Monday, May 26, 2015, Daryl Melton, the Sabine County Judge acted on behalf of the County by preparing a Declaration of Disaster. (See Attached)

Convening of the Commissioners' Court was not required.

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STATE OF TEXAS	§
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COUNTY OF SABINE	§

DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, The County of Sabine, Texas, on the 26th day of May, 2015, is 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 Sabine County by causing flooding in populated areas as well as major infrastructure damage preventing access to or the safe passage on many roadways. Such conditions have created a public safety hazard.

WHEREAS, the County Judge of Sabine County, Texas, has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect life or rehabilitate property, and are necessary and hereby ordered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNTY JUDGE OF SABINE COUNTY:

- I. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Sabine County, Texas, pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
- II. Pursuant to Section 418.108(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 by the Commissioners' Court of Sabine 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 emergency plan.

ORDERED this 26th day of May, 201 Daryl Melton, County Judge Sabine County, Texas Janice McDaniel, County Clerk Sabine County .7 The State Of Texas Ş County Of Sabine δ I hereby certify that these documents were filed and duly recorded in the Commissioner Court Minutes of Sabine County, Texas. SI Page <u>319</u> Volume Janice McDaniel ~ County Clerk 21 PG 320 Deputy