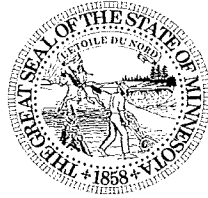


STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT



MARK DAYTON
GOVERNOR

Emergency Executive Order 11-20

Providing Assistance for the State of South Dakota

I, Mark Dayton, Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes, do hereby issue this Executive Order:

Whereas, on Sunday, June 5, 2011, an Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) Interstate Mutual Aid Request for Assistance was received from the State of South Dakota; and

Whereas, hydrologic conditions have caused severe spring flooding throughout South Dakota; and

Whereas, the Corps of Engineer has released water into the Missouri River causing the City of Pierre, SD to hit record flood levels that are currently four feet above the previous record and continuing to rise; and

Whereas, the resources of the affected local, county and state governments have been fully utilized to meet the demands generated by this flooding; and

Whereas, the State of South Dakota has requested assistance from the Minnesota National Guard to support ongoing flood response operations.

Now, Therefore, I hereby order that:

1. The Adjutant General of Minnesota orders to state active duty on or about June 5th 2011, in the service of the State, such personnel, equipment and resources of the military forces of the State as required to provide assistance in responding to the emergency and in providing emergency relief services.

2. The Adjutant General is authorized to purchase, lease or contract goods and services necessary to accomplish the mission.
3. The cost of subsistence, transportation, fuel, pay and allowances of said individuals shall be defrayed from the general fund of the State, as provided for in Minnesota Statutes 2009, Sections 192.49, 192.52 and 192.54.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2009, Section 4.035, Subdivision 2, this Emergency Executive Order shall be effective immediately and will remain in effect until the conclusion of the emergency.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand June 6, 2011.



Mark Dayton
Governor

Filed According to Law:



Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

