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COUNTY OF HARDIN

CONTINUATION OF DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the Hardin County Commissioners' Court met in Regular Session at 10:00AM on September 24, 2019 at the Hardin County Courthouse, Commissioners' Courtroom, located in Kountze, Texas; and

WHEREAS, The County of Hardin, Texas, on the 18TH day of September, 2019, was in imminent threat of the occurrence of widespread and/or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from severe weather conditions countywide created by torrential rainfalls, severe thunderstorms, winds, and flash flooding over an extensive period of time posed by a Tropical Storm "Imelda". Since that time, populated areas of Hardin County have been affected by flooding and major infrastructure damage has been sustained, preventing access to or safe passage on many roadways, thus creating a public safety hazard; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Hardin County, Texas has determined that extraordinary measures are necessary to protect or rehabilitate property, and are hereby ordered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS:

- That a local state of disaster was declared by the Hardin County Judge on September 19, 2019, pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
- II. Pursuant to Section 418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code, This State of Disaster shall continue for a period of not more than sixty (60) days from the date of this Declaration unless continued or renewed by the Hardin County Commissioners Court.
- III. Pursuant to Section 418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this Declaration of a Local Disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Hardin County Clerk.
- IV. Pursuant to Section 418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this Declaration of a Local State of Disaster activates the Hardin Emergency Management Plan.
- V. This Proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS this $\underline{24}^{TH}$ day of September, $\underline{2019}$.

Wayne McDaniel, County Judge

Hardin County, Texas

ATTEST:

Glenda Alston, County Clerk

Hardin County, Texas