

June 21, 2018

MEMORANDUM FOR: Dennis Alvord

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Regional Affairs

Economic Development Administration

Carol M. Rice

FROM: Carol Rice

Assistant Inspector General for Audit and Evaluation

SUBJECT: Audit of EDA's Disaster Relief Workforce Planning

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We are initiating an audit of the EDA workforce planning process for awarding and administering the Disaster Supplement funds appropriated by the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018. Our objective is to determine whether EDA's workforce planning process for awarding and administering the Disaster Supplemental funds is adequate and effective.

An entrance conference is scheduled for June 27, 2018, when we will further discuss our objective. If you have any questions, please call me at (202) 482-6020 or Susan Aggen, Director at the Atlanta Regional Office, at (404) 730-2063.

cc Deborah Haynes, Audit Liaison, EDA