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Roy Romer
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

PROCLAMATION

DECLARING A DISASTER EMERGENCY FOR FLOODING IN THE TOWN OF RICO, DOLORES COUNTY

WHEREAS, on the 31st of May 1989 underground flooding from Silver Creek threatened several private residences in the Town of Rico;

WHEREAS, the Town of Rico and Dolores County did not have the technical expertise to determine what caused the situation nor to identify remedial actions to address the problem;

WHEREAS, Dolores County on behalf of the Town of Rico requested state emergency technical assistance;

WHEREAS, it was determined by the Division of Disaster Emergency Services that assistance could best be provided by a team of experts from the Department of Natural Resources and if such assistance was not provided public health and safety would be threatened,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Roy Romer, Governor of the State of Colorado under the authority vested in me under Section 24-33.5-704 C.R.S. of the Colorado Disaster Emergency Act of 1973, do hereby find and declare that an emergency exists in the Town of Rico, Dolores County, and hereby order and direct the State Department of Natural Resources to provide the necessary technical assistance deemed appropriate. Expenses incurred for such assistance to be reimbursed to the Department from the State Disaster Emergency Fund in an amount not to exceed six thousand dollars (\$6,000) based on actual costs for providing such assistance.

Given under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado this 30th day of June 1989

Roy Romer
Governor

