



**Hon. Leward J. LaFleur**  
**Marion County Judge**

**DISASTER DECLARATION FOR MARION COUNTY, TEXAS**

**WHEREAS**, the County of Marion on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026, has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property (or there is imminent threat of same) resulting from severe storm/tornado activity, and

**WHEREAS**, the County Judge of Marion 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 MARION COUNTY:**

1. That a local state of disaster is hereby declared for Marion County pursuant to § 418.108 (a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. Pursuant to §418.018 (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 Commissioners Court of Marion County.
3. Pursuant to §418.018 (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 County Clerk.
4. Pursuant to §418.018 (d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the county emergency management plan.
5. That this proclamation shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

ORDERED this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026.

Leward J. LaFleur  
County Judge  
Marion County, Texas

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