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May 6, 2024

Mr. Antonio Burden Fire Chief & EMA Director Augusta-Richmond County 3117 Deans Bridge Road, Augusta, GA 30906

Dear Chief Burden,

Congratulations on receiving a federal award for the City of Augusta Emergency Operations Center (EOC). Your application for financial assistance submitted under the Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 Emergency Operations Center Program has been approved in the amount of \$1,500,000.00 of federal funds. I have attached a copy of the FY 2024 EOC Approved Award Package for the Augusta-Rochmond County EOC. The period of performance is August 1, 2024 to July 31, 2027.

However, Augusta-Richmond County must receive an Environmental and Historical Preservation (EHP) approval on your construction from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Please complete the EHP form and return it to Ms. LaVern Turner via email at <u>lavern.turner@gema.ga.gov</u>, and she will submit it to FEMA for approval. Also, please complete the investment justification and budget for submission of your application package. Your documents are due to Ms. Turner by close of business on May 30, 2024 so that we may submit them to FEMA for approval. Please let her know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

James C. Stallings

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