## HALE COUNTY COMMISSION

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, the Hale County Commission has joined the State and Federal Government in declaring an emergency due to the COVID-19 Coronavirus epidemic; and

WHEREAS, public health agencies have recommended the practice of social distancing and self-isolation to slow the spread of the pandemic to assist healthcare providers in keeping the number of those experiencing severe symptoms at a manageable level; and

WHEREAS, operations of local schools have been suspended, creating childcare issues for many employees; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that additional orders and recommendations from the State and Federal level will make it increasingly difficult to maintain routine operations;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HALE COUNTY COMMISSION, that Hale County Court House shall remain closed and shall reopen on May 4, 2020 should circumstances permit.

Judge Arthur L. Crawford, Sr.

Chairman, Hale County Commission

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Sylvia A. Williams