Proclamation of Disaster Emergency

Whereas, on Friday, July 30, 2010 and continuing, severe storm systems moved across portions of Iowa; and

Whereas, these storm systems spawned severe weather to include flooding, flash flooding and related impacts to private and public property including residences and businesses; 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 Appanoose, Johnson and Washington counties 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 Appanoose, Johnson and Washington counties in the state of Iowa, for the aforementioned reasons. This proclamation of disaster emergency authorizes the implementation of the state individual assistance grant program to assist eligible residents and minimize their hardship.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the great seal of the state of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines this 4th day of August in the year of our Lord two thousand ten.

Chester J. Culver
Governor of Iowa

Attest:

Michael A. Mauro
Secretary of State