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Immediate Release

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The Grant is administered through the County of Hudson Office of Emergency Management to enhance and sustain all hazards emergency capabilities. This includes prevention measures, mitigation, protection, response and recovery activities. An allhazards approach to emergency management preparedness includes the development of a comprehensive program of planning, training, and exercise which will provide an effective and consistent response to any disaster or emergency. The mitigation strategies and project's purpose are to limit the effects of hazards, mostly extreme weather events.

An essential approach in achieving goals and target capabilities involves establishing strong working relationships with neighboring jurisdictions. Relationships are necessary for developing performance capabilities that leverage joint operations, mutual aid, support local, regional, state to state, and nationwide priorities when responding to a catastrophic event.

The term of the grant will run from February 1, 2023, to January 31, 2026.

Board Chairman Anthony Vainieri and The Hudson County Board of Commissioners are committed to providing the necessary resources to assist local municipalities in enhancing and sustaining their all-hazards emergency management capabilities by using mitigation strategies.

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