

**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, in addition to existing orders in place the Commissioners Court of La Salle County expand the amended order adopted on 6/29/2020

Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that in addition to previous conditions adopted by the Commissioner' s Court on 6/29/2020 the following will be effective as July 15, 2020 1:00 pm.

- 1) Masks will be required by all citizens of the County when in public places.
- 2) All public schools will be closed for attendance by children, but teachers and staff will be allowed on school properties to make necessary preparations for virtual online instruction. Provided that CDC guidelines are followed.
- 3) 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 24 HOURS TO DISINFECT THE BUSINESS,
- 4) CURFEW FOR CHILDREN and ADULTS FROM 10:00 P.M.TO 7:00 A.M.
- 5) 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,
- 6) COUNTY TREASURER WILL FOLLOW CARES ACT IN ADMINISTERING AND DETERMINING PAY FOR EMPLOYEES MEETING THE CRITERIA FOR QUALIFICATION UNDER THE CARES ACT,
- 7) COUNTY COURTHOUSE WILL BE OPEN TO PUBLIC MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY. EMPLOYEES WILL WORK THE ENTIRE WEEK CONDUCT BUSINESS ON TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

This Order shall be in effect until it is either rescinded, superseded, or amended pursuant to applicable law.

Entered this 15th day of July, 2020 and will cease on 14th day of August, 2020 midnight.


Joel Rodriguez, Jr
County Judge

Attest:


MARGARITA A. ESQUEDA
COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

FILED FOR RECORD At <u>1:40</u> o'clock <u>P.</u> M.
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