



## City of Wharton

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### MEMORANDUM

**Date:** October 17, 2017  
**From:** Gwyneth Teves, Community Development Coordinator  
**To:** Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers  
City Attorney Paul Webb  
**Subject:** Status of City of Wharton Grant Projects Report No. 2017-06

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Below, I have outlined a report on the status of the City of Wharton Grant Projects:

#### **Construction:**

- 1. TxCDBG 7216489 Alabama Sanitary Sewer Improvements**  
Construction in progress. Total grant awarded: \$350,000.
- 2. FEMA – Integrated Flood Protection System**  
Application submitted 12/20/16 under the DR-4266/4269 and we are awaiting a response.
- 3. FEMA – Sewer Infrastructure Mitigation**  
Application submitted 10/13/16 under the DR-4266/4269 and we are awaiting a response.
- 4. FEMA – Warning System Mitigation (Siren Warning System)**  
Application submitted 10/13/16 under the DR-4266/4269 and we are awaiting a response.
- 5. FEMA – Integrated Flood Protection System**  
Submitted on 1/20/17 under a second funding opportunity for DR 4272 and we are awaiting a response.
- 6. FEMA – Sewer Infrastructure Mitigation**  
Submitted on 1/20/17 under a second funding opportunity for DR 4272 and we are awaiting a response.
- 7. FEMA – Warning System Mitigation (Siren Warning System)**  
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## **Housing:**

**8. FEMA – Residential Mitigation (Elevation/Reconstruction of Homes)**

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**10. TDHCA – HOME Reservation Participation**

GrantWorks has mailed out notification materials for citizens of Wharton and provided flyers for the City. The information will also be posted in the Journal Spectator. The application date has been set for November 7, 2017 at JDIN.

**11. GLO Community Development and Revitalization Program**

The call for application has been made and the City Council voted to proceed with the application on 06/26/17. The City Council has procured GrantWorks, Inc. for administration and Jones & Carter for engineering. The staff is proceeding with applications.

**12. FEMA Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant**

Call for application was made on August 11, 2017. City Council voted to proceed with application and administration and engineering were selected October 16, 2017. Application is due October 31, 2017.

## **Studies:**

**13. TxCDBG 7216124 Planning & Capacity Building Fund (Comprehensive Plan)**

GrantWorks, Inc. is currently processing the data acquired from field studies performed in June 2017. They will begin working with Committees and Department Heads in the early part of November. To be completed by December 12, 2018. Total grant awarded: \$115,389.

**14. TWDB Contract 1548321873 Water Supply Study**

Study for the future water supply completed by Halff & Associates and submitted to TWDB. The study was approved by TWDB and the City is in process of getting reimbursement. Total grant awarded: \$85,000.