

STATE OF TEXAS
LAVACA COUNTY
DECLARING A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, Lavaca County on the 5th day of July, 2024, is under imminent threat of widespread or severe damage; interruption, disruption or failure of utility and/or communications services; injury, or loss of life or property as a result of Hurricane Beryl immediately preceding and following landfall on or near the Texas Coast, and;

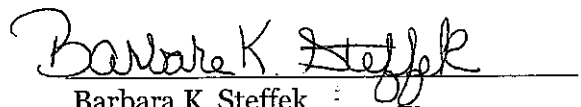
WHEREAS, the County Judge of Lavaca County has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect, mitigate, and/or alleviate the suffering of people, provide essential services, and to protect or rehabilitate property and/or the environment;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNTY JUDGE OF LAVACA COUNTY,
TEXAS:**

1. That a state of disaster is declared for Lavaca County, Texas pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code, this state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days of the date hereof, unless the same is continued or renewed by consent of the Commissioners Court of Lavaca County, Texas.
3. Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Lavaca County Clerk and the Texas Division of Emergency Management.
4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a state of disaster activates the Lavaca County emergency management plan and authorizes the furnishing of aid and assistance.
5. Pursuant to §418.108(f) of the Texas Government Code, the County Judge of Lavaca County may order the evacuation of all or part of the population from a threatened area if the County Judge considers the action necessary for the preservation of life or other disaster mitigation, response, or recovery.
6. Pursuant to §418.108(g) of the Texas Government Code, the County Judge of Lavaca County may control ingress to and egress from a threatened area and control the movement of persons and the occupancy of premises in that area.
7. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 5th day of July, 2024.

Attest:



Barbara K. Steffek
Lavaca County Clerk

FILED FOR RECORD
At 4:30 O'Clock P M



Keith Mudd
Lavaca County Judge

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BARBARA K. STEFFEK, CLERK
COUNTY COURT LAVACA CO., TEXAS
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