

STATE DOCUMENT



EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 54

An Amendment to Executive Order No. 53  
Proclamation of a State of Emergency

WHEREAS, severe weather including heavy rains, high winds and tornadoes occurred on or about September 2, 2002, in the State of Wisconsin; and

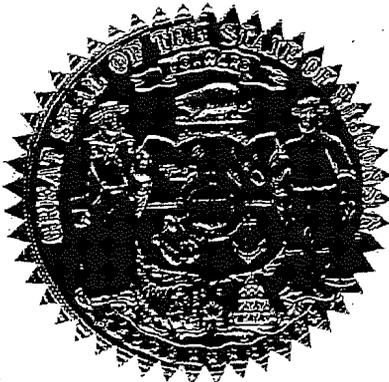
WHEREAS, tornado activity caused substantial property damage; and

WHEREAS, these severe weather conditions have created great hardship for the citizens and local governments of the affected counties; and

WHEREAS, additional personnel and resources are needed to expedite emergency recovery operations in the affected counties;

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

1. In addition to Rusk County, I now proclaim that a State of Emergency exists in Taylor County; and
2. Direct all state agencies of the State of Wisconsin to assist the above-referenced counties as appropriate in this 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 third day of September in the year two thousand and two.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Scott McCallum".

Scott McCallum  
Governor

By the Governor:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Douglas La Follette".

Douglas La Follette  
Secretary of State