



**FEMA**

April 10, 2025

Ms. Geneva J. Brawner  
State Hazard Mitigation Officer  
Kentucky Division of Emergency Management  
100 Airport Road  
3rd Floor  
Frankfort, KY 40601-6168

Reference: Kentucky River ADD Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan

Dear Ms. Brawner:

We are pleased to inform you the Kentucky River ADD Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan update complies with the Federal hazard mitigation planning requirements resulting from the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, as contained in 44 CFR §201.6. FEMA approval does not include the review or approval of content that exceeds these applicable FEMA mitigation planning requirements. Effective April 10, 2025, the plan is approved for a period of five (5) years to April 9, 2030.

Enclosed is the status of all participating jurisdictions. Approved jurisdictions are eligible applicants through the State for the following mitigation grant programs administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA):

- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)

Please note that all funding requests will be evaluated individually according to the program's specific eligibility requirements.

The State and all plan participants should be commended for their close coordination and communications with our office in the review and subsequent approval of the plan. If you or any plan participant need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Jake Grabowsky, of my staff, at (202) 856-1901.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kristen M. Martinenza".

Kristen M. Martinenza, P.E.  
Branch Chief, Risk Analysis

Enclosure

Enclosure: Plan Participant Status List

Attached is the list of participating jurisdictions in the referenced hazard mitigation plan.

Community Name	Jurisdiction Status	Date Approved by FEMA
1) Beattyville city	Approved	4/10/25
2) Blackey city	APA	
3) Booneville city	Approved	4/10/25
4) Breathitt County	Approved	4/10/25
5) Buckhorn city	APA	
6) Campton city	Approved	4/10/25
7) Fleming-Neon city	Approved	4/10/25
8) Hazard city	Approved	4/10/25
9) Hindman city	Approved	4/10/25
10) Hyden city	Approved	4/10/25
11) Jackson city	Approved	4/10/25
12) Jenkins city	Approved	4/10/25
13) Knott County	Approved	4/10/25
14) Lee County	Approved	4/10/25
15) Leslie County	APA	
16) Letcher County	Approved	4/10/25
17) Owsley County	Approved	4/10/25
18) Perry County	Approved	4/10/25
19) Pippa Passes city	APA	
20) Vicco city	APA	
21) Whitesburg city	Approved	4/10/25
22) Wolfe County	Approved	4/10/25