

SR2 PUBLIC COMMENTS TRACKING

Source	Number	Date	Name(s)	Entity	Comment	PRDOH Response
	E001	6/15/2021	Hon. Ismael Rodríguez Ramos Hon. Raúl Rivera Rodríguez Hon. Luis Irizarry Pabón Hon. Ángel Torres Ortiz	Government	Increase eligible activities to include the construction of homes for relocated families.	Greetings. Because of the complex process and the high costs of relocating housing units, it has been determined that it will be carried out through the Mitigation Program. Your comment will be referred for higher analysis.
	E002	6/15/2021	Hon. Ismael Rodríguez Ramos Hon. Raúl Rivera Rodríguez Hon. Luis Irizarry Pabón Hon. Ángel Torres Ortiz	Government	Redistribution of funds.	The Puerto Rico Department of Housing assigned the funds in accordance with the level of damage caused by the earthquakes. Increasing the funds of one municipality would mean reducing the funds of another affecting its recovery. That determination must be taken in agreement with all the majors.
	E003	6/15/2021	Hon. Ismael Rodríguez Ramos Hon. Raúl Rivera Rodríguez Hon. Luis Irizarry Pabón Hon. Ángel Torres Ortiz	Government	Request to attend the impact to families with needs because of issues related to house deeds.	The Puerto Rico Department of Housing distributed the funds between the four municipalities identified in the Federal Register (86 FR 569) as Most Impacted and Distressed (MID) based on the level of damage caused by the earthquakes. Because of the limited amount of funds, increasing the amount of money granted to one municipality, reduces the amount granted to another affecting its recovery.
	E004	6/15/2021	Hon. Ismael Rodríguez Ramos Hon. Raúl Rivera Rodríguez Hon. Luis Irizarry Pabón Hon. Ángel Torres Ortiz	Government	CDBG-MIT Program "waiver".	At the moment waivers are not being considered for the MIT programs. Your comment will be referred for higher analysis.
	E005	7/10/2021	Angélica Pacheco	Individual	Good afternoon. My name is Angelica Pacheco, I'm interested in obtaining information that will help me in the reconstruction of my home after the earthquake in February 2020. I'm currently living in the United States because at the moment I did not find any residence and decided to live with a family member in USA but I want to fix my home. Thank you.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).
	E006	7/10/2021	Milagros Jusino	Individual	My name is Milagros Jusino from Guayanilla I lost my house with the earthquake and today I still have not been able to build it. You can call me at tel. 787 313 8252. Any help that you offer will be appreciated. Thank you. I expect your call.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).

Email	E007	7/12/2021	Diana Rivera	Individual	I read the action plan and I would like for you to clarify if only people under 80% of the poverty rate qualify. If so, can you provide the table? If we are a family of 5 with a anual income of \$44,940, then I dont qualify? I then propose that a incentive be given in accordance with income for my house was demolished and there is not any option available to aid me in the reconstruction. The bank took all the money that the insurance gave, FEMA \$0.00. CDBG to take another morgage with a \$25,000 incentive either because I already had recieved aid from FHA y the construction loans require a lot of money at hand for approval. This sitaution is truely maddening, I'm not asking the government to give or build me a house, just an aid for a new begining.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).
	E008	7/12/2021	Edgardo Mercado	Individual	Hi, I'm from Ponce. The house is my mother's, Ana Hernandez. The house suffered some damage. Their are cracks on some walls. Some of them are breaking little by little. Crackas on the ceiling. My mother in incapacitated. Phone number is 939 217 0923 Urb. Valle Alto Calle Llanura #1771 Ponce Puerto Rico	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.
	E009	12/7/2021	Isabel Castro	Individual	To whom it may concern. Greetings, my name is Isabel Castro Santiago. This is because I'm interested, if possible, that you provide me more information to apply for aid for my property located in Bo. Barinas, Yauco which was affected during the earthquakes. It was inspected and declared restrained. To this day, it is still affected and through communication medias in the country is was published that help was going to be offered to those of us who were sadly affected like my home. My contact number is 939-218-5420 and my email is isabelcs616@yahoo.com. Please I hope you can offer me help so I can have a better quality of life in my home and for it to be a safe place for me and, overall, for my family. Attached is a copy os the inspection of the house that was restrained, to this day the damages sadly have increased and the risk is higher. I expect you to communicate with me soon.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).
	E010	16/7/2021	Neida Cordero	Individual	Good morning, I'm Neida E. Cordero I live in the Sector Guaypao of Bo. Ensenada of Guanica. My house suffered damages with the earthquakes, FEMA denied my request for aid. I read thet you have a program to help people throughout the municipality. I would like information.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.
	E011	20/7/2021	JD	Individual	Good day, I would like to have information regarding the fund or aid for repairs or materials for rehabilitation.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.

	E012	20/7/2021	Moraima Hernandez	Individual	I am the owner of a property in Guanica and I would like to receive information about the aid for affected homes by the earthquakes in Guanica.Thank you.	Greetings. For more information visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).
	E013	23/7/2021	Kissy Ortiz	Individual	Good afternoon. I want information about the aid for people affected by the earthquakes in the Guayanilla area. How can apply and what are the steps to follow.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the corresponding municipality.
	W001	7/8/2021	Diana Rivera	Individual	On my part I don't expect that you build me a house but for the aids to be more accessible. In my case I didn't receive aid from FEMA, the insurance covered the mortgage, the municipality demolished the structure. But... they don't give me mortgages because HUD had already helped me with the first residence, I don't qualify for the \$25,000 aid, the CDBG and R3 funds are for those affected by the hurricane, if I ask for a loan for construction, they ask me for a 20% of the value of the loan plus closing expenses. Then who can help us	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the corresponding municipality.
	W002	7/9/2021	Venus M. Navarro	Individual	Greetings. We are interested in knowing how to access the funds for reconstruction for damages caused by the earthquake. Thank you for your help.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the corresponding municipality.
	W003	7/10/2021	Melanie Martinez	Individual	I hope that the program provides help for the families whose insurance covered their mortgage but were left with \$0.00 to rebuild their home.	Thank you for your comment.
	W004	12/7/2021	Ana Esther Salcedo	Individual	I live in the Ensenada sector in the municipality of Guanica, my house was affected by the earthquakes and I was forced to demolish it. I need help to build a new residence. I have all the necessary evidence if required. I hope you can help me. Thank you.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the corresponding municipality.

