



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 09-04

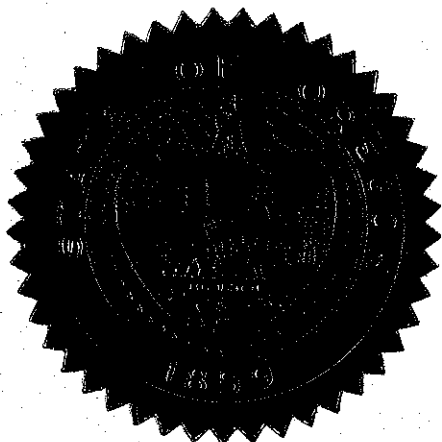
**DETERMINATION OF STATE OF EMERGENCY IN COLUMBIA,
CLACKAMAS, TILLAMOOK, CLATSOP, LINCOLN, YAMHILL, POLK,
BENTON, MARION AND WASCO COUNTIES DUE TO SEVERE
WINTER WEATHER INCLUDING FLOODING, LANDSLIDES AND
WIND**

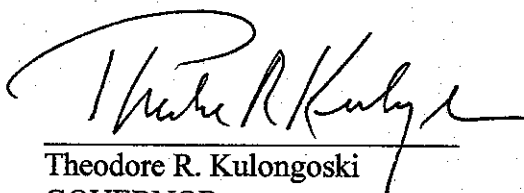
Pursuant to ORS 401.055, I find that severe winter weather, including flooding, landslides and wind created a threat to life, safety and property in Columbia, Clackamas, Tillamook, Clatsop, Lincoln, Yamhill, Polk, Benton, Marion and Wasco Counties. Beginning December 31, 2008, and continuing, severe weather conditions caused flooding, landslides and erosion throughout these counties, resulting in significant damage to the state highway system. Current estimates of the damage to the highway system in these counties total \$3 million dollars, including damage to federal aid highways.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND DIRECTED:

1. The Oregon Department of Transportation shall provide appropriate assistance and seek federal resources to effect repair and reconstruction of the federal aid highway system in Columbia, Clackamas, Tillamook, Clatsop, Lincoln, Yamhill, Polk, Benton, Marion and Wasco Counties.

Done at Salem, Oregon this 20th day of January, 2009.




Theodore R. Kulongoski
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


Kate Brown
SECRETARY OF STATE