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**MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL POTENTIAL APPLICANTS
INTERESTED PARTIES**

FROM: 
Kathryn Amann, Acting Deputy Director
Division of Financial Assistance

**SUBJECT: AMENDMENT #1 FOR NOTICE OF FUNDING
AVAILABILITY (NOFA) - Special Wildfire Disaster
Recovery – Community Development Block Grant
(CDBG) Program for the Federally Declared
September 2015 Butte and Valley Wildfires**

On August 30, 2016, the State Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) announced the availability of approximately \$10.4 million in federal CDBG Program funding for recovery efforts relating to the September 2015 Federal Regulation Disaster declaration [DR-4340-CA NR 016] and related disaster declaration by Governor Brown, in Calaveras and Lake counties. This NOFA makes funding available to Calaveras and Lake counties who were affected in the 2015 Butte and Valley Wildfires for activities selected by each county after going through the required public participation process.

With this memorandum, the Department hereby announces the following amendment to this 2016 NOFA as follows:

- The Application deadline for funding is hereby extended **from September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018.**

The total amount of available funding and allocation by county remains unchanged. As of August 24, 2017, approximately \$8.4 million of the \$10.4 million in funding has not been awarded. **The funding of applications will continue to be on a first-come, first-serve basis, until all available funds are exhausted.** Applications must be received by the Department no later than **5:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time on August 31, 2018.**

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The Department will accept applications through a postal carrier service such as U.S. Postal Service, UPS, Fed Ex or other carrier services that provide date stamp verification confirming delivery to the Department's office. Please contact the Department if delivery is not completed by fault of the private courier/U.S. Mail. The Department will allow applications to be delivered in person during regular business hours, **from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** Pacific Standard Time. ***Note: This is different from other Department funding application receipt policies.***

The delivery address is:

**Department of Housing and Community Development
Division of Financial Assistance
NOFA AWARD SECTION (CDBG PROGRAM)
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Applications that do not meet the filing deadline will not be eligible for funding. There are no other changes to the NOFA or application forms.

If you have any questions or require assistance, please contact Charles Gray, Manager, at Charles.Gray@hcd.ca.gov or (916) 263-1014.