

EXECUTIVE ORDER # 59

Relating to the Recovery from Natural Disaster

WHEREAS, a State of Emergency was declared in Executive Orders Nos. 54 and 57, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 166.03(1)(b)(1), due to severe thunderstorms and flooding that caused extensive damage in Clark, Columbia, Crawford, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Grant, Green Lake, Jefferson, Kenosha, Ozaukee, Vernon and Winnebago counties; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Emergency Management has requested, pursuant to Wis. Stats. §§ 166.03 (1)(a)(3) and (4), the use of the Wisconsin National Guard of Wisconsin to assist with the ongoing emergency response operations in Green Lake County;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM DOYLE, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Wisconsin, and specifically by Wis. Stat. § 21.11(1), do hereby order the following, effective June 17, 2004, until such time as the Adjutant General determines that the need no longer exists, or until my further order:

- 1. Authorize and direct the Adjutant General to take all appropriate steps to assist Wisconsin Emergency Management in the necessary emergency response efforts in Green Lake County; and
- 2. Authorize and direct the Adjutant General to call into state military service, as he may deem appropriate to carry out the purposes of this order, any or all of the personnel and units of the Army National Guard and of the Air National Guard of the State of Wisconsin to serve for an indefinite period and until relieved subject to recall at the discretion of the Adjutant General. In carrying out the provisions of this order, the Adjutant General is authorized to use units, and members thereof, called into the state military service.

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JIM DOYKE Governor

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 seventeenth day of June, 2004.

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