

  
**State of Iowa**  
**Executive Department**

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

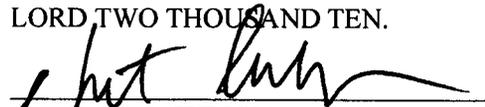
**PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY**

- WHEREAS,** ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2009 AND CONTINUING THROUGH TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2010, SEVERE WINTER SNOW STORMS MOVED ACROSS PORTIONS OF IOWA; AND
- WHEREAS,** THESE STORM SYSTEMS PRODUCED SNOW AND BLIZZARD CONDITIONS AND FREEZING RAIN WHICH CAUSED HEAVY ICE ACCUMULATIONS, RESULTING IN PROLONGED POWER OUTAGES AND RELATED IMPACTS TO PRIVATE AND PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE; AND
- WHEREAS,** LOCAL OFFICIALS AND RESIDENTS IMPACTED BY THIS SEVERE WEATHER NEED ASSISTANCE TO DEAL WITH THE IMPACTS OF THESE STORMS INCLUDING DEBRIS REMOVAL FROM DAMAGED STRUCTURES AND TREES; AND
- WHEREAS,** SURVEYS AND REPORTS FORWARDED BY LOCAL OFFICIALS INDICATE THAT STATE ASSISTANCE WILL BE NEEDED TO RESPOND TO AND RECOVER FROM THE EFFECTS OF THESE STORMS; AND
- WHEREAS,** ON FEBRUARY 8, 2010 I ISSUED MY PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER FOR ADAIR, AUDUBON, CALHOUN, CARROLL, CASS, CHEROKEE, CRAWFORD, GUTHRIE, MONONA, MONTGOMERY, SAC, AND SHELBY COUNTIES; AND
- WHEREAS,** ASSISTANCE WILL CONTINUE TO BE NEEDED THROUGH THE STATE INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO MINIMIZE THE HARDSHIP AND RECOVER FROM THE IMPACTS OF THIS STORM:

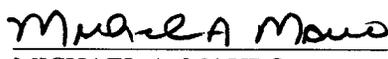
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHESTER J. CULVER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF IOWA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM A STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY TO BE EXTENDED FOR THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES: ADAIR, AUDUBON, CALHOUN, CARROLL, CASS, CHEROKEE, CRAWFORD, GUTHRIE, MONONA, MONTGOMERY, SAC, AND SHELBY UNTIL APRIL 10, 2010. THIS PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY AUTHORIZES STATE GOVERNMENTS TO RENDER GOODS AND SUFFICIENT AID TO ASSIST THOSE AREAS IN THIS TIME OF NEED; AND AUTHORIZES THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STATE INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO ASSIST ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS AND MINIMIZE THEIR HARDSHIP.**



**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERE-UNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES MOINES THIS 11<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND TEN.**

  
CHESTER J. CULVER  
GOVERNOR OF IOWA

ATTEST:

  
MICHAEL A. MAURO  
SECRETARY OF STATE