

Public Notice
on the behalf of
Brown Township, Malvern, Ohio 44644

Brown Township located in Carroll County, Ohio, in conjunction with the Ohio Emergency Management Agency (OEMA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has applied for a Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program project. This grant is in direct relationship to the earmarked funds designated by Congressman Zack Space. The project is for flood mitigation including the complete acquisition, demolition, and rendering land to green space for up to ten properties. This number was derived directly from the amount of the earmarked money and estimated costs to complete three primary property acquisitions. Seven alternate properties have been included in the project application in the event funding is available. The project area is commonly known and referred to as "Malwayne Acres" .

Under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), EO 11988 and EO 11990, public notice is required of any federal actions that affect floodplains or wetlands. All necessary permits will be obtained prior to construction and completion of the project.

The objectives of the Pre-Hazard Mitigation Grant Program are to prevent future loss of lives and property, to implement state or local Hazard Mitigation plans, to enable mitigation measures to be implemented during immediate recovery from disaster, and to provide funding for identified and approved hazard mitigation projects.

Public participation is encouraged. Interested parties and / or citizens are invited to comment on the project to:

Amanda Ratliff, Regional Environment Officer
FEMA Region V
536 South Clark Street, 6th Floor
Chicago, Il 60605

Or comments may be directed via e-mail to Ms. Ratliff at: ammand.ratliff@dhs.gov