

Wednesday, March 20, 2013

Workshop Session 4

Time of Session: 3:30-5:00PM

Session Title: Building Assessment Strategies & Planning

A. Ensuring the Safety of our Institutions of Higher Learning

Speakers: **Deborah Mills** and **Ruth Lovelace**,
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B. Non-Disaster Grant Funding

Speakers: **Kim Ryals**, GOHSEP

Room: 257

Head Count: 16

Note Taker: Mallikharjuna Reddy Avula

Notes: B. Non-Disaster Grant Funding

- Federal Level non-disaster funding opportunities are;
 - Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM)
 - Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)
 - Repetitive Flood Claims (RFC)
 - Severe Repetitive Flood Loss (SRL)
- Disaster based funding
 - Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- Eligible Applicants
 - State agencies
 - Tribal organizations
 - Local organizations
 - PNPOs
- Eligible Activities
 - Project activities
 - Elevation
 - Acquisitions and relocations
 - Unified guidance is very helpful for finding the detailed requirements for this funding.
- Nation Flood Insurance Program based funding
 - In-order to avail this funding, the beneficiaries should have participation in NFIP
 - FMA
 - RFC
 - SRL
- FEMA grant appropriation
 - PDM- Louisiana does not have federal appropriation for this program this year
- Flood Grants overview
 - FMA, RFC, SRL
 - FMA- 75% federal and 25% non-federal share
 - RFC- 100% federal (lack of capacity at local level or lack of 25% match)
 - SRL- 90% federal and 10% individual match
 - PDM- competitive based funding with 75% federal and 25% non-federal share