

August 20, 2020

Ms. Jennifer Davis Homeland Security and Emergency Management Minnesota Department of Public Safety 444 Cedar Street, Suite 223 Saint Paul, MN 55101

Dear Ms. Davis:

Thank you for submitting the adoption documentation for the Sherburne County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan. The plan was reviewed based on the local plan criteria contained in 44 CFR Part 201, as authorized by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. The Sherburne County plan met the required criteria for a multi-jurisdiction hazard mitigation plan and the plan is now approved for the city of Princeton. Please submit the adoption resolutions for any remaining jurisdictions who participated in the planning process.

The approval of this plan ensures continued availability of the full complement of Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) Grants. All requests for funding, however, will be evaluated individually according to the specific eligibility and other requirements of the particular program under which the application is submitted.

We encourage Sherburne County and the participating jurisdictions to follow the plan's schedule for monitoring and updating the plan, and to continue their efforts to implement the mitigation measures. The expiration date of the Sherburne County plan is July 30, 2025. To continue project grant eligibility, the plan must be reviewed, revised as appropriate, resubmitted, and approved no later than the plan expiration date.

Please pass on our congratulations to the city of Princeton for completing this significant action. If you or the communities have any questions, please contact Cadence Peterson at (312) 408-5260 or at <u>cadence.peterson@fema.dhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Julia McCarthy Chief, Risk Analysis Branch Mitigation Division