As many of you know, on April 27th, Governor Greg Abbott addressed the State on “Opening back Texas.” In his address, he put in new directives in his “Executive Order GA-18.” On re-opening Texas, starting May 1st, phase I – re-open businesses, retailers, restaurants, movie theatres, all at a 25% capacity (if they choose.) Museums and Libraries may open if permitted by local government at 25% capacity. The Governor also did not allow barbershops, salons, gyms and bars to re-open since he did not deem them safe yet. You can see more of the Governor’s “Open Texas Plan” on this website www.gov.texas.gov/open texas. As we re-open Foard County businesses, and restaurants, let us continue to act responsibly as we re-engage in the economy, to continue following all the health precautions and sanitizing guidelines and care for our vulnerable neighbors. This is not the time to let your guard down. Continue doing what we have been doing so well. In the “social distancing”, if you feel you need to wear face guard, do so. The CDC still highly recommends this in public places. Our lives depend on our actions, STAY SAFE. May God Bless and protect Foard County, AMEN.

Respectfully,

Foard County Judge and Commissioners