EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 30

Providing for a Declaration of Disaster.

I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes, hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, devastating rainfall has occurred in areas of western and southern Minnesota resulting in extensive flooding; and,

WHEREAS, croplands have been rendered untillable in the areas of said flooding; and,

WHEREAS, the resources of local, county, and State governments are committed to the saving and protecting of lives and property; and,

WHEREAS, these conditions have resulted in undue hardship on the people in the areas affected;

NOW, THEREFORE, I do declare a State of Disaster to exist in the Counties of Becker, Big Stone, Blue Earth, Brown, Chippewa, Clearwater, Douglas, Faribault, Grant, Kandiyohi, Iac Qui Parle, Lincoln, Lyon, Otter Tail, Pipestone, Pope, Renville, Stevens, Swift, Traverse, Watonwan, Wilkin, and Yellow Medicine, and do further direct the agencies of the State, in cooperation with appropriate Federal agencies, to provide such aid to stricken areas as provided for under existing State and Federal statutory authority.

I hereby further request Mr. Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States, to assist in securing such Federal assistance as may be available under Public Law 606, 91st Congress.

This Order shall be effective on June 13, 1972.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand on this 13th day of June, 1972.

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