EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 14-06

INVOCATION OF EMERGENCY CONFLAGRATION ACT FOR THE TWO BULLS WILDFIRE IN DESCHUTES COUNTY

Pursuant to my authority as Governor of the State of Oregon, I find that:

The fire known as the “Two Bulls Wildfire” is burning in Deschutes County.

The resources necessary for protecting life and property from the Two Bulls Wildfire are beyond local capabilities. Assistance with life, safety, and structural fire protection was requested by the Deschutes County Fire Defense Board Chief. The State Fire Marshal concurs with that request.

In accordance with ORS 476.510 through 476.610, I have determined that a threat to life, safety, and property exists due to a fire known as the Two Bulls Wildfire in Deschutes County and the threat exceeds the firefighting capabilities of local firefighting personnel and equipment. Accordingly, I have invoked the Emergency Conflagration Act.

These findings were made at 7:08 p.m. on June 7, 2014, and I now confirm them with this Executive Order.

IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED AND ORDERED:

1. The Oregon State Police and the Office of State Fire Marshal shall mobilize fire resources statewide and coordinate with all appropriate Fire Defense Chiefs for the use of personnel and equipment in accordance with the Emergency Conflagration Act to suppress and contain this fire. Resources responding to Two Bulls Wildfire, burning near Bend may be redistributed by the State Fire Marshal.

2. This emergency is declared only for the Two Bulls Wildfire threatening structures in Deschutes County and the city of Bend.
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These findings were made by verbal proclamation on June 7, 2014, at 7:08 p.m.

Done at Salem, Oregon this 10 day of June, 2014.

John A. Kitzhaber, MD
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Kate Brown
SECRETARY OF STATE