**Nancy Durham, MURP, CFM**

Ms. Nancy Durham has over eleven years of experience in community planning. Since June of 2015, she serves as the Flood Plain Administrator for Fairbanks North Star Borough (Borough). Her responsibilities include all aspects of flood plain management and overseeing flood map revisions and Cooperative Technical Partnership Grants, which she secures. Ms. Durham is intimately familiar with flood planning disaster management after her personal and professional experience with Hurricane Katrina in 2005. She worked tirelessly and selflessly to help property owners that were impacted while she herself briefly faced homelessness. During the recovery and rebuild efforts she served as essential personnel for one year and worked closely with the Chief of Staff’s office to provide needed information to make the best decisions for the community. In addition to her current position with the Borough, Ms. Durham is actively involved with the Emergency Operation Center Team for disaster recovery. Ms. Durham has been instrumental in providing outreach and education services to bring awareness to the importance of floodplain management in Slidell, Louisiana and the Borough. Ms. Durham is committed to finding mitigation solutions for the prevention of potential flooding within the Borough. Ms. Durham holds a Master’s Degree in Urban and Regional Planning from the University of New Orleans; has been in good standing with the Association of State Floodplain Managers and Certified Floodplain Managers since 2009 and engages in continuing education and personal development to stay compliant with the latest policies and trends.

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