



RATIFICATION ORDER
of
TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

100 West Bluff Street, County Courtroom, Room 101

MILTON POWERS
County Judge

JOE BLACKSHER
Commissioner, Pct. 1

DOUG HUGHES
Commissioner, Pct. 2

MIKE MARSHALL
Commissioner, Pct. 3

DONNA HUDSON
Commissioner, Pct. 4

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TYLER

Whereas, ON THE 17TH DAY OF August, Tyler County, Texas is in imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from countywide drought conditions. Such conditions have created a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF TYLER COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That a local state of disaster for public health emergency is hereby declared for Tyler County, Texas, pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to Section 418.108 (b) of the Texas Government Code, the declaration of a state of disaster for public health emergency shall commence at 10:00am on August 24, 2026, (immediately upon expiration of the current declaration of a state of disaster for public health emergency which presently remains in effect, and which was previously ordered by the County Judge on August 17, 2026), and shall continue until rescinded by the County Judge of Tyler County, Texas;
3. Pursuant to Section 418.108 © 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 Tyler County Clerk.
4. Pursuant to Section 418.108 (d) of the Texas Government Code, the declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Tyler County Emergency Management Plan.
5. The declaration shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

When this declaration of a state of disaster for public health emergency take effect at **10:00am on August 24, 2026**, this declaration of a state of disaster for public health emergency, at the time, supersedes all previous declarations issued by Tyler County on this matter, **and shall remain in effect and in full force until rescinded by the Tyler County Judge** of Tyler County, Texas.

SO DECLARED AND ORDERED THE 24TH day of AUGUST, 2026.

Milton Powers
County Judge, Tyler County

Joe Blacksher
Commissioner PCT #1

Doug Hughes
Commissioner PCT #2

Mike Marshall
Commissioner PCT #3

Donna Hudson
Commissioner PCT #4

Attested by:

Janet Brown, County Clerk-Tyler County