



PROCLAMATION TERMINATING A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER RESULTING FROM RECENT WIND AND RAIN EVENTS

WHEREAS, on July 25, 2020 the County Judge issued a proclamation declaring a local state of disaster for Hidalgo County resulting from "severe damage, injury or loss of life or property resulting from the current and recent tornadic wind event and torrential rains" ; and

WHEREAS, on July 29, 2020 the Local State of Disaster was continued by order of the Commissioner's Court, as a result of "flooding due to immediate emergencies from current and recent torrential rains."; and

WHEREAS, the County of Hidalgo has undertaken extraordinary measures to protect the public health, safety and general wellbeing of County citizens, alleviate the suffering of people, and protect or rehabilitate property; and

WHEREAS, the immediate threat from the torrential rains which led to the current Local Disaster Declaration have subsided; and

WHEREAS, Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code provides that the presiding officer of the governing body of a political subdivision may declare a state of local disaster; and

WHEREAS, an order or proclamation declaring, continuing, or terminating a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the county clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNTY JUDGE OF THE COUNTY OF HIDALGO THAT THE LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER FOR THE COUNTY OF HIDALGO IS HEREBY TERMINATED.

This proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after this issuance.

ORDERED this the 15th day of December, 2020.

Richard F. Cortez

Richard F. Cortez, Hidalgo County Judge



APPROVED BY COMMISSIONERS' COURT ON: 12/15/20 *rg*