

Press Release Statement

The Governor's Office has recently declared a State of Disaster for all Texas Counties in response to COVID-19. In light of such declaration, Hunt County will be keeping a close eye on the development of COVID-19 and any and all directives issued from the CDC and the Governor's Office. County officials are working closely with the Emergency Management team to take all necessary precautions.

At this time, the County will be suspending scheduled jury trials for the weeks of March 16<sup>th</sup> and March 23<sup>rd</sup>, postponing the Emergency Services District meeting planned for Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, and temporarily canceling all jail visitation for at least 48 hours until county officials are able to meet and discuss further necessary action early next week.

County officials will meet with the Emergency Management team, Homeland Security and other local elected officials this week and early next week to discuss a plan for further action.

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