

DISASTER DECLARATION RENEWAL ORDER

ORDER #DRO-24-2021

WHEREAS, Aransas County, from the 12th day of February 2021 through the 14th day of February 2021, experienced a threat of imminent widespread and severe property damage, injury and loss of life due to prolonged freezing temperatures, possible heavy snow and possible freezing rain; and

WHEREAS, Aransas County, Texas, has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED by Judge C.H. "Burt" Mills, Jr. of Aransas County, Texas:

That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Aransas County pursuant to §418.108(a) of the *Texas Government Code*.

Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the *Texas Government Code*, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days from the date of this declaration unless continued or renewed by Aransas County.

Pursuant to §418.108(h) of the *Texas Government Code*, the jurisdiction and authority of the County Judge includes the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Aransas County.

Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the *Texas Government Code*, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Aransas County Clerk.

Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the *Texas Government Code*, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Aransas County Emergency Management Plan.

That this Proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED this 24th day of February, 2021.

C.H. "Burt" Mills, Jr., Aransas County Judge

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