



DECLARATION OF DISASTER FOR JACKSON COUNTY

WHEREAS, the County of JACKSON on the 22nd of June, 2022 is under imminent threat of severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from SEVERE DROUGHT CONDITIONS; and

WHEREAS, THE COUNTY JUDGE of JACKSON COUNTY has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property, and

WHEREAS, THE COUNTY JUDGE OF JACKSON COUNTY has determined that the sale, use and discharge of “restricted” fireworks within the unincorporated area of Jackson County poses a serious threat to the citizens of Jackson County and their property.

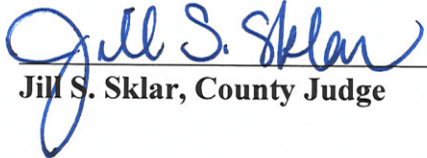
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNTY JUDGE OF JACKSON COUNTY:

1. That the local state of disaster is hereby proclaimed for Jackson County pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the Government Code, this 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 Commissioners Court of Jackson County, or terminated sooner by the County Judge or Commissioners Court.
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 Jackson County.
4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Government Code, this declaration of the local state of disaster activates the Jackson County Emergency Management Plan.
5. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use “restricted fireworks” classified as “skyrockets with sticks” under 49 C.F.R. part. 173.100(r)(2) (10-01-86 edition) and other pyrotechnic devices considered “missiles with fins” in any portion of the unincorporated areas of Jackson County.

6. That any person who knowingly or intentionally violates the prohibition on the sale, use and discharge of "restricted fireworks" in the unincorporated area of Jackson County commits a Class C Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to \$500.00.

This Proclamation shall take effect immediately and from and after its issuance, **ORDERED THIS 22nd DAY OF JUNE 2022.**

ATTEST:



Jill S. Sklar, County Judge



Katherine Brooks, County Clerk

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Katherine R. Brooks, Clerk of County Court
JACKSON COUNTY, TEXAS

BY 
6/22/2022 @ 3:46pm