

# New Jersey

## Department of Community Affairs

SUPERSTORM SANDY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT - DISASTER  
RECOVERY

Public Law 113-2; January 29, 2013  
FR-5696-N-01; March 5, 2013  
FR-5696-N-06; November 18, 2013  
FR-5696-N-11; October 16, 2014



### **ACTION PLAN AMENDMENT NUMBER 44**

#### **NON-SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT**

- **Transferring Funds for Administrative Purposes**
- **Acknowledging the Extension of the Expenditure Deadline**

DATE SUBMITTED TO HUD: May 19, 2022

DATE APPROVED BY HUD: May 27, 2022

Philip D. Murphy  
Governor

Lt. Governor Sheila Y. Oliver  
Commissioner



**Non-Substantial Action Plan Amendment Number Forty-Four to Superstorm Sandy  
Disaster Relief Appropriation, Public Law 113-2, 2013**

**I. Overview**

The purpose of this Action Plan Amendment (APA) Number 44 is to transfer Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds for administrative purposes. This amendment also acts as an acknowledgement of Congress’ extension of the expenditure deadline<sup>1</sup> to 2025 for CDBG-DR funds appropriated pursuant to the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013.

**II. Action Plan Modification**

**A. Transfer of Funds to Administration**

Table A: Transfer of Funds to Administration			
Approved New Jersey Plan Program	Activity Previous Allocation	Amount of Transfer	Activity Revised Allocation
Blue Acres Buyout Program	\$137,056,576	(\$9,892,177)	\$127,164,399
Administration (General)	\$195,013,364	\$9,892,177	\$204,905,541

The State proposes to reallocate \$9,892,177 to allow for the continued general management, oversight and coordination in disbursing CDBG-DR funding for recovery programs. Section VI(10)(b) of Federal Register (FR) Notice 5696-N-01 provides that the aggregate total of funding spent on Program Administration Costs must not exceed five percent of the aggregate CDBG-DR funding awarded to a Grantee plus program income. In reallocating \$9,892,177, the State remains compliant with the five percent cap HUD has placed on program administration costs. The funds come from a surplus in the Blue Acres Buyout Program. The reallocations will not affect the ability of the program to meet their objectives.

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<sup>1</sup> Public Law 117-103.