STATE OF TEXAS §
CITY OF GOLIAD §
COUNTY OF GOLIAD §

LOCAL DISASTER DECLARATION

WHEREAS on the 18th day of March 2020, the City of Goliad is under imminent threat of infiltration of an infectious respiratory disease into the population that could create a shortage of emergency medical services or other resources, as well as human injury arising from the spread of the COVID-19 virus and;

WHEREAS the City of Goliad Mayor has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect, mitigate, or alleviate the suffering of people in the community, by securing adequate resources for emergency services, emergency response, or law enforcement; and

WHEREAS the governor of the State of Texas, the Honorable Greg Abbott, has preemptively declared a state of disaster in Goliad County and all the other counties posed by the imminent threat of COVID-19 by and through a Proclamation attached hereto; and

WHEREAS since the City of Goliad Mayor issued under Order No. 2020-01, a Local Disaster Declaration, additional information has been provided by federal and state authorities regarding the need to limit the numbers of people congregating and there is a need to issue a Declaration with regard thereto

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

1. That I certify that Local Disaster Declaration Order No. 2020-01 remains in place or a period of not more than seven days from the date issued, March 18, 2020.

2. Pursuant to §418.108, Texas Government Code, such Declaration is hereby expanded to include the prohibition of individuals gathering in numbers in excess of 10 and shall include gatherings in restaurants, but shall allow restaurants to provide take-out and delivery during this time.

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3. Pursuant § 418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code this declaration of a state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City of Goliad Secretary and the Division of Emergency Management.

4. This Proclamation shall take effect immediately and after issuance.

SO ORDERED AND PROCLAIMED AND PUBLISHED on this 18th day of March, 2020.

Trudia Preston, Mayor, City of Goliad

Kandi Hubert, City Secretary, City of Goliad

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