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EXECUTIVE ORDER  
13-12SECRETARY OF STATE  
COMMISSIONS DIVISION

WHEREAS, I have been advised by the State Emergency Management Agency that severe storm systems have caused damages associated with heavy rains, flooding and flash flooding in communities across the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, there has been loss of life, interruption of public services, infrastructure damages and damages to private property, as a result of the severe weather that began on August 2, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the severe weather that began on August 2, 2013, has created conditions of distress and hazard to the safety, welfare, and property of the citizens of the State of Missouri beyond the capabilities of some local jurisdictions and other established agencies; and

WHEREAS, the resources of the State of Missouri are needed to assist affected jurisdictions and to help relieve the condition of distress and hazard to the safety and welfare of our fellow Missourians; and


WHEREAS, I issued Executive Order 13-11 declaring a State of Emergency for the protection of the safety and welfare of the citizens of the State of Missouri.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JEREMIAH W. (JAY) NIXON, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Missouri, including Section 41.480.2, RSMo, order and direct the Adjutant General of the State of Missouri, or his designee, to forthwith call and order into active service such portions of the organized militia as he deems necessary to aid the executive officials of Missouri, to protect life and property, and it is further ordered and directed that the Adjutant General or his designee, and through him, the commanding officer of any unit or other organization of such organized militia so called into active service take such action and employ such equipment as may be necessary in support of civilian authorities, and provide such assistance as may be authorized by the Governor of this State.

This order shall terminate on September 6, 2013, unless extended in whole or in part.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

  
Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon  
Governor

ATTEST:

  
Jason Kander  
Secretary of State