

## THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF REFUGIO

## DECLARATION OF LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER DUE TO HURRICANE BERYL

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of July, 2024, the County of Refugio, Texas is under imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property from the potential effects of Hurricane Beryl, and

WHEREAS, the County Judge of Refugio County, Texas 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, Texas pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

Pursuant to §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 or renewed by the Commissioners Court of Refugio County, Texas.

Pursuant to §418.108(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 Refugio County Clerk.

Pursuant to §418.108(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 5th day of July, 2024.

Jhiela M. Poynter

County Judge Refugio County, Texas

Attest: Castellono

Margie A. *Castellano* County Clerk Refugio County, Texas

