

Fall River County

DISASTER DECLARATION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Fall River County, South Dakota on March 13th, 2019 through still ongoing has suffered severe storm damage caused by a heavy wet snow storm resulting in widespread flooding issues, and

WHEREAS, this severe storm caused road damage, property flooding and loss of access, loss of livestock, and

WHEREAS, the roads, bridge collapse and culverts damaged, severe flooding has isolated residents, and caused livestock losses, and

WHEREAS, Fall River County has incurred huge expenses as they endeavor to provide road repair and access to residents of the county and had a bridge collapse on the East Ardmore Road, and

NOW IT BE RESOLVED THAT the Fall River County Commissioners do hereby declare a disaster for the population of the area impacted.

The Fall River County Commissioners respectfully request that any and all assistance that may be available from State and Federal agencies be provided to all local governments to include Fall River County and to the local businesses and the general population as we work to overcome this disaster.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED THAT the Fall River County Commissioners do hereby declare a flooding and winter storm disaster and respectfully request the Governor of the State of South Dakota to declare a disaster area and to request a Presidential Declaration of Disaster to insure that the maximum amount of assistance is made available to local governments, businesses and residents affected.

Dated this _____

ATTEST _____
Auditor

Chairman County Commissioners