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Executive Council of Iowa

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September 8, 2026

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The Executive Council, in a meeting held on this date, approved the allocation and payment of \$2,294,522.00 pursuant to Iowa Code 29C.6(17) for Presidential Disaster Declarations FEMA-4483-DR.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA

Kristi Onstot

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Executive Secretary

cc: John Benson, Iowa Department of Homeland Security & Emergency Management
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JOHN R. BENSON, HOMELAND SECURITY ADVISOR
AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR

August 28, 2026

LOCAL

Executive Council of Iowa

Subject: Executive Council Agenda for September 8, 2026

I respectfully request time on the Executive Council Agenda for September 8, 2026. Please find enclosed the following items for the agenda:

- Presidential Disaster Declaration -- FEMA-4483-DR
Coronavirus Disaster 2019 (COVID-19), 1/20/2020 and continuing
 - Request for Approval of Disaster Aid (Iowa Code 29C.6(17)) – **Amendment**
 - Estimated total state liability -- \$13,085,212.00 (\$10,790,690.00 has been already allocated)
 - **Motion to approve and allocate an additional \$2,294,522.00**
 - Amount we will be requesting the Treasurer's Office to transfer at this time is \$2,294,522.00
- Treasurer's Office is requested to use the following accounting codes for the **BY 2027** transfers:

<u>Dept</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Appr</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Rev Obj</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
583	0267	0000	6530	0301	\$ 484,932.00	FEMA-4483-DR
583	0267	0000	7530	0301	\$ 1,479,447.00	FEMA-4483-DR
583	0267	0000	8009	0301	\$ 330,143.00	FEMA-4483-DR

I appreciate your approval of these actions, and look forward to our continued joint partnership in ensuring the citizens of our state are able to recover from disasters.

Sincerely,

Dennis T Harper

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Dennis Harper
Recovery Division Administrator

Enclosure

Executive Council of Iowa
Request for Approval of Disaster Aid (Iowa Code 29C.6(17))
State / Federal Disaster Declarations

Request time to be on the Executive Council Agenda for September 8, 2026

Agency Requesting Funds Dept 583 -- HSEMD
Contact Name Dennis Harper
Contact Phone 515-725-9348
Contact Email dennis.harper@iowa.gov

Declaration Number Presidential Disaster Declaration DR-4483
Date(s) of Event 1/20/2020 and cont (Amended on 8/5/2021 to include the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)
Date of Declaration 3/23/2020 (Amended on 8/5/2021 to include the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program)

Description of Event Coronavirus Disaster 2019 (COVID-19)

Description of Request This Executive Council request is to cover increased costs for:

(1) pass-through match on all categories of work (emergency and permanent) for the Public Assistance Program,
(2) pass-through match for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, and
(3) extraordinary disaster costs.

These estimates are based on projected outlays of local work completion timelines and HSEMD operations for this disaster event. HSEMD will exhaust its resources from its General Fund Appropriation and other funding sources before using Executive Council funds for extraordinary disaster costs.

ORIGINAL REQUEST - APPROVED	
Date of Executive Council Approval:	<u>February 7, 2022</u>
Original Projections:	Total
Federal	\$ 19,463,696.00
State -- Executive Council	\$ 2,657,632.00
Local	\$ 3,243,949.00
Total	\$ 25,365,277.00

AMENDMENT #1 - APPROVED	
Date of Executive Council Approval:	<u>March 6, 2023</u>
Additional Estimated Costs:	Total
Federal	\$ 14,756,051.00
State	\$ 2,460,000.00
Local	\$ -
Total	\$ 17,216,051.00

AMENDMENT #2 - APPROVED	
Date of Executive Council Approval:	<u>February 5, 2024</u>
Additional Estimated Costs:	Total
Federal	\$ 54,296,380.00
State	\$ 5,673,058.00
Local	\$ -
Total	\$ 59,969,438.00

AMENDMENT #3 -- REQUEST FOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL APPROVAL:	
Date of Request:	<u>August 28, 2026</u>
Date of Executive Council Approval:	<u>September 8, 2026</u>
Additional Estimated Costs:	Total
Federal	\$ 13,315,020.00
State	\$ 2,294,522.00
Local	\$ -
Total	\$ 15,609,542.00

TOTALS:	
Federal	\$ 101,831,147.00
State -- Executive Council	\$ 13,085,212.00
Local	\$ 3,243,949.00
Total	\$ 118,160,308.00

STATE CASH FLOW	Actual FY #1	Projected FY #2	Projected FY #3	Projected FY #4	Projected FY #5	Projected FY #6	Projected FY #7
Fiscal Year:	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
ORIGINAL REQUEST	\$ 456,263	\$ 690,658	\$ 915,053	\$ 374,395	\$ 221,263	\$ -	
AMENDMENT #1	\$ -	\$ 1,100,000	\$ 700,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 360,000	\$ -	
AMENDMENT #2	\$ (326,190)	\$ (1,630,113)	\$ 4,396,823	\$ 2,567,528	\$ 665,010	\$ -	
AMENDMENT #3						\$ 2,294,522	
TOTALS	\$ 130,073	\$ 160,545	\$ 6,011,876	\$ 3,241,923	\$ 1,246,273	\$ 2,294,522	\$ -
							\$ 13,085,212

I respectfully request the Executive Council to approve these actions and to authorize HSEMD to administer the state funds without Executive Council prior approval of each expenditure. I look forward to our continued joint partnership in ensuring our citizens of our state are able to recover from disasters.

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Dennis Harper, Recovery Division Administrator

Date