

**ORDER OF CURFEW PURSUANT TO DECLARATION OF
LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 48-932 provides authority for the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of any county in Kansas to declare that a disaster has occurred or the threat thereof is imminent within such county; and such a local disaster emergency has been declared.

WHEREAS, the Chairman of Riley County has information to believe that an order of curfew is necessary to protect life and property within the area affected, specifically such curfew is necessary with areas which have been ordered evacuated by local or state emergency response authorities.

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 48-939 makes it a class A misdemeanor for any person convicted of violating any lawful order or proclamation issued under the authority of a declaration of a state of local disaster emergency.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby declared by the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Riley County, Kansas that Severe Weather and Flooding may or have caused, or eminently threaten to cause wide-spread or severe damage, injury or loss of life or property in disaster proportion in Riley County, Kansas, and a local disaster emergency is currently in effect.

That pursuant to the authority granted by K.S.A. 48-932 and K.S.A. 48-939, the undersigned Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Riley County, Kansas hereby orders a curfew within those areas of Riley County ordered to be evacuated by local or state emergency response authorities.

The following prohibitions shall apply only during the hours of this curfew and only in the evacuated area(s):

1. Members of the public who are not residents of the evacuated area(s) shall not enter the evacuated area(s).
2. Residents of the evacuated area(s) shall not walk, run, loiter, stand, bicycle, or drive a motorized vehicle upon any alley, street, highway, public property or vacant premises within the evacuated area(s) unless it is necessary for a medical or other emergency.
3. No business in the evacuated area(s) shall be open to on-site visits by the public.
4. None of these prohibitions shall apply to emergency response authorities or their authorized employees, authorized agents, and authorized volunteers, nor shall these prohibitions apply to other government or utilities employees acting within the course of their official duties. Authorized persons are those who have been requested by emergency response authorities to enter the evacuated area(s).
5. Such curfew shall be in effect for each day the local disaster emergency declaration is in effect, and shall extend to all unauthorized persons within the areas which have been ordered evacuated by local emergency response authorities.

6. Such curfew shall extend each day from sundown until sunrise of the following day, until further order of the undersigned Chairman, or until the local disaster emergency expires or is cancelled.

This Order of Curfew is made and is in effect as of May 30, 2019.

This Order of Curfew shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be promptly filed with the Riley County Clerk.

**DECLARED BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
RILEY COUNTY, KANSAS, ON THIS 30th DAY OF May 2019.**

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF RILEY COUNTY KANSAS

Ronald E Wells
Ronald E. Wells, Chairman



ATTEST:

Rich Vargo
Rich Vargo, Riley County Clerk