



***Eddie Treviño, Jr.***  
***County Judge***

**For Immediate Release**

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Cameron County Judge

**JOINT CAMERON COUNTY HEALTH AUTHORITY AND CAMERON COUNTY  
JUDGE EMERGENCY HEALTH CONTROL ORDER DELAYING IN PERSON FACE  
TO-FACE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOL INSTRUCTION UNTIL AFTER  
SEPTEMBER 8, 2020**

Today, July 14, 2020, Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr., and Cameron County Health Authority Dr. James Castillo Issued the Joint Cameron County Health Authority and Cameron County Judge Emergency Health Control Order Delaying In Person Face-to-Face Public and Private School Instruction Until After September 8, 2020.

On July 13, the State of Texas ranked number three in the Nation with the most confirmed positive COVID-19 cases at 258,658. Texas has seen an increase of 63,419 new cases in the last seven days, and out of the 254 Counties in Texas, Cameron County has the twelfth most positive cases in the State at 3,854. In Cameron County, all area hospitals have surpassed their capacity to care for COVID-19 patients and are unable to tolerate any further increase of hospitalizations.

For the protection of life and due to the increasing concerns of COVID-19, Cameron County Judge with the advice and consent of the Commissioners Court, will proceed with the established Order which is supported by the honorable Mayors of each municipality and the District Superintendents throughout the County.

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