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Kathryn Humphrey has been with FEMA since 1996, and is currently the Division Director of Response and Recovery in Region II serving New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. The Division coordinates Federal and voluntary agency support to individuals, states and local governments providing emergency management assistance when disasters occur. Ms. Humphrey previously served as the region's Recovery and Technical Hazards Branch Chief as well as Regional Environmental Officer.

Kathryn has also served, on special assignment, as the New York Public Assistance Officer for the New York WTC Attack Disaster administering federal assistance funds of more than \$970 million. Earlier this year Ms. Humphrey received the Federal Executive Board, Federal Employee of the Year - Teamwork Award for Excellence, for her work on the disaster. In addition, she has worked for the U.S. Department of Energy, divisions of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, and Defense Programs, and has had experience in automotive and electronics manufacturing, and facilities management at Sandia National Laboratory.

Ms. Humphrey holds an Aerospace Engineering degree from the University of Michigan.