Proclamation
By the Banking Commissioner of Texas

In response to the State of Disaster declaration issued by Governor Greg Abbott on March 13, 2020, and pursuant to Section 37.003 of the Texas Finance Code, I find that an emergency is impending in all Texas counties as a result of the coronavirus (COVID – 19).

Accordingly, I, Charles G. Cooper, Banking Commissioner of Texas, do hereby authorize banks organized under the laws of the State of Texas, at their discretion, to close all or part of their offices to protect public health and the most vulnerable population, while ensuring the financial institution can meet the financial needs of their customers and those affected by COVID – 19.

Dated this 16th day of March 2020.

/s/
Charles G. Cooper
Banking Commissioner