**265**—**42.8(16) Matching requirement.** Each subrecipient of ESG program funds must match the grant amount with an equal amount. In calculating the amount of matching funds, the following may be included: the value of any donated material or building used in the project, the value of any lease on a building used in the project, any salary paid to staff of the subrecipient or to any state subrecipient in carrying out the ESG program, and the time and services contributed by volunteers at the rate of \$5 per hour. For purposes of this rule, IFA will determine the value of any donated material or building, or any lease, using any method reasonably calculated to establish fair market value. IFA may allow an exemption of matching funds up to a maximum of \$100,000 of the state allocation received from HUD for the subrecipients least capable of providing such matching amounts. The subrecipient must document its need to participate in this exemption from matching requirements and must receive prior approval from IFA before the exemption will be effective.

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