

COUNTY of CLAY, TEXAS

**Clay County Courthouse Annex
214 North Main Street
Henrietta, Texas 76365**

May 8, 2015

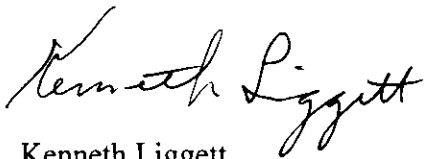
Ms. Colleen O'Neal
District Coordinator
Texas Division of Emergency Management

Dear Ms. O'Neal,

Clay County has experienced torrential rainfall the past two days and we have lost much of our rural infrastructure (gravel roads). At the present time we have at least 40 county roads with barricades on them because of water over the roadway or damage from water washing the road away.

We have exhausted our capacity to care of our people (provide safe roadways), and request State and/or Federal Assistance.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kenneth Liggett".

Kenneth Liggett
County Judge, Clay County, Texas

DECLARING A LOCAL STATE OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the City/County of Clay on the 8 day of MAY, 2015 has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property (or there is imminent threat of same) resulting from Flooding

and;

WHEREAS, the judge of the City/County of Clay has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to protect or rehabilitate property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR/JUDGE OF THE CITY/COUNTY OF Clay:

1. That a state of disaster is declared for the City/County of Clay.
2. That the City/County's Emergency Management Plan has been implemented.
3. That this state of disaster shall continue for a period of not more than seven days of the date hereof, unless the same is continued by consent of the Commissioners Court of the City/County of Clay, Texas.
4. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 8 day of MAY, 2015.

Kenneth Liggett

City Mayor/County Judge

ATTEST:

Nasha Kelton
County Clerk, Clay County

