

HASKELL COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 7-2-20-14

**A RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF HASKELL COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MODIFYING THE GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER PURSUANT TO K.S.A. 48-925.**

NOW, on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2020, a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Haskell County, Kansas, hereafter referred to as "BOCC", is called and the following resolution is duly made and approved:

WHEREAS, this county and both the state and federal governments have declared a public health emergency due to the COVID-19 global pandemic;

WHEREAS, Governor Kelly has issued Executive Order No. 2020-52 which requires the wearing of masks in public;

WHEREAS, 2020 Kansas Laws 1st Sp. Sess. Ch. 1 (H.B. 2016) was passed in June of this year. The bill modified K.S.A. 48-925. K.S.A. 48-925(h) now allows for the BOCC to issue an order relating to public health that includes provisions that are less stringent than the executive order issued by the Governor.

WHEREAS, Haskell County has four (4) active COVID-19 cases;

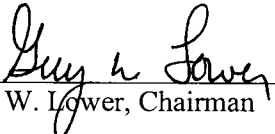
WHEREAS, the BOCC has on this date, at this meeting, consulted with the Vada Winger, Local Health Program Administrator; and

WHEREAS, following such consultation, implementation of the full scope of the provisions in the Governor's executive order are not necessary to protect the public health and safety of the county.


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED, that:

1. The BOCC makes the following relevant findings pursuant to K.S.A. 48-925(h):
  - a. Haskell County only has four active COVID-19 cases.
  - b. Haskell County has no current hospitalizations for COVID-19.
  - c. Haskell County has had no deaths from COVID-19
2. Social distancing and the wearing of masks for persons that are not able to social distance are strongly recommended, but not required, for all persons in Haskell County. Residents are also strongly encouraged, but not required, to properly sanitize all public areas.
3. This resolution and all requirements under the same are effective as of July 3, 2020 at 12:01 a.m. and shall continue in effect for as long as Executive Order No. 2020-52 remains in effect unless modified, terminated or extended by order of the Board of Haskell County Commissioners.

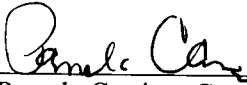
IT IS SO RESOLVED AND ORDERED.

  
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Guy W. Lower, Chairman

  
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Charles Lozano, Commissioner

  
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Marcus Rogge, Commissioner

ATTEST:

  
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Pamela Carrion, County Clerk

