

**RESOLUTION REGARDING**  
**DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER**

**WHEREAS,** the County of Hopkins since the 8th day of May, 2015, and especially since the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2015, has suffered widespread and severe damage and loss of property (or there is imminent threat of same) resulting from:

**Tornadoes, high winds, flooding, and water damages, and**

**WHEREAS,** the County Judge of Hopkins County has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property; and

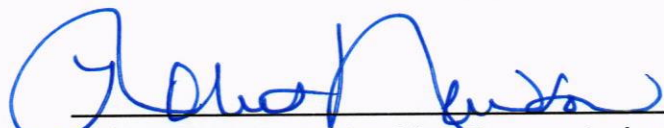
**WHEREAS,** Hopkins County has experienced tornadoes, high winds, flooding, and water damages that have caused widespread and severe damage as well as loss of property to the County and its citizens ( including but not limited to):  
damaged homes, buildings, roads, bridges, parks, and playgrounds;  
which have seriously damaged the county due to the extraordinary high winds and heavy rains; and  
Therefore I authorize the public resources of Hopkins County and cities of this county to use all available resources to cope with this disaster.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HOPKINS.**

That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Hopkins County, Texas.

1. That the County's Emergency Management Plan has been implemented.
2. That this state of disaster shall be continued by vote of the Commissioners Court of the County of Hopkins, Texas.
3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

**ORDERED this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2015.**

  
Robert Newsom, Hopkins County Judge

ATTEST:

  
COUNTY CLERK

