

**ISSUANCE OF DECLARATION OF DISASTER
MAYOR WILL SKINNER**

“Disaster Declaration – Winter Storm February 2021”

**MAYOR WILL SKINNER ISSUES DISASTER DECLARATION OF THE
CITY OF GRANITE SHOALS**

WHEREAS, as of the 11th day of February 2021, the City of Granite Shoals, Texas (the “City”) has suffered widespread or severe damage, injury, and possible loss of property resulting from a severe snow and ice storm coupled with extremely cold temperatures affecting the entire State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the State of Texas has made a disaster declaration, which remains in effect, in response to this storm; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City, acting as the City’s Emergency Management Director pursuant to Texas Government Code chapter 418, and Granite Shoals Code of Ordinances Section 14-1, is concerned with the health and safety of the public; and

WHEREAS, the conditions necessitating the state of disaster continue on this date and for the foreseeable future;

A. Disaster Declaration

1. A local state of disaster has been declared for the City of Granite Shoals pursuant to §418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.
2. The state of disaster shall continue until February 26, 2021 unless withdrawn or extended by the City Council of Granite Shoals as conditions warrant.
3. Pursuant to §418.018(c) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the City Secretary.
4. Pursuant to §418.018(d) of the Government Code, this declaration of a local state of disaster activates the City emergency management plan.
5. This resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its issuance.

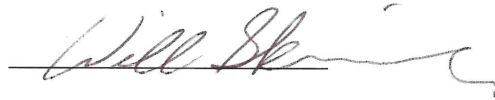
B. Penalties

1. These regulations shall have the effect of ordinances when duly filed with the City Secretary.

C. Emergency

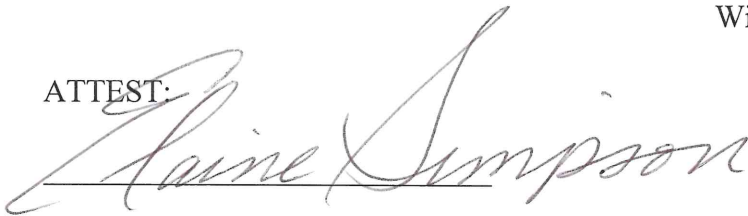
1. These regulations shall take effect immediately, and it is accordingly so ordained.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This Declaration shall be in full force and effect from and after its date of issuance, this the 19th day of February, 2021.



Will Skinner, Mayor

ATTEST:



Elaine Simpson, City Secretary