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W005	7/14/2021	Lydia Martínez	Community	<p>The A Lluveras community in Yauco suffered damages caused by the earthquakes on January 7, 2020. Currently there are houses completely collapsed, inspected by the municipality with red stamps of insecure/collapsed for which, to this day July 14, 2021, have not been helped like they mentioned they would. At the moment, the aid has not been recieved from the funds for the disaster and there are many citizens that are elderly over 60 without a home. We ask through theis media that you help us. Thank you.</p>	Thank you for your comment.
W006	7/14/2021	Lydia Martínez	Individual	<p>Greetings. I was reading about the CDBG-DR Action Plan for the 2020 earthquakes. I am an elderly person and my home collapsed with the earthquake. I looked for help in the municipality, spoke directy with the mayor and did not recieve any although I must say they have visited several times to inspect and to "start with the demolition process". With FEMA I was not able to obtain any aid because I had insurance but not with the value of the house so it does not cover the demolition</p>	<p>Greetings. Yes, you can apply but the Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program.</p>
W007	7/20/2021	Jorge Luis Pabon Arroyo	Community	<p>Greetings, I want to know if the aid for home repairs is still available. Thank you.</p>	<p>Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.</p>
W008	7/20/2021	Jorge Luis Pabon Arroyo	Community	<p>Greetings, I want to know if the aid for home repairs is still available. Thank you.</p>	<p>Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Departmen of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.</p>
W009	7/23/2021	Kissy Ortiz	Community	<p>Parts of the ceiling are falling and the homes were affected. The property has cracks and you can see from one room to another because the walls were affected. The house is not inhabited for security and structural reasons.</p>	Thank you for your comment.
W010	7/27/2021	Glorimary Arregui	Community	<p>I would like to know why was the town of Peñuelas not considered in the Action Plan being one of the most affected by the earthquakes, it was even the epicenter of much of the earthquakes. Much of them wer in Tallaboa which is located in the town of Peñuelas.</p>	<p>Around 35 municipalities were affected by the telluric events of 2019 and 2020. Puerto Rico was assigned \$36,424,000 to aid in the recovery of the DR-4473-PR disaster. In accordance with the Federal Register 86 FR 569, the municipalities of Guanica, Yauco, Guayanilla and Ponce were identified as the Most Impacted and Distressed (MID). The federal agency demanded that we give priority y assign at least \$29,139,200 (80%) of the funds to these four municipalities which leaves \$7,248,800 for distribution among the other 31 municipalities meaning \$234,993.55 per municipality. This ammount is to low to execute the program.</p>

	W011	7/28/2021	Edgard Melendez Rosaio	Community	I suffered damages in my property during the last earthquakes and would like to know how you can help.	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).
	W012	7/30/2021	Adriadna M Godreau Aubert	NGO	https://vivienda-my.sharepoint.com/:b:/g/personal/cguzman_vivienda_pr_gov/ERM9vwSYCs9OhSdbOHqPanYBc8crwdcOMN-QqobbqSt-TGw	Thank you for your comment.
	W013	7/30/2021	Elba Iris Torraca Reyes	Community	Repairs to the collums affected by the past earthquakes.	Thank you for your comment.
Mail	P001	7/19/2021	Carmen Casiano Acosta	Individual	To whom it may concern. My name is Carmen Casiano Acosta and I live in Ensenada. I am 73 years old and I live with my social security and food stamps. The purpose of this letter is because I understand that their is financial aid for the victims of the earthquakes. Mi house was highly damaged and my fear is that it will collaps while I sleep. The earthquakes have not stopped and everytime on occurs my foundation is being affected and its daily. The house stairs are in the verge of collapsing. I had applied to FEMA but was denied. Being an elderly woman alone and with scarce resouces I ask to be considered for the aid. Thank you for your attention and I hope that you can help me. Carmen Casiano Acosta	Greetings. The Action Plan for the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Program (SR2) is currently under the approval process by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When approved, the municipalities of Guanica, Guayanilla, Ponce and Yauco will receive the funds to execute the SR2 program. Your comment will be referred to the correspondant municipality.
	P002	7/22/2021	Nelly Gonzalez Arroyo	Individual	CDBG-DR Program Puerto Rico. My name is Nelly Gonzalez Arroyo and I live in Urb. Las Delicias Calle Alejandro Orduñez #554 in Ponce. Desde los huracanes y temblores ocurridos, my residence has deteriorated. We dont have the necessary economic resources to fix it. I have my husband unable to walk and I am afraid that other hurricanes or earthquakes come and the residence collapses. Is because of this that I which to have recieve information about this program to know how can you provide the necessary help. My worry is that the residence collapses y we get a desastreous ending. Thank you. 787 432-2768 Nelly Gonzalez Arroyo	Greetings. For more informatio visit the CDBG-DR webpage (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/) or the Seismic Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Action plan (https://cdbg-dr.pr.gov/en/seismic-home-rehabilitation-and-reconstruction-action-plan/).