

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA
PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, on May 28, 2023, a structural building collapse adversely affected the citizens of the state of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, this structural failure caused a multifamily apartment complex to collapse resulting in significant damage to public and private property; and

WHEREAS, Scott County suffered significant impacts from this event; and

WHEREAS, strict compliance with the provisions of various state statutes, orders, and rules governing the conduct of business is hindering necessary actions of residents coping with this event; and

WHEREAS, these conditions threaten the public peace, health, and safety of citizens of the State of Iowa and have damaged and destroyed public and private property. Because of this, they provide legal justification for the issuance of a Proclamation of a State of Disaster Emergency pursuant to Iowa Code § 29C.6 (1).

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, KIMBERLY K. REYNOLDS, Governor of the State of Iowa, by the power and authority vested in me by the Iowa Constitution Art. IV, §§ 1, 8 and Iowa Code § 29C.6 (1), and all other applicable laws, do hereby proclaim a STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY for Scott County and do hereby ORDER and DIRECT the following:

SECTION ONE. I temporarily suspend the regulatory provisions of Iowa Code section 321.195 prescribing a fee for issuance of a duplicate or substitute driver's license or non-operator's identification card as applied to a person whose driver's license or non-operator's identification card was lost or destroyed as a result of the above-described disaster. A written statement by the person, in or appended to the person's application for same, confirming that the person's driver's license or non-operator's identification card was lost or destroyed in Scott County as a result of the above-described disaster shall be required to invoke this suspension. Iowa Code section 29C.6(6).

SECTION TWO. Nothing contained in this declaration shall be construed as an exemption from any other portion of the Iowa Code or Iowa Administrative Code not specifically identified in this proclamation.

SECTION THREE. This state of disaster emergency shall be effective immediately, shall continue for thirty (30) days, and shall expire on July 2, 2023, unless sooner terminated or extended in writing by me.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED AT DES MOINES, IOWA THIS SECOND DAY OF JUNE IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-THREE

KIMBERLY K. REYNO

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

PAUL D. PATE SECRETARY OF STATE