

PLAQUEMINES PARISH, LA PROGRAM MANAGEMENT FEMA HMA WITH HUD CDBG-DR MATCH INFRASTRUCTURE AND HOUSING

Project Summary

Delivering on commitments. Building long-term relationships.



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Plaquemines Parish

PROJECT TIMELINE

November 2012 - Present

PROGRAM VALUE

\$74.6 million FEMA HMA

SERVICES

- Construction Management
- HMA Grant Management
- Program Management

OVERVIEW

FEMA awarded Plaquemines Parish an HMA grant to implement successful hazard mitigation measures for critical infrastructure and homes affected by Hurricanes Katrina, Gustav, Ike, and Isaac. HGA has been providing management services to support program implementation and execution of the Parish's HMA-funded projects.

216 Home Elevations | **7** Home Reconstructions | **5** Infrastructure Projects



ELEVATED HOME



RELOCATION



ROAD REPAIRS

SOLUTION

HGA has successfully navigated the unique challenges of executing residential elevation and reconstruction projects in Plaquemines Parish, such as negative ground elevations in more than 50% of the Parish; required elevation heights of 22 feet in VE and AE flood zones; and structures that are only accessible by water.

HGA works to ensure that the Parish's priorities are met, regardless of the challenges, through eligible and compliant hazard mitigation measures. HMA-funded projects in Plaquemines Parish currently managed by HGA include a critical facility wind retrofit, facility hardening, drainage improvements, pump and levee upgrades, road improvement, residential reconstructions, and residential elevations. One of more unique projects managed by HGA was the hardening and elevation of 6.5 miles of roadway to ensure that the only local evacuation route would remain accessible to traffic during high-water events, so that residents could evacuate safely.