Hurricane Matthew FEMA Cost Recovery

• New Hanover County qualified for several categories of FEMA cost recovery following Hurricane Matthew.

• UNCW incurred significant expenses during Hurricane Matthew to qualify for FEMA reimbursement.

• While UNCW maintains insurance policies, FEMA will reimburse many expenses not eligible, including deductibles.

• Staff have finalized submittal of cost recovery documentation requesting $200,786.81.

• Eligible expenses submitted include overtime, contractor expenses for debris and major repairs, and materials.

• The University will not receive this full amount due to a cost match required, similar to an insurance deductible.

• The Resolution Designation of Applicant’s Agent is a document required for us to submit in order to receive reimbursement.
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**ACTION ITEM:**

BE IT RESOLVED BY the governing body of The University of North Carolina at Wilmington (a public entity duly organized under the laws of the State of North Carolina) that the Primary Agent Rick Whitfield, Vice Chancellor for Business Affairs, and the Secondary Agent Eric Griffin, Assistant Director of Environmental Health and Safety, are hereby authorized to execute and file applications for federal and/or state assistance on behalf of The University of North Carolina at Wilmington for the purpose of obtaining certain state and federal financial assistance under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief & Emergency Assistance Act (Public Law 93-288, as amended) or as otherwise available.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the above-named agents are authorized to represent and act for The University of North Carolina at Wilmington in all dealings with the State of North Carolina and the Federal Emergency Management Agency for all matters pertaining to such disaster assistance required by the grant agreements and the assurances printed on the reverse side hereof.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED THAT the above-named agents are authorized to act severally. PASSED AND APPROVED this _______ day of January, 2017.
Questions