





DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the County of Hopkins, during the month of October, 2018 has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or threat of loss of life or property resulting from:

Excessive rainfall, high water, high winds, water damage, damage to county roads, culverts, bridges and state highways.

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

WHEREAS, Hopkins County is requesting public assistance in order to repair county roads and repair and/or replace culverts and bridges; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE JUDGE OF THE COUNTY OF HOPKINS:

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

Pursuant to §418.018(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 the Commissioners' Court of Hopkins County.

Pursuant to §418.018(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 Hopkins County Clerk.

Pursuant to §418.018(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Hopkins County Emergency Management Plan.

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

ORDERED THIS THE 29th day of October, 2018.

Robert Newsom, Hopkins County Judge

Mickey Barker, Commissioner, Pet. 1

Wade Bartley, Commissioner, Vct. 3

Mike Odell, Commissioner, Pct/2

Danny Evans, Commissioner, Pct. 4

ATTEST:

COUNTY CLER