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March 16, 2009

Mr. Chuck Chaffins, Federal Public Assistance Officer  
Disaster Assistance  
FEMA Region VII  
9221 Ward Pkwy, Suite 300  
Kansas City, MO 64114-3372

RE: Permanent Relocation  
DR-1763-IA  
Applicant: Waverly-Shell Rock Schools  
PA ID #: 017-00C66-00  
PW # 4318

Dear Mr. Chaffins:

The State of Iowa is approving and forwarding this request to FEMA in accordance with Title 44 CFR 206.226(g) which authorizes the Regional Director to approve funding for and require restoration of a destroyed facility at a new location.

The State certifies that the current facility at its current location is and will be subject to repetitive heavy damage; that the approval is not barred by other provisions of Title 44 CFR; and that the overall project, including all costs, is cost effective.

In accordance with 44 CFR 206.226, the above referenced applicant is requesting the permanent relocation of the facility to a site outside of the identified Special Flood Hazard Area, for the above referenced Project Worksheet.

The State has validated the analysis of estimated damages for the facility and concurs that the facility is damaged in excess of 50% of the replacement cost.

This correspondence specifically requests that FEMA execute a Project Worksheet (PW) version for a permanent relocation of the referenced facility, in accordance with the provision specifying eligible costs included in Permanent Relocation Fact Sheet 9580.102 .

Sincerely,



Dennis T. Harper  
State Public Assistance Officer

Enclosures