

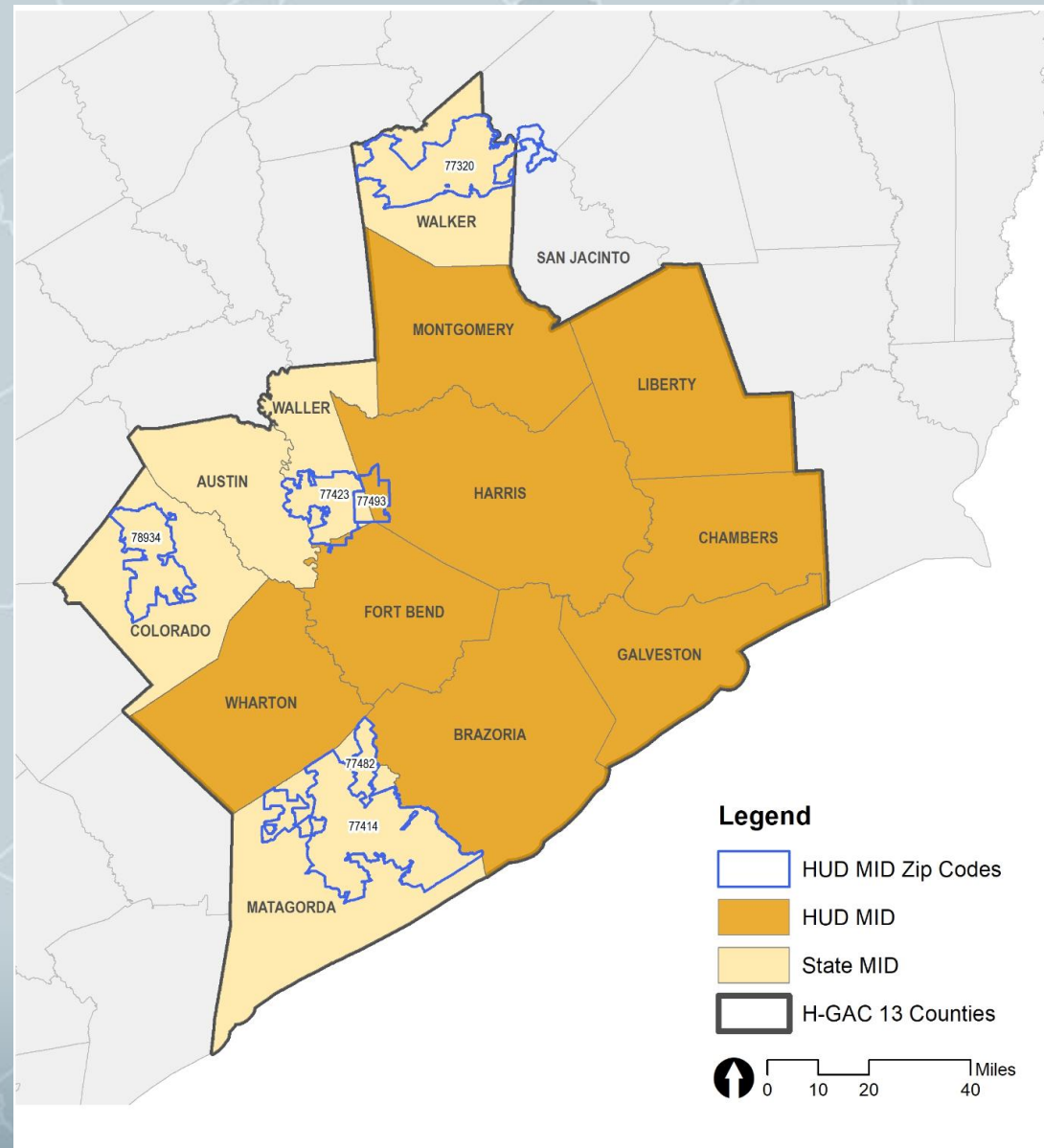
Regional Mitigation Program Method of Distribution

**H-GAC Regional Flood Management
Committee**

October 20, 2021

Overview

- Formula to allocate \$488,762,000 to HUD and State Most Impacted areas
- Harris County to receive direct award of \$750 million, will develop its own Method of Distribution
- Funding is for mitigation, not tied to individual disaster damage
- H-GAC will have six months to develop Method of Distribution after contract with Texas General Land Office is executed



Formula Considerations

- Consistent, publicly-available data to represent local mitigation needs
- Straightforward formula
- Reasonable base allocation amounts
- Minimum jurisdiction allocation \$1,000,000
 - Cities with allocations <\$1,000,000 rolled up into county totals

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Other Policy Considerations

- Base allocation amounts; considering \$3 million for HUD most impacted counties, \$2 million for State most impacted counties
- Include allocations for Harris County and the cities within?
- Set aside amount for multi-jurisdictional and urgent need projects?
- Determine eligible activities

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Tentative Timeline

Late 2021 - Early 2022

- Public Planning Meetings

Early 2022

- Draft Method of Distribution (MOD) released for Public Comment, Public Hearing
- H-GAC refines, approves Final MOD
- Local Funding Acknowledgement
- Adjusted Final MOD approved by GLO

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Opportunities for Input and Information

- Home Rule Cities <25,000 Virtual Workshop 11/09/21, 9:00-10:30 a.m.
- Public Planning Meetings
- Written Comments and Public Hearings
- Individual Briefings
- Attend H-GAC Water Resources Committee meetings (2nd Wednesdays, 2:00-3:00 p.m.)
- Attend H-GAC Board of Directors meetings (3rd Tuesdays, beginning 10:00 a.m.)

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