



ORDER CONTINUING LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER

STATE OF TEXAS §
 §
COUNTY OF HIDALGO §

WHEREAS, on September 14th, 2018, the Hidalgo County Judge issued a proclamation declaring a state of disaster for Hidalgo County, Texas resulting from “severe damage, injury or loss of life or property resulting from the current and recent torrential rains;” and

WHEREAS, the conditions necessitating declaration of a state of disaster have continued to exist since the original disaster declaration made on September 14th, 2018 as a result of “flooding due to immediate emergencies from the current and recent torrential rains;” and

WHEREAS, Section 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 HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That the recitals set forth in this Order are true and correct.
2. That the state of disaster proclaimed for Hidalgo County, Texas by the Hidalgo County Judge on September 14th, 2018, shall continue *until terminated by order of the Hidalgo County Commissioners’ Court.*
3. This Order is passed as an emergency measure and pursuant to Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code and shall become effective on the 20th day of September, 2018.
4. All Hidalgo County, Texas officials and employees are authorized to do any and all things necessary or convenient to accomplish the purpose of this Order.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this 20th day of September, 2018.

APPROVED, this 20th day of September, 2018.

Ramon Garcia
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

David Fuentes

David Fuentes
Commissioner, Pct. 1

Eduardo Cantu
Commissioner, Pct. 2

Joe M. Flores
Commissioner, Pct. 3

Joseph Palacios
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Commissioner, Pct. 4

ATTEST:

Arturo Quiñancho Jr.
ARTURO QUIÑANCHO JR.
County Commissioner



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Meeting Date: 09/20/2018

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CAPTION

Approval of continuance of Local State of Disaster under Texas Government Code Section 418.108.

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