## OF COUNTY, TEXAS

ORDER EXEMPTING PURCHASE OF FLOORING, EQUIPMENT, FURNITURE AND REPAIRS TO THE CLAY COUNTY HOSPITAL FROM COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCEDURES AS RESULT OF AN UNFORSEEN PUBLIC CALAMITY AND TO PRESERVE AND PROTECT PUBLICH PROPERTY NECESSARY TO PRESERVE AND PROTECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OF CLAY COUNTY RESIDENTS

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of 14th 2, 2016, the Commissioners Court of Clay County, Texas, after due notice, took up for consideration and possible action the exercise of discretion authorized by §262.024 of the Texas Local Government Code, subsections (a)(1), (2) and (3), to declare an emergency as a consequence of unforeseen flooding of the Clay County Hospital on \_\_\_\_, 2016, and to exempt from competitive bidding procedures the purchase of flooring, equipment, furniture and to have repairs the floors, walls, doors and other related physical structures on the first floor of the Clay County Hospital as a consequence of flood water damage.

IT IS the finding of the Commissioners Court that the public interest will be served by the County purchase of such items as described herein to be used for the better and more efficient delivery of governmental services or public benefits. It is the further finding that competitive bidding procedures are not likely to produce the best value in a timely manner, nor are such procedures appropriate for the specific needs of the County in regard to the specific item or service so acquired in case of an unforeseen emergency requiring immediate remedial action.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the County Commissioners Court has determined to grant the statutory exemption for the purchase of flooring, equipment, furniture, and repairs to floors, walls, doors and other related physical structures on the first floor of the Clay County Hospital as provided by §262.024 of the Texas Local Government Code.

Dated:

Sound Judge, Clay County Texas

Commissioner, Precinct 1

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Note: Before making any decisions regarding the purchase of any item that may be subject to the discretionary exemption, the Commissioners Court should enter an Order to exempt the procedure from competitive bidding requirements, pursuant to §262.024 of the Local Government Code. The following Agenda item should be posted in advance of action upon the Order.

Agenda for Purchase of Items Subject to Discretionary Exemption from Competitive Bidding

On the 13 day of June, 2016, the Commissioners Court of Claus County will take up for consideration and possible action the following matters relating to the declaration of an emergency and the possible purchase of an item or service subject to exemption from competitive bidding pursuant to §262.024 of the Texas Local Government Code, specifically to exempt from competitive bidding the negotiation and purchase of equipment, furniture, flooring and repairs to the walls of the Clay County Hospital, pursuant to §§262.024(a)(1), (2) and (3) of the Texas Local Government Code.

Attest:

County Clerk, Clay County, Texas

