Resilient SRQ Voluntary Buyout Program Scoring Criteria

Minimum Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must meet all of the minimum eligibility criteria listed below to be considered for CDBG-DR funding.

- 1. Proposed project benefits low to moderate income (LMI) persons or urgent need in accordance with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) National Objectives.
- 2. The proposed project must be an eligible activity. Eligible activities include:
 - Acquisition following Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (URA);
 - Demolition of structures associated with acquisition;
 - Relocation assistance with buyout or acquisition (following URA)
- 3. The home must have been owner-occupied at the time of Hurricane Ian.
- 4. The home must have served as the primary residence by the homeowner.
- 5. The project must have a direct or indirect tieback to Hurricane Ian.
- 6. The property must be in a designated disaster area (Myakkahatchee Creek and Hidden River) or be a repetitive loss property.
- 7. Property must be maintained in perpetuity for a use that is compatible with open space, recreational, floodplain, and wetlands management practices, or other disaster-risk reduction practices in compliance with HUD requirements.

Scoring Criteria

Criteria Category	Description	Points Available
LMI National Objective	 Project does not meet LMI National Objective- 0 points OR Project does meet LMI National Objective - 25 points 	0 or 25
Project Readiness	Level of planning that remains and demonstrated ability to complete the project within the following timeframes: • Under 1 year = 25 points • 1-2 years = 20 points • 2-3 years = 15 points • 3-4 years = 10 points • 4 + years = 0 points	0-25
Project Impact	Project demonstrates the pre-storm value of the home, ensuring that the requested amount is proportionate. The project includes factors like contiguous properties, which help strengthen the overall impact and resilience of the community. 0 - 25 points	0-25
Maintenance Plan	 Applicant has not described steps to maintain the project in perpetuity - 0 points OR Applicant has described steps to maintain the project in perpetuity – 25 points 	0 or 25
Total Maximum Points Available		100