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## PRESS RELEASE – MARCH 18, 2020

The Board of Commissioners are aware of the emergency conditions that exist with regards to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and voted to close all County facilities to the public effective 5:00 p.m. today, March 18, 2020. The Board will continue to monitor the outbreak and request the public to take the necessary precautions to reduce the risk of exposure.

If you need to conduct business in County offices, we recommend utilizing online services, mail in services and the County's drop box which is located in the parking lot of the Lincoln County Detention Center at 302 North Jeffers, near the Children's Museum. Enter the parking lot on Third Street and turn right. Put everything in a secure envelope and address it to the desired County office. The drop box is weatherproof, tamper resistant and is located in a monitored parking area for security. NO POSTAGE NECESSARY! The drop box will be checked several times a day by authorized personnel. If you need to contact a department, please use the following telephone numbers. You may need to leave a message and the official will return your call as needed. County facilities will remain closed to the public until further notice.

**The courts are open. If you are represented by an attorney, contact your attorney. If you are not represented by an attorney and have a court appearance, please call the County Court.**

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