ORDER AMENDING AND EXTENDING
EMERGENCY DISASTER DECLARATIONS IN PLACE

Whereas, a Declaration of Local Disaster was issued on March 27, 2020 for La Salle County due to a novel coronavirus now designated SARS-CoV2 which causes the disease COVID-19;
Whereas, on March 27, 2020, the Commissioners Court of La Salle County affirmed the Declaration of Local Disaster for La Salle County;
Whereas, pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108, the County Judge and Commissioner Court may enter such orders as may be necessary to protect the safety and welfare of the public during a local disaster;
Whereas, the Commissioners Court of La Salle County extend the current order for 14 days.

Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

1) ALL BARS BE CLOSED, CURB SIDE ONLY
2) ALL AMUSEMENT MACHINES INCLUDING MAQUINITAS BE CLOSED,
3) COUNTY PARK IS ONLY OPEN FOR WALKING
4) CURFEW FOR CHILDREN 17 YEARS OF AGE AND YOUNGER FROM 10:00 P.M.TO 7:00 A.M.
5) HOME DELIVERED MEALS FOR ELDERLY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL 9/21//2020,
6) FOOD BANK WILL CONTINUE,
7) MASS GATHERING OVER **10 PEOPLE** WILL REQUIRE PERMIT AND PLAN BY COUNTY CLERK IF LOCATION IS OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS, IF GATHERING IS WITHIN CITY LIMITS THEN THAT PERMIT REQUEST WOULD GO TO THE CITY SECRETARY OF THE RESPECTIVE CITY IN LA SALLE COUNTY,
8) MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED BY ALL CITIZENS AND PEOPLE TRAVELING INTO LA SALLE COUNTY IN PUBLIC PLACES,
9) ATTENDENCE FOR ALL CHILDREN, TEACHERS, FACULTY AND EMPLOYEES WILL BE SOLELY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS HAVING JURISDICTION IN LA SALLE COUNTY WHICH INCLUDES COTULLA ISD AND DILLEY ISD, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT A SAFETY PLAN FOR TESTING CHILDREN, STAFF, PARENTS AND GUADIANS OF CHILDREN IN ORDER TO OFFER FREE COVID-19 TESTING SHOULD THERE BE AN OUTBREAK AT ANY CAMPUS OR SCHOOL FUNCTION, FURTHERMORE, SHOULD AN OUTBREAK OCCUR THEN THE LOCAL HEALTH AUTHORITY MAY HAVE RECOMMENDATIONS AND MAY IMPLEMENT SAFETY PLANS TO PROTECT THE CHILDREN AND CITIZENS OF THE COUNTY, SAFETY PLAN SHOULD BE FILED WITH EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR,
10) ANY BUSINESS HAVING AN EMPLOYEE, STAFF MEMBER OR OWNER REPRESENTATIVE THAT TEST POSITIVE OR HAS BEEN QUARTINED BY A HEALTH OFFICIAL WILL BE REQUIRED TO CLOSE FOR TO DISINFECT THE BUSINESS,

11) COUNTY WILL FOLLOW CDC RETURN TO WORK RECOMMENDATIONS SET FOR HEALTH WORKERS FOR ALL EMPLOYEES WHO HAVE TESTED POSITIVE OR HAVE BEEN IN CONTACT WITH COVID-19 PERSONNEL,

12) COUNTY TREASURER WILL FOLLOW CARES ACT IN ADMINISTERING AND DETERMINING PAY FOR EMPLOYEES MEETING THE CRITERIA FOR QUALIFICATION UNDER THE CARES ACT,
13) COUNTY COURTHOUSE WILL BE OPEN TO PUBLIC MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

This Order shall be in effect from midnight 9/8/2020 and terminate on midnight on 9/21/2020 unless it is either rescinded, superseded, or amended pursuant to applicable law.

Adopted and Approved this 8st day of SEPTEMBER 2020

Joel Rodriguez, Jr
County Judge

Attest:

Margarita Esqueda
County and District Clerk

FILED FOR RECORD
At 3:02 o'clock P. M.
SEP - 8 2020
MARGARITA A. ESQUEDA
COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK
LA SALLE COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Deputy