

# TITUS COUNTY

TITUS COUNTY COURTHOUSE

KENT COOPER  
COUNTY JUDGE



#2023-02

WHEREAS, Titus County Texas suffered widespread severe damage and loss of property resulting from severe weather Wednesday June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 which produced heavy rain, damaging winds, and hail damaging structures and placing thousands of residents without electricity for multiple days.

WHEREAS, the County Judge of Titus County has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of the people and protect or rehabilitate property.

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

That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Titus County pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code, the state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days from the date of the declaration unless continued or renewed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County.

Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be filed promptly with the County Clerk.

Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the Titus County and Adhering Cities emergency operations plan.

That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance. ORDERED this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 2023.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kent Cooper", written over a horizontal line.

Kent Cooper, Titus County Judge

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