

**ORDER RESCINDING  
PROHIBITION OF OUTDOOR BURNING  
COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER  
OF AUGUST 24, 2020  
AUSTIN COUNTY, TEXAS**

WHEREAS, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 418, Texas Government Code, a state of disaster was declared based on the imminent threat of disaster from wildfire; and

WHEREAS, rainfall countywide and the current weather conditions indicate disaster conditions no longer exist;

BE IT ORDERED that Commissioners Court Order of AUGUST 24, 2020 prohibiting outdoor burning is hereby rescinded. Citizens are urged to exercise extreme caution when burning as follows:

1. Observe wind speed and direction.
2. Choose safe burning site
3. Have water source and hose at hand
4. Do no leave fires unattended
5. Be sure fires are completely extinguished
6. Notify 979-865-3112 when starting any large fire



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Tim Lapham, County Judge  
September 14, 2020