

Emergency

PROCLAMATION

By the Governor

Executive Department
State of Minnesota

Extensive damage has occurred throughout the State of Minnesota, especially in the northwest and southeast portions, as a result of severe rain storms and resultant flooding between June 28 and July 23, 1975. The flooding and subsequent runoff has caused substantial damage to drainage structures, roadbeds and road surfaces on the Federal Systems. The most serious damage has occurred in the Watershed Areas of Red River of the North, Roseau River and Lake of the Woods, encompassing the counties of Becker, Beltrami, Clay, Clearwater, Itasca, Kittson, Lake of the Woods, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, Roseau, Wilkin, and to a lesser degree in the Mississippi Watershed Area comprising the counties of Chisago and Winona.

Damage within these areas has been substantial to public highways and drainage structures and requires immediate repair or reconstruction. Under the terms set forth in Section 125 of Title 23, U.S. Code, such conditions constitute an emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim an emergency to exist within the aforementioned areas of the State of Minnesota as a result of heavy rains and subsequent flooding conditions and consequent damage to the Federal Aid Systems; that the immediate repair and reconstruction of such system roads is vital to the security, well being and health of the citizens of the State of Minnesota; and that the Federal Highway Administrator is hereby requested to concur in the declaration of this emergency.

DONE AT THE CAPITOL IN MINNESOTA

Under the Great Seal of the State

this 28 day of July 1975.

BY THE GOVERNOR

Wendell R. Anderson

ATTEST:

Joan Anderson Grove
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Secretary of State

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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