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Through: Tony Robinson

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Dear Mr. Amparo:

DIRECTOR DAVID G. BAKER

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The traditional Community Disaster Loan (CDL) Program was created to help local governments that have incurred a significant loss in revenue due to a major disaster that has or will adversely affect their ability to provide essential municipal services.

Due to the scope of impacts to local governments and pursuant to 44 CFR §206.361, I am requesting you activate the Community Disaster Loan (CDL) Program for all eligible communities in the State of Texas for the Texas Hurricane Harvey (DR-4332-TX), declared on August 25, 2017 and continuing.

Our request for the Community Disaster Loan Program Fund meets the deadlines under C.F.R. §206.40 (c) and (d).

Thank you for your prompt assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

W. Nim Kidd, MPA, CEM, TEM

Governor's Authorized Representative DR-4332-TX

Chief, Texas Division of Emergency Management

Assistant Director, Texas Department of Public Safety

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