

## COUNTY JUDGE

## Mike Campbell

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WHEREAS the County of Clay on the 2nd of May 2024, has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property (or there is imminent threat of same) resulting from record rainfall amounts that are occurring very quickly. Since April 1, 2024, the National Weather Service has issued 22 Severe Thunderstorm Warnings, 2 Tornado Warnings, and 4 Flash Flood Warnings.

All Precincts have suffered road, culvert and drainage damage.

And

WHEREAS, the COUNTY JUDGE of CLAY COUNTY 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 COUNTY JUDGE OF CLAY COUNTY:
That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for CLAY COUNTY pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas
Government Code.

Pursuant to §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 CLAY COUNTY. This declaration is approved by the Commissioners Court to extend our local state of disaster until June 3, 2024. This disaster declaration continues the COUNTY emergency management plan.

Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the *Texas Government Code*, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the COUNTY CLERK.

Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the *Texas Government* Code, A declaration of local disaster activates the appropriate recovery and rehabilitation aspects of all applicable local or interjurisdictional emergency management plans and authorizes the furnishing of aid and assistance under the declaration.

That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance. ORDERED this 6TH of MAY 2024.

Mike Campbell Clay County Judge

Sasha Kelton Bay County Clerk