

May 4, 2012

The Honorable Joseph I. Lieberman Chairman Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510-6250

The Honorable Thomas R. Carper Chairman Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management The Honorable Susan Collins Ranking Member Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510-6250

The Honorable Scott P. Brown Ranking Member Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management

Dear Chairman Lieberman, Ranking Member Collins, Chairman Carper and Ranking Member Brown:

Thank you for your April 23, 2012 letter to Administrator Fugate regarding reporting requirements contained within P.L. 111-271, the Redundancy Elimination and Enhanced Performance for Preparedness Grants Act.

In late 2010, the Federal Emergency Management Agency contracted with the National Academy of Public Administration (NAPA) to develop recommendations on performance metrics with respect to measuring the impact of certain homeland security grants. The attached "Report on the Grants Program Measurement Study" is our report to Congress describing the findings and recommendations of NAPA's performance metrics study

We appreciate your efforts and thank you for your continued support. Please have a member of your staff contact FEMA's Congressional Affairs Division at (202) 646-4500 should you have questions.

Sincerely,

Pamela Williams, Acting Director Congressional Affairs Division

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