



DECLARATION OF DISASTER

WHEREAS, the City of Los Fresnos, in **December, 2019**, a novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) has been recognized globally as a contagious respiratory virus; and

WHEREAS, symptoms of COVID-19 include fever, coughing, and shortness of breath in some cases the virus has caused death: and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Los Fresnos has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to contain COVID-19 and prevent its spread throughout the City of Los Fresnos, including the quarantine of individuals, groups of individuals, and property and, additionally, including compelling individuals, group of individuals, or property to undergo additional health measures that prevent or control the spread of this virus: and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF LOS FRESNOS, TEXAS:

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for the City of Los Fresnos pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.108(b) of the 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 City Council of the City of Los Fresnos.
3. Pursuant to §418.108(c) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Secretary.
4. Pursuant to §418.108(d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the City Emergency Management Plan.
5. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 16th day of **March, 2020** at 10 o'clock, AM.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Polo Narvaez".

Polo Narvaez
Mayor
City of Los Fresnos