

FINAL PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Princeville received Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) grant funding through the FEMA Public Assistance Program to raze (demolish) and reconstruct the Senior Center destroyed in Hurricane Matthew (2016).

Under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), federal actions must be reviewed and evaluated for feasible alternatives and for social, economic, historic, environmental, legal, and safety considerations. Under Executive Order (EO) 11988 and EO 11990, FEMA is required to consider alternatives to and to provide a public notice of any proposed actions in or affecting floodplains or wetlands. EO 12898 also requires FEMA to provide the opportunity for public participation in the planning process and to consider potential impacts to minority and low-income populations. This notice shall also fulfill requirements under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA).

Funding for the proposed project is conditional upon compliance with all applicable federal, tribal, state, and local laws, regulations, floodplain standards, permit requirements and conditions.

Applicant: TOWN OF PRINCEVILLE

Project Title: Town of Princeville Senior Center Project

Location of Proposed Work:

Name of Structure: Town of Princeville Senior Center

Address of Structure: 214 South Main St (64 Alt East), Tarboro (Princeville), NC 27886

Facility	Address	Latitude	Longitude	Date of Construction
Princeville Senior Center	214 South Main St Tarboro, NC 27886	35° 53' 18" N	77° 31' 50"	Summer 2020

Special Flood Hazard Area Zone: Behind a levee.

Proposed Work and Purpose:

The Town of Princeville is requesting funds to demolish the senior center building damaged in 2016 during Hurricane Matthew and replace the structure with an ADA accessible building. The replacement structure was designed by Oakley Collier Architects to comply with all modern building, life-safety, and fire State and local codes and standards. The purpose of this project is to replace the Town of Princeville's Senior Center.

Project Alternatives:

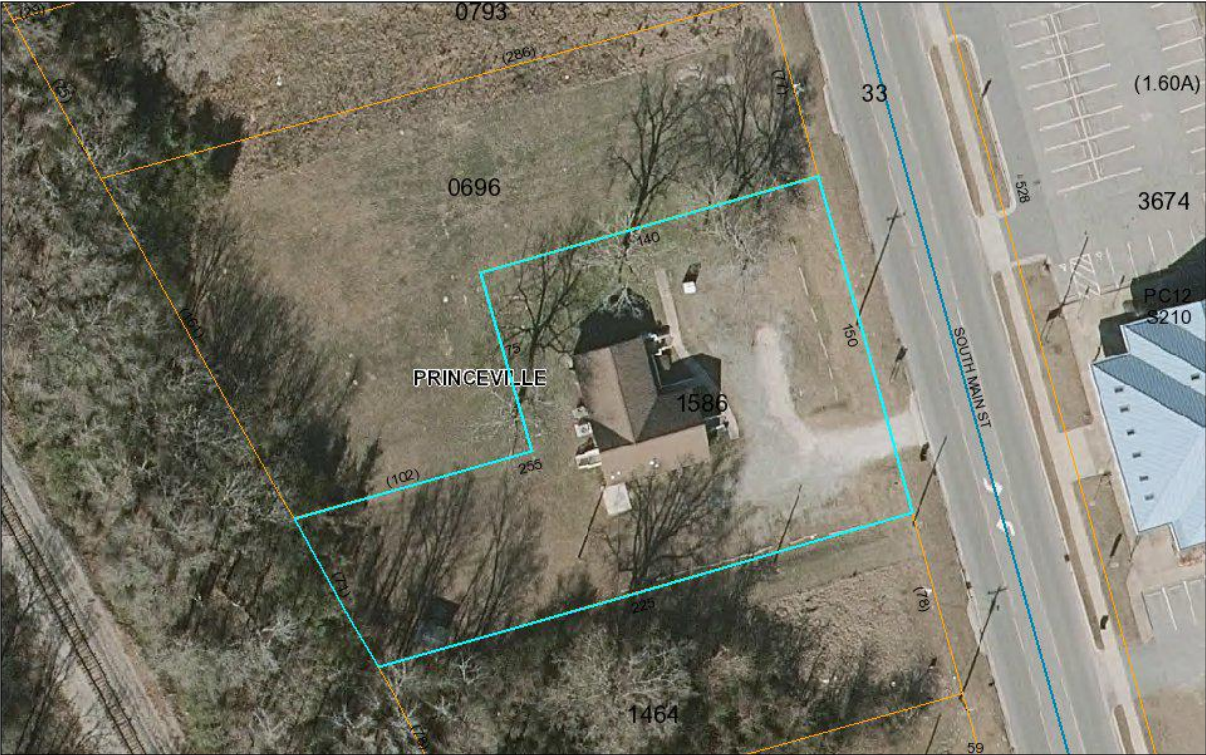
Alternative #1 (no action): If no action is taken to rebuild the senior center building the aged population of the Town of Princeville will have no place to recreate, socialize, and participate in nutritional programs resulting in direct detrimental health and welfare impacts to the senior population of the town and the surrounding community.

Comment Period:

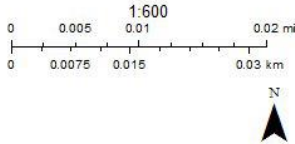
Comments are solicited from the public, local, state or federal agencies, and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of the proposed project. The comments should be made in writing and addressed to the Town of Princeville, Attn: *Senior Center Comment*. All comments are due within 15 days of this notice. The Town of Princeville will forward comments to applicable regulatory agencies as needed.

Interested persons may submit comments, obtain more detailed information about the proposed action, or request a copy of the findings by contacting: U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency – Region IV - EHP, 3003 Chamblee Tucker Rd – Office #255, Atlanta, GA 30341-4112 or by email at FEMA-R4EHP@fema.dhs.gov. Please include in the subject line of the email “Town of Princeville Senior Center.” Comments should be sent in writing at the above address within 15 days of the date of this notice.

Princeville Senior Center



June 3, 2020



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End of Notice