



DATE: February 2, 2021

TO: Steve Ehlmann, County Executive  
Joann Leykam, Director of Administration

CC: Rory O'Sullivan, Acting County Counselor  
Donna Vogt, County Council

FROM: Michael Hurlbert, Director of Community Development

RE: FEMA Grant Acceptance to acquire and demolish 3 repetitive loss structures

The Community Development Department is submitting the following item for the February 22, 2021 County Council Agenda.

The Community Development Department applied for funding through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to fund 100% of the acquisition and demolition of severe and repetitive flood loss properties. Three of the applications received were accepted for this funding, totaling \$477,099.00. The owners of the properties located at 536 Dardenne Drive, 905 El Camino Drive, and 7240 Portage Road are interested in selling their properties through this program. Like other properties that have been obtained via similar programs, the structures on those properties will be demolished and the land acquired will remain as open space.

The attached ordinance provides for grant acceptance and authorization for the County to proceed to implement the acquisition and demolition of these properties as provided in this program.