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SCDRO HOUSING AND AWARD LETTERS FOR OCTOBER 2015 STORM

Columbia, S.C., May 17, 2017 – The South Carolina Disaster Recovery Office (SCDRO) is pleased to announce the placement of 125 families in new or renovated homes and the release of 338 award letters for the repair or replacement of homes affected by the October 2015 Storm.

Families receiving new housing completed the application and award process through SCDRO. Their previous homes were severely damaged by the October 2015 Storm. Award letters notify citizens that they have been accepted into the program and list the next steps for the citizen to move forward. It is up to the citizen to decide if he or she will participate in the program.

SCDRO protects the personal information of citizens and will release only the county and zip code for households served by the program. Households in the following areas are the latest to receive award letters:

The goal of SCDRO is to serve as many citizens as possible. SCDRO intends to repair or replace approximately 1,500 homes affected by the October 2015 Storm. The program is designed to assist Low to Moderate income households and serve South Carolina's most vulnerable population. The highest priority is given to households with documented damage, households with persons who are 65 years old or older, persons with documented disabilities, or households with children five years old or younger.

In compliance with The South Carolina Family Privacy Protection Act of 2002 (S.C. Code Ann. § 30-2-10, *et seq.*) and Personal Identifying Information Privacy Protection, (S.C. Code Ann. § 30-2-310, *et seq.*), SCDRO protects applicants' personally identifiable information. SCDRO continues to implement housing recovery from the October 2015 Storm.

For more information, visit the SCDRO website at www.scdr.sc.gov.



					Preliminarily Eligible*			Priority 1s					
		Applications Started	Intake Complete	Not Eligible/ Inactive	Priority 1	Priority 2	All	One Knocks Scheduled	One Knocks Complete	Award Letters	Construction In Process	Key Turnovers	Construction Complete Funds
MID Counties	Charleston	223	216	21	61	52	139	50	49	19	10	1	\$14,778.76
	Clarendon	339	317	30	95	99	220	52	52	29	6	14	\$730,880.72
	Dorchester	159	156	18	44	40	102	27	26	10	5	2	\$121,425.76
	Florence	218	214	27	73	58	155	48	47	17	5	5	\$268,801.10
	Georgetown	316	302	31	113	87	224	85	84	29	8	12	\$463,429.15
	Horry	295	270	19	83	55	171	48	44	15	3	4	\$242,046.54
	Sumter	304	292	36	104	87	223	86	80	43	2	23	\$996,033.82
	Williamsburg	961	920	88	338	231	657	185	185	80	21	33	\$1,752,909.16
	Total	2,815	2,687	270	911	709	1,891	581	567	242	60	94	\$4,590,305.01
	NMID Counties	Bamberg	12	12	2	4	3	8	4	4	0	0	0
Berkeley		313	307	36	127	65	215	82	69	15	6	2	\$120,591.43
Calhoun		21	20	3	7	4	14	6	6	3	1	0	\$0.00
Colleton		66	66	6	20	22	50	14	14	6	1	2	\$126,016.36
Darlington		151	146	26	44	48	102	31	31	7	1	1	\$61,964.74
Fairfield		6	6	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00
Greenwood		15	15	2	2	7	12	2	2	1	1	0	\$0.00
Kershaw		13	13	1	3	1	10	1	1	1	1	0	\$0.00
Lee		88	84	12	26	26	63	19	19	10	1	3	\$178,521.57
Marion		123	121	22	36	39	87	25	25	4	2	1	\$62,416.35
Newberry		24	24	2	10	8	19	8	8	1	0	0	\$0.00
Orangeburg		175	170	32	50	39	107	33	32	15	3	7	\$417,155.91
Spartanburg		8	8	2	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00
Total		1,015	992	147	330	265	695	225	211	63	17	16	\$966,666.36
Grand Total	3,830	3,679	417	1,241	974	2,586	806	778	305	77	110	\$5,556,971.37	

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