

<u>CITY OF PORT ARANSAS</u> <u>CITY COUNCIL DECLARATION OF DISASTER</u>

WHEREAS, beginning in December 2019, a novel coronavirus, now designated as SARS-CoV2 which causes the COVID-19 virus, has spread through the world and has now been declared a global pandemic by the World Health Organization (WHO).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF PORT ARANSAS;

- 1. That a local state of disaster for public health emergency has been declared by the Mayor of the City of Port Aransas, Texas, pursuant to§418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code, and the City Council is in agreement that a state of disaster as described in that Declaration and as described above does exist within the City of Port Aransas and hereby so declares.
- 2. This Declaration shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Secretary.
- 3. This Declaration shall take effect immediately upon its issuance.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL on March 19, 2020.

Charles R. Bujan, Mayor City of Port Aransas, Texas