



DISASTER DECLARATION RENEWAL ORDER ORDER #DRO-52-2025

WHEREAS, Aransas County, Texas, beginning on the 19th day of June, 2024, suffers imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property, resulting from flooding, damaging wind, and heavy rainfall Tropical Storm Alberto; and

WHEREAS, the Judge of Aransas County has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect the public health, safety, and general wellbeing of Aransas County citizens, to alleviate the suffering of its people, and to protect or rehabilitate property; and

WHEREAS, Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code provides that the presiding officer of the governing body of a political subdivision may declare a state of local disaster; and

WHEREAS, Section 418.108(h) of the Texas Government Code provides that the jurisdiction and authority of the County Judge includes the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Aransas County; and

WHEREAS, Judge Ray A. Garza of Aransas County, Texas declared a local state of disaster on June 21, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Aransas County Commissioner's Court issued its consent on June 24, 2024, to continue the local state of disaster;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED by Judge Ray A. Garza of Aransas County, Texas, that:

- a local state of disaster is hereby declared and renewed for Aransas County, Texas;
- the Aransas County Emergency Management Plan has been activated;
- 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 Aransas County.
- this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the Aransas County Clerk.

PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED this 26th day of December 2025.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ray A. Garza", is written over a horizontal line.

Ray A. Garza
Aransas County Judge

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**MISTY KIMBROUGH
COUNTY CLERK, ARANSAS CO., TEXAS**