



County of Andrews

CHARLIE FALCON
COUNTY JUDGE

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**Andrews County Disaster Declaration
Directive #4
Safely Opening Andrews**

CLARIFICATION

DATE CLARIFICATION ISSUED: May 1, 2020

WHEREAS, on April 30, 2020, Andrews County Judge, Charlie Falcon, along with Mayor Flora Braly, Mayor of the City of Andrews, Texas, issued Directive #4 – Safely Opening Andrews, in conjunction with the Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency for Andrews County and the City of Andrews, to conform to Executive Order GA-18 and to further contain COVID-19 and prevent its spread throughout Andrews County and the City of Andrews while re-opening businesses and services; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, the Andrews County Commissioners Court approved Judge Falcon's Disaster Declaration for Andrews County issued an Order of Continuance of Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency that affirmed the activation of the Andrews County Emergency Management Plan and extends until such time as the County Judge and/or the Commissioners Court determines such is no longer required.

WHEREAS, on April 12, 2020, the Governor of the State of Texas renewed his state-wide disaster proclamation for an additional thirty (30) days, certifying that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the United States President Donald J. Trump and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) have issued guidelines for *Opening Up America Again* providing guidance on safely opening up American business and society that continues to emphasize minimizing travel, maximizing social distancing and avoiding socializing in groups of more than ten (10) people; and

WHEREAS, the County Judge and Mayor have determined that it is necessary to further clarify Directive #4 as it applies to Social Contact and Gatherings in Andrews County;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND CLARIFIED BY ANDREWS COUNTY JUDGE CHARLIE FALCON AND MAYOR FLORA BRALY OF THE CITY OF ANDREWS, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. Directive #4 applies equally to all citizens of Andrews County and the City of Andrews and, specifically, Section 3 of Directive #4 applies to all citizens of Andrews County and

the City of Andrews, including but not limited to, prohibiting all public and private gatherings of more than ten (10) people occurring outside of a single household.

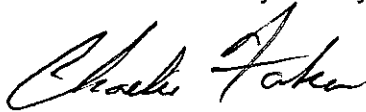
SECTION 2. All terms and conditions of Directive #4, as clarified above, are affirmed and continued and remains in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the Texas Government Code, this Directive #4 shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Andrews County Clerk and the City Secretary of the City of Andrews.

SECTION 4. Any person who knowingly or intentionally violates this Directive #4, as clarified, commits an offense, punishable by a fine up to \$500.00 for each violation.

SECTION 5. This clarification shall go into effect immediately and continue until renewed, extended, amended or cancelled by the Andrews County Judge, County Commissioners of Andrews County, Mayor or City Council of the City of Andrews.

ISSUED this the 1st day of May, 2020.



Charlie Falcon
Andrews County Judge

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ANDREWS

I hereby certify that this instrument was FILED on the date and the time stamped hereon by me and was duly RECORDED in the OPR Records of Andrews, Texas.

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Vicki Scott, County Clerk
Andrews, Texas