



STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF JASPER

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CONTINUATION OF DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the Jasper County Commissioners' Court met in Special Session in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Jasper County Courthouse, Jasper, Texas on May 29, 2015, at 9:30 a.m.


WHEREAS, the County of Jasper, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 2015, was in imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from countywide conditions created by torrential rainfall and severe thunderstorms with high speed winds and tornadic activity over an excessive period of time, affecting Jasper County by causing flooding in populated areas, as well as major infrastructure damage preventing access to, or safe passage on, many roadways. These conditions continue to exist to this date, causing a public safety hazard.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Jasper County, Texas, has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect or rehabilitate property are necessary and hereby ordered.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF JASPER COUNTY:

- I. That a local state of disaster was declared by the County Judge for Jasper County, Texas, on May 27, 2015, pursuant to Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code.
- II. Pursuant to Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than 75 days from the date of this declaration unless continued or renewed by the Commissioners' Court of Jasper County, Texas.
- III. Pursuant to Section 418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the County Clerk.
- IV. Pursuant to Section 418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the county/city Emergency Management Plan.

ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF JASPER COUNTY, TEXAS
this 29th day of May, 2015.



Mark W. Allen, County Judge
Jasper County, Texas



Attest: Debbie Newman, County Clerk
Jasper County, Texas