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DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE CLAY LEWIS JENKINS

LOCAL DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the County of Dallas, Texas on 5th day of August, 2022, is experiencing the highest number of Monkeypox cases in the state at 209 confirmed cases and there is a need for ongoing resources and coordination to respond to the outbreak caused by the Monkeypox virus, and

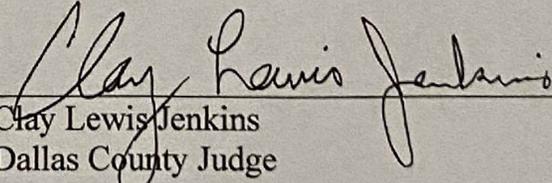
WHEREAS, due to the ongoing outbreak of the Monekypox virus, the County of Dallas, is suffering a public calamity that requires emergency action and,

WHEREAS, Clay Jenkins, the County Judge of Dallas County, Texas has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the spread of this virus.

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

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Dallas County, Texas, pursuant to section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to section 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 this declaration unless continued or renewed by the Commissioners Court of Dallas County, Texas.
3. Pursuant to section 418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this *Local Declaration of Disaster* shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the County Clerk.
4. Pursuant to section 418.108(d) of the Texas Government Code, this *Local Declaration of Disaster* activates the Dallas County emergency management plans.
5. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

DECLARED this the 5th day of August, 2022.


Clay Lewis Jenkins
Dallas County Judge