

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Madison County, in conjunction with the Alabama Emergency Management Agency, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has applied for a Pre-Disaster Mitigation grant for the construction of one community safe room at Owens Cross Roads Town Hall, located at 9032 Highway 431 S, Owens Cross Roads, AL 35763 (Latitude 34.5842873, Longitude -86.451357).

The Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) program makes available Federal funds to State, Local and Tribal Governments to implement and sustain cost-effective measures designed to reduce the risk to individuals and property from natural hazards, while also reducing reliance on Federal funding from future disasters. The PDM program strengthens national preparedness and resilience and supports the mitigation mission area in the National Preparedness System and National Preparedness Goal. This funding is implemented under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (Stafford Act), as amended (Pub. L. No. 93-288) (42 U.S.C. § 5133).

Any individual, group, or agency disagreeing with the proposed projects and is wishing to comment on these projects may submit written comments to FEMA Regional Environmental Officer, Attn: S. Madson, 3003 Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta, GA 30341. All comments received by July 18, 2018, to be considered by the FEMA REO.