

**COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER**  
**EXTENDING CORONAVIRUS - COVID-19 DISASTER DECLARATION**

**WHEREAS,** ON MARCH 20, 2020, THE COUNTY JUDGE ISSUED A PROCLAMATION DECLARING A STATE OF DISASTER FOR MORRIS COUNTY RESULTING FROM THE CORONAVIRUS - COVID-19 HEALTH EMERGENCY; AND

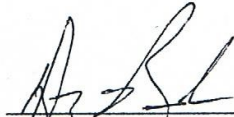
**WHEREAS,** THE CONDITIONS NECESSITATING DECLARATION OF A STATE OF DISASTER CONTINUE TO EXIST; AND

**WHEREAS,** §418.108(B) OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE PROVIDES THAT A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER MAY NOT BE CONTINUED FOR A PERIOD IN EXCESS OF SEVEN DAYS WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF MORRIS COUNTY:**

1. THAT THE STATE OF DISASTER PROCLAIMED FOR THE COUNTY OF MORRIS BY THE COUNTY JUDGE ON MARCH 20, 2020, SHALL CONTINUE UNTIL TERMINATED BY ORDER OF THE COUNTY JUDGE.
2. THIS ORDER IS PASSED AS AN EMERGENCY MEASURE AND PURSUANT TO §418.108 ET SEQ. AND THE MORRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN AND SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE ON THE 26TH DAY OF MARCH 2020.
3. THIS ORDER SHALL BE GIVEN PROMPT AND GENERAL PUBLICITY AND PROMPTLY FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 26<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2020 AT 10:15 A.M.

  
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DOUG REEDER  
MORRIS COUNTY JUDGE

FILED BY:  
  
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SCOTT SARTAIN  
MORRIS COUNTY CLERK

