dayton Foundation and Montgomery County, Ohio who have agreed to provide the twenty percent (\$80,000.00) local match required for this expanded scope of work (\$40,000.00 from The Dayton Foundation and \$40,000.00 from Montgomery County, Ohio).

MVRPC is seeking funding from the U.S. Economic Development Administration to update the regional CEDS to ensure the CEDS is in compliance with EDA regulations. The CEDS for our Region was last completed in 2012 and a current and compliant CEDS is necessary because it is a pre-requisite for many critical funding opportunities available to our Region through the Department of Commerce.

MVRPC is requesting \$160,000.00 from the Economic Development Administration to fund the CEDS update and the Dayton Development Coalition (DDC) is the co-applicant on the award request.

MVRPC and DDC have committed technical expertise from their respective professional staff to collaborate in the leadership of the CEDS update, contributing in-kind hours equal to \$40,000.00 which will satisfy the required 20% local match for the project.

The MVRPC Regional and Community Planning / GIS team is working on the first phase of a data analysis overlaying some non-individualized case management information with the impacted property information we already have mapped. We hope to release new maps to impacted jurisdictions in the coming weeks.

The requirements for plan review, permitting and inspections in each jurisdiction related to repair and rebuild have been compiled and passed along to John Pyron. He is coordinating the volunteer skilled labor that will arrive later this summer to work on these projects. We have also reached out to neighboring non-impacted local government jurisdictions and they are very willing to help supply additional manpower if the need arises.