



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 08 – 01

**DETERMINATION OF STATE OF EMERGENCY IN UMATILLA
COUNTY DUE TO SEVERE WINTER STORM AND HIGH WINDS**

Pursuant to ORS 401.055, I find that a threat to life, safety and property exists due to a severe winter storm that occurred in Umatilla County on January 4, 2008. The storm caused extensive damage to private structures, businesses, public buildings, numerous roads and highways, utility lines and other infrastructure in Umatilla County.

IT IS ORDERED AND DIRECTED:

1. The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) shall activate the State's Emergency Operations Plan and shall coordinate access to and use of personnel and equipment of all state agencies necessary to assess, alleviate, respond to, mitigate or recover from conditions caused by this emergency.
2. The Office of Emergency Management shall closely monitor and coordinate with Umatilla County to facilitate needs and requirements as requested.
3. All State agencies shall provide any assistance that is deemed necessary to assist Umatilla County in the response and recovery efforts. All State agencies shall coordinate requests and deployment of resources through the Office of Emergency Management.

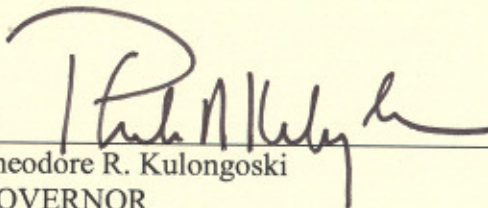


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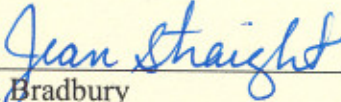
These findings and this order were initially made by verbal proclamation at 6:50 p.m. on the 4th day of January, 2008, and confirmed in writing by this Executive Order on this 5th day of January, 2008.

Done at Salem, Oregon, this 5th day of January, 2008.



/s/ 
Theodore R. Kulongoski
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

/s/ 
Bill Bradbury
SECRETARY OF STATE