

CITY OF BEACH CITY

PROCLAMATION

MARCH 17, 2020

DECLARATION OF DISASTER FOR THE CITY OF BEACH CITY, TEXAS

WHEREAS, beginning in December of 2019, a novel coronavirus, now designated COVID-19, was detected in Wuhan City, Hubei Province, China, and has since spread throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, symptoms of COVID-19 include fever, coughing and shortness of breath. In some cases, the virus has caused death; and

WHEREAS, positive cases of COVID-19 have occurred in the Houston Metropolitan area;

WHEREAS, the City of Beach City on the 17th of March 2020, is under imminent threat of a public health emergency due to:


COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Beach City has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to prevent the spread of COVID-19 throughout the City of Beach City, including the quarantine of individuals, groups of individuals, property and, additionally, compelling individuals, groups of individuals, or property to undergo additional health measure to prevent or control the spread of disease,


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BEACH CITY, TEXAS:

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for the City of Beach City pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the 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 City Council of the City of Beach City.
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 City Secretary.
4. Pursuant to §418.108 (d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the city emergency management plan.

That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance, ORDERED THIS 17TH DAY OF MARCH 2020 .



Jackey Lasater
Mayor



Attest: Deanna Wallace
Assistant City Secretary