

In The Name and By The Authority of The State of Iowa

PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, On Wednesday, May 25, 2011 releases from reservoirs on the

upper Missouri River were increased due to above normal snow in the mountains and extraordinary rain that occurred throughout the

upper Missouri River basin; and

WHEREAS, historic flooding is forecast that will cause significant economic

impacts as well as damage to critical infrastructure and residential

property; and

WHEREAS, predictions from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers indicate that

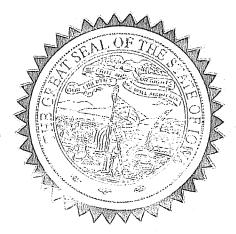
major flooding is imminent, and

WHEREAS. surveys and reports forwarded by local officials in Fremont,

> Harrison, Mills, Monona, Pottawattamie and Woodbury counties indicate that state assistance will be needed to respond to and

recover from the effects of this flood.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Terry E. Branstad, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim a state of disaster emergency for Fremont, Harrison, Mills, Monona, Pottawattamie and Woodbury counties 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.



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, IOWA THIS DAY OF JUNE IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND ELEVEN.

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GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE