

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 49

Proclamation of a State of Emergency

WHEREAS, persistent and heavy rains and storms on June 21-22 and June 25, 2002 have caused flooding in central Wisconsin and surrounding areas; and

WHEREAS, local roads and other transportation infrastructure have been damaged and/or rendered impassable; and

WHEREAS, there is extensive damage to local farms and crops, resulting in a dire situation for farmers and agribusiness; and

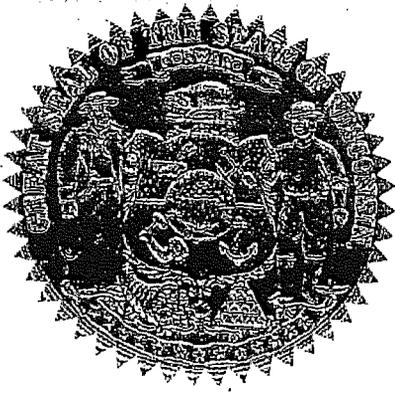
WHEREAS, local and county agencies are responding to the immediate needs of those impacted; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Natural Resources, Wisconsin Emergency Management, Department of Health and Family Services and the Department of Transportation have been instrumental in providing local assistance and gathering flood estimates; and

WHEREAS, it is prudent to take all necessary steps to be able to expedite the delivery of such State resources as requests are received from the appropriate local and county officials;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SCOTT McCALLUM, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of Wisconsin, and specifically by Sections 166.03(1)(b)(1) and 21.11(1) of the Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby:

1. Proclaim that a State of Emergency exists in the counties of Waushara, Adams, Clark, Wood, Portage, Marathon and Marinette; and
2. Direct all state agencies of the State of Wisconsin to assist the above-referenced counties as appropriate in this flood response effort.



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-sixth day of  
June in the year two thousand  
and two

*Scott McCallum*

Scott McCallum  
Governor

By the Governor:

*Douglas La Follette*

Douglas La Follette  
Secretary of State