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JOHNSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

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Johnson County Texas



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RICK BAILEY
Commissioner Pct. #1

ROGER HARMON
County Judge

MIKE WHITE
Commissioner Pct. #3

KENNY HOWELL
Commissioner Pct. #2

PAULA REID
Assistant to Commissioner's Court

LARRY WOOLLEY
Commissioner Pct. #4

RESCINDED 8-23-22

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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ORDER NO. 2022-52

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

**COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER APPROVING
RENEWAL AND EXTENSION OF DECLARATION OF LOCAL STATE OF
DISASTER DUE TO THREAT OF WILDFIRE IN JOHNSON COUNTY**

WHEREAS, the Johnson County Judge has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the danger of wildfires in Johnson County; and

WHEREAS, the Johnson County Judge on the 29th day of June, 2022 issued a Declaration of Disaster Due to Threat of Wildfire Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108; and

WHEREAS, the Johnson County Judge seeks, pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108, the consent of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County to renew and extend the Declaration of Disaster for Johnson County issued and filed on June 29, 2022, including a ban on the use of fireworks; said ban on the use of fireworks having been extended by the Governor of the State of Texas until such time as conditions warranting restrictions are ameliorated, including a determination from the Texas A&M Forest Service that the Keetch-Byram Drought Index (KBDI) has dropped to an intensity of less than 575.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court has determined that the Court should renew and extend the Declaration of Disaster for Johnson County issued and filed on June 29, 2022, including a ban on the use of fireworks; said ban on the use of fireworks having been extended by the Governor of the State of Texas until such time as conditions warranting restrictions are ameliorated, including a determination from the Texas A&M Forest Service that the Keetch-Byram Drought Index (KBDI) has dropped to an intensity of less than 575.

A motion was made by Commissioner Woolley, Pct. #4, and seconded by Commissioner White, Pct. #3, that: "A Declaration of Disaster Due to Threat of Wildfire Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108 having been issued by the Johnson County Judge on the 29th day of June, 2022 at 10:32 A.M., including a ban on the use of fireworks, and said ban on the use of fireworks having been extended by the Governor of the State of Texas until such time as conditions warranting restrictions are ameliorated, including a determination from the Texas A&M Forest Service that the Keetch-Byram Drought Index (KBDI) has dropped to an intensity of less than 575, said Declaration of Disaster should continue in effect until terminated by the County Judge."

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED: The Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas does hereby enter this Order that the Declaration of Disaster Due to Threat of Wildfire Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108 issued by the Johnson County Judge on the 29th day of June, 2022 at 10:32 A.M., including a ban on the use of fireworks, and said ban on the use of fireworks having been extended by the Governor of the State of Texas until such time as conditions warranting restrictions are ameliorated, including a determination from the Texas A&M Forest Service that the Keetch-Byram Drought Index (KBDI) has dropped to an intensity of less than 575; and,

The Declaration of Local State of Disaster Due to Threat of Wildfire shall continue for a period of more than seven (7) days to protect the citizens and property in Johnson County and shall remain in effect until terminated by the County Judge.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HAND AND THE SEAL OF JOHNSON COUNTY
THIS 6th DAY OF JULY, 2022.



Roger Harmon, Johnson County Judge

Voted: yes, ___ no, ___ abstained

Rick Bailey, Comm. Pct. #1

Voted: ___ yes, ___ no, ___ abstained



Kenny Howell, Comm. Pct. #2

Voted: yes, ___ no, ___ abstained



Mike White, Comm. Pct. #3

Voted: yes, ___ no, ___ abstained



Larry Woolley, Comm. Pct. #4

Voted: yes, ___ no, ___ abstained

ATTEST:



Becky Ivey, County Clerk

