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LOUISIANA OFFICE OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION

STATE OF LOUISIANA ACTION PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 2 (NON-SUBSTANTIAL) FOR THE UTILIZATION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT MITIGATION FUNDS (CDBG-MIT)

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A. SUMMARY OF CHANGES

The purpose of Action Plan Amendment 2 is to add region 9 as a watershed region for LWI management purposes. In adopting provisional watershed regions, the Council on Watershed Management has considered this existing complex topography and the LWI has created a framework for parishes to coordinate within watershed regions where they have overlapping watersheds or have a shared risk. These regions aggregate HUC8-level watersheds into nine watershed regions for LWI management purposes.

To clarify, Region 9 is being created from one HUC8 watershed that is currently located within Region 7, and that HUC 8 watershed will be removed from Region 7. Figure 1. shows an updated graphic of the nine regions that will fall under LWI management.

Per the state's Master Action Plan, Section IX(F), this APA is considered non-substantial as it does not add a CDBG-MIT Covered Project, change the benefit or eligibility criteria, add or delete an activity, reallocate more than \$25 million dollars or include a change constituting more than 25 percent of a program's budget.

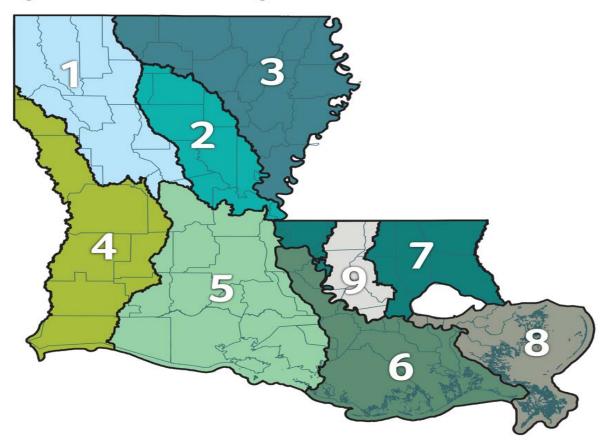


Figure 1. LWI Provisional Watershed Regions



B. TOTAL CDBG-MIT ALLOCATION

CDBG-MIT Program Budget							
	Previous Allocation		Change		Revised Allocation		Percent Change
Local and Regional Watershed Projects and Programs	\$	570,666,243	\$	0	\$	570,666,243	
State Projects and Programs							
State Infrastructure and Housing	\$	297,757,590			\$	297,757,590	
State Economic Development and Resilience	\$	15,000,000	\$	0	\$	15,000,000	
Non-Federal Cost Share Assistance	\$	111,988,107	\$	0	\$	111,988,107	
Watershed Monitoring, Mapping, and Modeling	\$	145,670,040	\$	0	\$	145,670,040	
Watershed Policy, Planning, and Local Capacity Assistance	\$	24,278,340	\$	0	\$	24,278,340	
Administrative Costs	\$	48,556,680	\$	0	\$	48,556,680	
Total Allocation	\$	1,213,917,000	\$	-	\$	1,213,917,000	0%