TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT Special Meeting June 5, 2015 - 2:00 pm

THE STATE OF TEXAS

ON THIS THE 5th day of June, 2015 the Commissioners'

Court in and for Tyler County, Texas convened in a Special Meeting at the Commissioners' Courtroom in Woodville, Texas, the following members of the Court present, to wit:

JACQUES BLANCHETTE RUSTY HUGHES

COUNTY JUDGE, PRESIDING COMMISSIONER, PCT 2 COMMISSIONER, PCT 4

JACK WALSTON
DEAN RIVERS

CHIEF DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK, Ex-Officio

The following were absent: Commissioner Nash and Commissioner Marshall

A motion was made by **Judge Blanchette** to extend and adopt the Disaster Declaration. **Commissioner Walston** seconded the motion. All voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED

A motion was made by Commissioner Hughes that the meeting adjourn. It was seconded by Commissioner Walston. All voted yes and none no.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 2:03 pm

I, Donece Gregory, County Clerk and ex officio member of the Tyler County Commissioners' Court, do hereby certify the fact that the above is a true and correct record of the Tyler County Commissioners' Court session held on June 5, 2015.

Witness my hand and seal of office on this 5th day of June, 2015.

Attest:

Donece Gregory, County Clerk, Tyler County, Texas





TYLER COUNTY

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WOODVILLE, TEXAS 75979 409-377-0874

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CONTINUATION OF DISASTER DECLARATION

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE Jacques L. Blanchette COUNTY of TYLER

WHEREAS, the County of Tyler, on the 5th day of June, 2015, is in threat of damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from conditions created by torrential rainfall over an excessive period of time, affecting Tyler County by causing flooding in populated areas as well as major infrastructure damage preventing access to or the safe passage on various roadways. Such conditions create a public safety hazard.

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

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

- That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Tyler County, Texas pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code;
- Pursuant to Section 418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seventy-five days from the date of this declaration unless continued or renewed by the Commissioners' Court of Tyler County, Texas;
- 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.
- Pursuant to Section 418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the county/city Emergency Management Plan.

EFFECTIVE this 5th day of June, 2015.

Jacques L. Blanchette, Tyler County Judge

ATTEST.

County Clerk Seputy



Jacques L. Blanchette County Judge

The Honorable Greg Abbott Governor of Texas c/o State Coordinator P.O. Box 4087 Austin, Texas 78773-0001

June 5, 2015

Dear Governor Abbott:

As a result of the May 27th flood, Tyler County is currently facing both physical and economic losses. An estimated 85 plus homes have been affected with 115 families needing temporary housing, and/or assistance. No known businesses have sustained uninsured losses.

Likewise, public utilities have been impacted and left without electricity, telephones and potable water. The public works and county roads damaged in Tyler County have affected 115 homes which were isolated. It is estimated that road and bridge damage will exceed \$290,000.

It is my belief the damage to homes, businesses, public works and utility systems constitutes a public health and safety hazard. I have determined that this incident is of such severity and magnitude that an effective response may be beyond Tyler County's capability to recover without supplementary State or Federal assistance.

Your assistance in this matter, as it affects the safety and health needs of our citizens would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

January Judge
Enclosure:

Disaster Summary Outline Local disaster proclamation

100 West Bluff Street, RM 102 Woodville, Texas 75979 judge@co.tyler.tx.us

409-283-2141 fax: 409-331-0028



TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

Courthouse, Room 101 / Woodville, Texas

Friday June 5, 2015 2:00 PM

MARTIN NASH Commissioner, Pct. 1

RUSTY HUGHES Commissioner, Pct. 2 JACQUES L. BLANCHETTE County Judge

MIKE MARSHALL

JACK WALSTON Commissioner, Pct. 4

NOTICE is hereby given that a *Special Meeting* of the Tyler County Commissioners Court will be held on the date stated above, at which time the following subjects will be considered and/or discussed;

Agenda

>	CALL TO ORDER • Establish Quorum	M.M. absent.	•	Acknowledge Guests
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I. CONSIDER/APPROVE

A. Extending and Adopting Disaster Declaration - J. Blanchette

J. B. motioned to Ettend
J. W. and good for
Motion Carried

R. H. motion to adjourn
J. W. 2nd 2:03 Meeting Adjourned.

II. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Consult with Criminal District Attorney and/or her legal staff in a closed meeting executive session held in accordance with Texas Government Codes §551.071 regarding pending and/or contemplated litigation and settlement offers, and/or §551.074 regarding personnel matters, and/or §551.072 to deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.

> ADJOURN

I do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Tyler County Commissioners Court is a true and correct copy of said Notice and that I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice in the Tyler County Courthouse at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times and that said Notice remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting, as is required by Section 551.002 & 551.041.

Executed on	2015 Time
Donece Gregory, County	/ Clerk/Ex Officio Member of Commissioners Court
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