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DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER AMENDMENT APRIL 13, 2020

WHEREAS, I Chris Schuchart, Medina County Judge, under the authority given to me under Section 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, am issuing the following Order to clarify and amend an Order previously issued by Medina County Commissioners court; and

WHEREAS, on April 9, 2020, the Medina County Commissioners Court amended a previous Declaration of Local Disaster Order which in part stated that all Golf Courses shall be closed effective 12:01 AM April 10, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on April 11, 2020, the Attorney General of the State of Texas, issued a guidance letter about Golf Courses regarding the Texas Governor's Order Number GA-14; and

WHEREAS, the guidance letter clarifies the essential versus the non-essential services of the Golf Course business.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Order issued on April 9, 2020 is amended as follows as to Golf Courses.

IT IS ORDERED, that Golf Courses may operate under the following rules.

- 1. Pro Shops shall remain closed to the public.
- 2. Restaurants may stay open for takeout and delivery only.
- 3. Tee times shall be taken by phone, computer or some other remote method to ensure no personal contact.
- 4. There shall be no starters, marshals, beverage carts or other personnel on the course other than stated below.
- 5. All golfers shall follow the CDC guidelines by practicing good hygiene, sanitation and social distancing (6 feet apart unless from the same household, which includes riding in golf carts).
- 6. Golf Courses shall provide proper hygiene and sanitation practices by cleaning the carts and other equipment with which golfers come into contact to minimize potential transfer of the virus.

7. Each course shall designate one person to manage play on the golf course and to ensure all rules are being followed.

This Declaration shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

DECLARED this 13th day of April, 2020.

Medina County Judge

Chris Schuckar