



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #211

Relating to a Proclamation Declaring a State of Emergency in Response to a Transportation Emergency in Buffalo County, Trempealeau County, and Eau Claire County

WHEREAS, on August 10, 2016 and August 11, 2016, widespread and continuing severe thunderstorms produced torrential rain and extensive flooding, causing damage to roads, bridges, and other highway facilities in Buffalo County, Trempealeau County, and Eau Claire County amounting to a natural disaster; and

WHEREAS, federal-aid highways suffered serious damage from a natural disaster as defined in 23 C.F.R. § 668.103 on August 10, 2016 and August 11, 2016; and

WHEREAS, initial estimates report that the flooding caused approximately 1.8 million dollars in serious damage to federal-aid highways; and

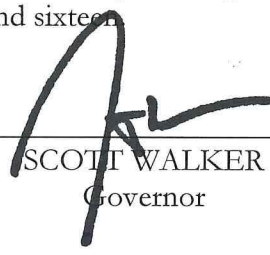
WHEREAS, the communities in Buffalo County, Trempealeau County, and Eau Claire County continue to be impacted by the damaged highways; and

WHEREAS, the immediate repair and reconstruction of the federal aid-highways in Buffalo County, Trempealeau County, and Eau Claire County are vital to the health, welfare, and economic well-being of the citizens of Wisconsin.

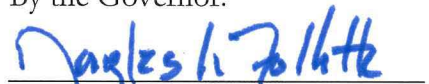
NOW THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of Wisconsin and by section 323.10 of the Wisconsin Statutes and 23 U.S.C. § 125, do hereby declare the damage to roads, bridges, and other highway facilities caused by flooding to be a disaster, and hereby order Buffalo County, Trempealeau County, and Eau Claire County to be in a state of emergency.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this twenty-ninth day of August in the year two thousand sixteen.


SCOTT WALKER
Governor

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State