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February 3, 2025

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The Executive Council, in a meeting held on this date, approved the Department of Natural Resources' request for an emergency allocation in the amount of \$12,148.00, subject to an audit of actual invoices. On July 12, 2024, Odessa Wildlife Management Area in Louisa County was damaged by flood. Request was to cover repair costs.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA

Kristi Onstot

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Executive Secretary

cc: Kayla Lyon, Director, Department of Natural Resources
Sherry Arntzen, Bureau Chief, Parks, Forests and Preserves Bureau, Department of Natural Resources
Kara Bryant, Budget and Finance, Department of Natural Resources
Matt Bender, Department of Management
Heather Hackbarth, Department of Management

AOS Claim # 3874
TOS Job # _____



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January 21, 2025

Kristi Onstot
Executive Council
L O C A L

Subject: Flooding Damages at Odessa Wildlife Management Area in Louisa County
on July 12, 2024
Department of Natural Resources
Claim dated October 7, 2024
AOS Claim ID: 3874

In accordance with Executive Council policy, we have examined the claim for 29C.20 funds for the above-mentioned damage. It is our conclusion that the above-mentioned damage incurred by the Department of Natural Resources is covered by Chapter 29C.20 of the Code of Iowa. Therefore, we recommend an Executive Council allocation in the amount of \$12,148.00, subject to an audit of actual invoices.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian R. Brustkern".

Brian R. Brustkern, CPA
Deputy Auditor of State

cc: Kayla Lyon, Director, Department of Natural Resources
Monica Thelen, Wildlife Bureau, Department of Natural Resources
Kara Bryant, Budget and Finance, Department of Natural Resources
Heather Hackbarth, Department of Management



October 7, 2024

Victoria Newton
Executive Council
State Capitol

Tammy Hollingsworth
Auditor's Office
Lucas Building

Subject: CLAIM ID #3874; Flooding Damage at Odessa Wildlife Management Area, Louisa County

Victoria and Tammy:

On July 12, 2024 you were sent notification of flooding at the Odessa Wildlife Management Area (WMA) in Louisa county. Severe flooding caused structural damage to the dike adjacent to the outlet structure, which will require repair.

Louisa county was not included in the FEMA Declaration for this incident, so no Public Assistance will be available to make these repairs. Our Engineers have put together repair estimates for the levee, with a total project cost of \$12,148.00. Please find that estimate enclosed.

This information is being submitted to Executive Council as a request for a total allocation of \$12,148.00

I thank you and the Executive Council members for your time and consideration of this request. Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Monica Thelen

Monica Thelen, Executive Officer II
Wildlife Bureau

ESTIMATE OF PROBABLE COSTS

Project #	TBD				
Project Location	Odessa WMA				
Project Description	Flood Damage Repair				
Date	10/4/2024				
Author	Michael Dufoe, P.E.				
		Full Project - EC			
Item No.	Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Cost	Cost
1	Sand	32.4	CY	\$70.00	\$2,268.00
2	Bedding Stone	9.2	CY	\$100.00	\$920.00
3	Class E Revetment (Riprap)	85.6	CY	\$100.00	\$8,560.00
4	Clay	0.5	CY	\$800.00	\$400.00
				Total	\$12,148.00
DNR Form 542-0700					