Individuals and Households Program (IHP). FEMA gives notice that the maximum amount of IHP financial assistance provided to an individual or household under section 408 of the Stafford Act with respect to any single emergency or major disaster is $32,900. The increase in award amount as stated above is for any single emergency or major disaster declared on or after October 1, 2014. In addition, in accordance with 44 CFR 61.17(c), this adjustment includes the maximum amount of available coverage under any Group Flood Insurance Policy (GFIP) issued.

FEMA bases the adjustment on an increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers of 1.7 percent for the 12-month period, which ended in August 2014. The Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor released the information on September 17, 2014.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 97.048, Federal Assistance to Individuals and Households—Other Needs.

Declared Disaster Assistance to Individuals and Households; 97.050, Presidentially Declared Disaster Assistance—Declared Disaster Areas; 97.049, Individuals and Households in Presidentially Declared Disaster Areas; 97.048, Federal Disaster Assistance to Individuals and Households in Presidentially Declared Disaster Areas; 97.036, Disaster Grants—Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters).

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Notice of Adjustment of Disaster Grant Amounts

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: FEMA gives notice of an increase of the maximum amount for Small Project Grants made to state, tribal, and local governments and private nonprofit facilities for disasters declared on or after October 1, 2014.

DATES: Effective Date: October 1, 2014, and applies to major disasters and emergencies declared on or after October 1, 2014.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. 5121–5207, as amended by the Sandy Recovery Improvement Act, Public Law 113–2, provides that FEMA will annually adjust the maximum grant amount made under section 422, Simplified Procedures, relating to the Public Assistance program, to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers published by the Department of Labor.

FEMA gives notice of an increase to $121,600 in the maximum amount of any Small Project Grant made to state, tribal, and local governments or to the owner or operator of an eligible private nonprofit facility under section 422 of the Stafford Act for all major disasters or emergencies declared on or after October 1, 2014.

FEMA bases the adjustment on an increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers of 1.7 percent for the 6-month period from February 2014 to August 2014. This is based on information released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics at the U.S. Department of Labor on September 17, 2014.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 97.036, Disaster Grants—Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters).