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## **Shopping for Essentials During COVID-19 Coronavirus**

I am asking that all Hardin County residents exercise courtesy in addition to safety and consideration for others, especially our more vulnerable population, when shopping for essential goods during the COVID-19 Coronavirus pandemic. I ask that you practice social distancing and, when possible, limit your shopping to one family member to help us comply with the Emergency Order.

When shopping for essential needs, please limit your purchases to “two at a time” and give everyone a chance to get the supplies they need such as toilet paper, paper towels, sanitizer, water and food. If bottled water is not available, it is completely fine to drink water from your tap. Other food items may be limited as the store sees the need. Our local store managers are working hard to keep their stores open and stocked to better serve our citizens. I believe that if we all work together and help each other during this unprecedented time, Hardin County will be much stronger and a better place when we see the end of this pandemic.

Below is a list of stores located in Hardin County with hours of operation.

- Walmart (Lumberton & Silsbee) 6am-11pm
- H-E-B (Lumberton) 8am-8pm
- Market Basket (Lumberton) 7am-10pm
- Brookshire Brothers (Silsbee & Kountze) 7am-9pm
- Brookshire Brothers (Sour Lake) 7am-8pm (Mon-Sat); 8am-8pm (Sun)

Thanks to everyone for your assistance and cooperation with ensuring these guidelines are followed to benefit all Hardin County Citizens!

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