COUNTY OF KINNEY

ORDER PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING

WHEREAS, the Texas Forest Service has determined that Kinney County has an abundant of dry ground cover and growth existing within the County;

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court finds that circumstances present in all or part of the unincorporated area of the county create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning;

WHEREAS, this Order Prohibiting Outdoor Burning is Prohibiting Outdoor Burning passed by this Court on March 16, 2015

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Commissioners' Court of Kinney County that all outdoor burning is prohibited in the unincorporated area of the county until further ordered from the date of adoption of this Order, unless the restrictions are terminated earlier based on a determination made by the Texas Forest Service or this Court. This Order is adopted pursuant to Local Government Code §352.081 and other applicable statutes.

In accordance with Local Government Code § 352.081(h), a violation of this Order is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.00.

ADOPTED this 16th day of March, 2015

County Judge **Tully Shahan**

ATTEST:

Ona E. Sandoval By Audle M. Campon