

FINAL PUBLIC NOTICE

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has received the subgrant application for the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Miami repairs to Holy Family Church due to damages in Hurricane Irma (DR-4337-FL PW-08100). Pursuant to Executive Order 11988 and 44 CFR Part 9.12, final notice is hereby given of FEMA's intent to provide funding for projects under the Public Assistance (PA) Program.

An initial disaster-wide Public Notice was published October 6, 2017 for Hurricane Irma. Comments and other information received were fully evaluated by FEMA along with evaluation of social, economic, environmental, and safety considerations. This notice serves as a project-specific final notice for FEMA's funding action located within the floodplain.

Funding for the proposed project will be conditional upon compliance with all applicable federal, tribal, state and local laws, regulations, floodplain standards, permit requirements and conditions. This action complies with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) requirements.

- Responsible Entity:** FEMA Public Assistance (PA) Program
- Applicant:** Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Miami
- Project Title(s):** PA-04-FL-4337-PW-08100, 33973 – Holy Family Church
- Location of Proposed Work:** 14500 NE 11th Avenue, North Miami, Florida 33161
25.91026 N Latitude, 80.17691 W Longitude
- Floodplain:** Project is located in the AE Zone, otherwise known as the 100-year floodplain, per Miami-Dade County FIRM Panel # 12086C0141L, dated 09/11/2009.
- Proposed Work and Purpose:** The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Miami replaced contents and made repairs to flat roofing, HVAC systems, plaster ceiling, ceiling tiles, and peg boards at the Holy Family Church to return the facility back to pre-disaster condition. Minimization against future flood damages has been met as the facility is located above the Base Flood Elevation.
- Project Alternatives:** The alternative that has been considered is the no action alternative. This alternative is not feasible as the area will remain vulnerable to flood risk, including property damage. Alternate locations were not considered as relocating the facility outside of the floodplain is not feasible as the current cost of repairs outweighs the cost of relocating the facility. Holy Family Church supports the North Miami community by providing a place of worship and relocation may adversely impact social or economic resources for the community.
- Comments:** This will serve as the final public notice regarding the above-described action funded by the FEMA PA program. Interested persons may submit comments, questions, or request a map of this specific project by writing to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region 4, 3003 Chamblee-Tucker Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30341 or by emailing FEMA-R4EHP@fema.dhs.gov. Comments should be sent in writing with the subject line FL-4337-PW-08100, Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Miami at the above address within 15 days of the date of this notice.