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County Judge

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS EFFECTIVE MAY 8, 2020

On April 27, 2020, Texas Governor Greg Abbott issued Executive Orders in addition to The Governor's Report to Open Texas indicating special guidance for individuals, employers, and employees to safely go back to work and conduct daily activities. On May 5, 2020 Governor Abbott lifted additional restrictions and issued an Executive Order to Expand Openings of Certain Businesses and Activities in Texas.

Effective May 8, 2020, Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño Jr., strongly recommends that all individuals within Cameron County continue to Shelter in Place, practice Social Distancing, utilize a facial covering or mask, and avoid unnecessary or non-essential travel. The guidelines and provisions indicated in this Order include: Shelter in Place, Social Distancing, Facial Coverings or Masks, Price Control, Occupancy of Premises, and Travel. Every resident of and visitor to Cameron County must read and familiarize themselves with this Order and all previous Cameron County COVID-19 Orders are suspended and superseded by this Order.

"I want to thank everyone that throughout this crisis has been understanding and proactive at following the recommended guidelines of social distancing, utilizing a facial covering, and practicing proper hygiene etiquette. We addressed the concerns of this Pandemic at an early stage and it's because of everyone's efforts that we've made some impact on preventing the virus from getting out of hand," stated Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr. "Our efforts have worked and we need to continue this path. We are not beyond the risks associated with this virus. Please continue to take care of yourselves and each other."

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