


State of Iowa
Executive Department

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

PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

- WHEREAS,** ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2010, A SEVERE THUNDERSTORM MOVED ACROSS THE SOUTHEASTERN PORTION OF IOWA; AND
- WHEREAS,** THIS STORM SYSTEM PRODUCED LARGE AMOUNTS OF PRECIPITATION IN A SHORT PERIOD OF TIME CREATING FLASH FLOODING THAT IMPACTED 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; AND
- WHEREAS,** SURVEYS AND REPORTS FORWARDED BY LOCAL OFFICIALS IN DES MOINES COUNTY INDICATE THAT STATE ASSISTANCE WILL BE NEEDED TO RESPOND TO AND RECOVER FROM THE EFFECTS OF THESE STORMS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHESTER J. CULVER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF IOWA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM A STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY FOR DES MOINES COUNTY IN THE STATE OF IOWA, FOR THE AFOREMENTIONED REASONS. 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 GRANT PROGRAM TO ASSIST ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS AND MINIMIZE THEIR HARDSHIP.

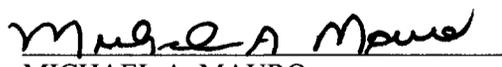


IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERETO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES MOINES THIS 20TH DAY OF MAY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND TEN.



CHESTER J. CULVER
GOVERNOR OF IOWA

ATTEST:


MICHAEL A. MAURO
SECRETARY OF STATE