

DECLARATION OF DISASTER FOR WARD COUNTY

WHEREAS, the County of Ward on the 23rd day of June, 2022 is under imminent threat of severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from: **THE THREAT OF WILDFIRES DUE TO DROUGHT AND OTHER WEATHER RELATED CONDITIONS**; and

WHEREAS, the County Judge of Ward County 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:

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby proclaimed for Ward County pursuant to §418.108 (a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(i) of the Government Code, this Declaration of a local state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than sixty (60) hours from the date hereof unless continued or renewed by the Governor of the State of Texas.
3. Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the 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 of Ward County.
4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Government Code, this Declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Ward County Emergency Management Plan.

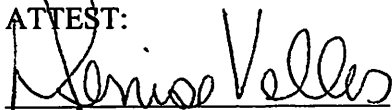
This Proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED THIS THE 23rd DAY OF JUNE, 2022, at 9:00 a .m.



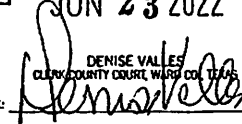
Greg M. Holly
Ward County Judge

ATTEST:



Denise Valles
Ward County Clerk

By: _____
Deputy

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JUN 23 2022
DENISE VALLES
CLERK COUNTY COURT, WARD CO., TEXAS
Clerk:  _____