

June 15, 2022

Danielle Mieler Sustainability and Resilience Manager City of Alameda 2263 Santa Clara Ave, Suite 300 Alameda, CA 94501

Dear Danielle Mieler:

The 2022 Alameda Climate Adaptation and Hazard Mitigation Plan was officially adopted by the City of Alameda on June 7, 2022, and submitted for review and approval to the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The review is complete, and FEMA finds the plan to be in conformance with the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 44, Part 201, Section 6 (44 C.F.R. 201.6).

This plan approval ensures the City of Alameda continued eligibility for funding under FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Assistance programs, including the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities program (BRIC), and the Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) program. All requests for funding are evaluated individually according to eligibility and other program requirements. Approved hazard mitigation plans may also be eligible for points under the National Flood Insurance Program's Community Rating System (CRS).

FEMA's approval is for a period of five years, effective starting the date of this letter. Prior to **June 15, 2027**, the City of Alameda must review, revise, and submit their plan to FEMA for approval to maintain eligibility for grant funding. The enclosed plan review tool provides additional recommendations to incorporate into future plan updates.

If you have any questions regarding the planning or review processes, please contact the FEMA Region 9 Hazard Mitigation Planning Team at <u>fema-r9-mitigation-planning@fema.dhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Lipiecki Director, Mitigation Division FEMA Region 9 Alameda Climate Adaptation and Hazard Mitigation Plan Approval Notice June 15, 2022 Page 2 of 2

- Enclosure (1) City of Alameda Plan Review Tool, dated June 15, 2022
- cc: Victoria LaMar-Haas, Hazard Mitigation Planning Chief, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services Jennifer Hogan, State Hazard Mitigation Officer, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services