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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING — DECEMBER 4, 2017

Meeting. The Executive Council (Council) met on Monday, December 4, 2017. Patrick Hall, Recovery Division Administrator, Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Department, updated the Council that approximately \$4.0 million in prior obligated disaster funds was being transferred or released back to the Economic Emergency Fund due to an updated estimate and the closure of four Presidential Declared Disasters.

The following are highlighted agenda items approved by the Council:

- The Council approved a request to obligate \$2.0 million from the Economic Emergency Fund for Presidential Disaster Declaration DR-4334 that affected nine counties in northeast lowa (Mitchell, Winneshiek, Allamakee, Chickasaw, Bremer, Fayette, Clayton, Buchanan, and Dubuque). The Council approved the transfer of \$788,000.
- The Council unanimously approved a request by the Department of Natural Resources to enter into a five-year lease with Buckeye Terminals, LLC, for a parcel of land in Scott County. The lease will expire on August 31, 2021, and requires an annual fee of \$1,159.
- A total of approximately \$33,000 was unanimously approved for payment of various requested emergency allocations. This includes a payment of approximately \$14,000 requested by the Department of Natural Resources to cover repair costs for fire damage due to an LP leak at the Honey Creek Resort.
- The Council also unanimously approved payment of various cost items totaling approximately \$59,000, of which \$51,000 was for repair costs of Iowa State Patrol vehicles due to damage sustained from hail and collisions with deer and raccoons.

Additional Information. Additional information is available from the Legislative Services Agency upon request.

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