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## DISASTER DECLARATION FOR BOWIE COUNTY, TEXAS


**WHEREAS**, the County of Bowie beginning on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024 and continuing through the present, suffered and continues to suffer widespread or severe damage, injury or loss of life or property resulting from several continuous thunderstorms, straight line winds, and/or tornadic activity throughout Bowie County.

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

**THEREFORE**, Be It Proclaimed by the County Judge of Bowie County that:

1. A local state of disaster is hereby declared for Bowie County, pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. The 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 Bowie County Commissioners Court, pursuant to §418.018(b) of the Texas Government Code.
3. This declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Bowie County Clerk, pursuant to §418.018(c) of the Texas Government Code.
4. This declaration of a local state of disaster activates Bowie County Emergency Plan, pursuant to §418.018(d) of the Texas Government Code.
5. This Declaration shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

**ORDERED** this the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2024 at 4: 32 p.m.

  
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Bobby Howell  
County Judge, Bowie County