

GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

July 5, 2025

The Honorable Jane Nelson Secretary of State State Capitol, Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Secretary Nelson:

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE TEXAS SECRETARY OF STATE
4:30 PM O'CLOCK

Secretary of State

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

A proclamation declaring a day of prayer throughout the state of Texas on Sunday, July 6, 2025, urging Texans of all faiths and religious traditions to offer prayers on that day for the healing of individuals, safety of our first responders and public safety officers, rebuilding of communities, and restoration of the region struck by the recent flooding disaster in Central Texas.

The original proclamation is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Executive Clerk to the Governor

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Attachment

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, the Texas Hill Country and the entire Central Texas region sustained an unprecedented tropical rain event this past week that resulted in massive flash flooding that led to the tragic loss of life; and

WHEREAS, our hearts as a people are collectively aching for the families of loved ones who are still missing or who perished in the floods, and for the first responders who are putting their lives on the line to rescue and recover the lost; and

WHEREAS, even while the waters raged, Texans waded into the flood waters to help fellow Texans, some to rescue and others to comfort, but all wanting to find hope; and

WHEREAS, throughout our history, Texans have been strengthened, assured, and lifted up through prayer; and

WHEREAS, it is right and fitting that the people of Texas should join with others from across the country and around the world to seek God's wisdom for ourselves and our leaders, to pray for God's peace and comfort upon those who have experienced devastating loss, and to ask for His merciful intervention and healing in this time of crisis;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GREG ABBOTT, Governor of Texas, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Texas, do hereby proclaim Sunday, July 6, 2025, to be a

Day of Prayer

I urge Texans of all faiths and religious traditions and backgrounds to offer prayers on that day for the healing of individuals, safety of our first responders and public safety officers, rebuilding of communities, and restoration of the region struck by this disaster.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 5th day of July, 2025.

appart

GREG ABBOTT

Governor

ATTESTED BY:

LANE NELSON Secretary of State FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
4:3000 O'CLOCK

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