



REFUGIO COUNTY JUDGE'S OFFICE

Disaster Declaration Proclamation Refugio County, Texas

Robert Blaschke
County Judge

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WHEREAS, Refugio County, beginning on the 17th of June, 2018, has suffered widespread severe property damage, and loss of property resulting from heavy rainfall (estimated between 13-16 inches), extreme flooding, and coastal storm surge resulting from a tropical weather system, which slowly passed directly over the Refugio County during the night of the 17th and the effects continuing until June 21st. The tropical weather system storm caused widespread destruction throughout the County of Refugio.

WHEREAS, the County Judge, Robert Blaschke, has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNTY JUDGE OF
REFUGIO COUNTY, TEXAS

That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Refugio County pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

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 Refugio County Commissioner's Court.

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 County Clerk.

Pursuant to §418.018(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the County emergency management plan.

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

ORDERED this 22nd day of June, 2018.

Robert Blaschke
County Judge

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