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MANDATORY EVACUATION ORDER

I, Jeff R. Branick, duly elected Judge of Jefferson County, based on most recent information received from the National Weather Service and further having received reports from law enforcement of residents in harm's way who are refusing to leave their homes, pursuant to the Disaster Declaration of August 24, 2017 for Hurricane Harvey, do hereby order a mandatory evacuation for the Bevil Oaks and Northwest Forest subdivisions of Jefferson County, Texas. This order is to be effective at 12:51 a.m., August 28, 2017, for Jefferson County, under the authority granted me by Section 418.108 (f) of the Government Code. By this same authority, I hereby exempt the following classes of individuals from such mandatory evacuation Order:

1. Those employees of oil terminals, pipelines and oil supply facilities that are essential for and who are actively involved in the transportation and receiving of oil and supplies in Jefferson County refining and petrochemical facilities and such other employees who are deemed essential to the operation of refining and petrochemical facilities by their employer.

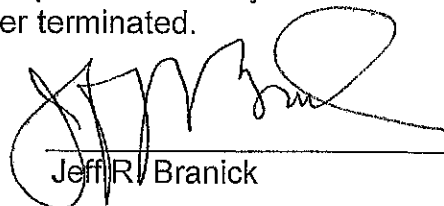
2. Those employees of hospitals, trauma centers, nursing homes, convalescent facilities or other healthcare providers who are essential for and who are actively involved in providing medical treatment and/or housing for persons who are ill or infirm and who are not evacuated.

3. Those employees of Federal, State, and Local Governments, Political Subdivisions, and Special Purpose Districts who are deemed essential by their employer.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect for a period of 10 days from the effective time noted hereinabove, unless extended or earlier terminated.

8.28.2017

Date



Jeff R. Branick