IN THE DISTRICT COURTS OF	§	$51^{ m ST}$ JUDICIAL DISTRICT
	§	119 TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
TOM GREEN COUNTY,	§	340 TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
STATE OF TEXAS	8	391^{ST} JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NOTICE AND ORDER REGARDING THE PROHIBITION OF FIREARMS AND OTHER WEAPONS IN THE TOM GREEN COUNTY COURTHOUSE

The District Judges of Tom Green County have determined that all areas of the Tom Green County Courthouse, located at 112 W. Beauregard, San Angelo, Texas, are essential to the operation of the Courts housed therein. Because each of the courtrooms, offices, and Departments housed within the Tom Green County Courthouse are directly related, and essential, to the business and operation of the Courts,

IT IS, THEREFORE ORDERED THAT firearms and other weapons are prohibited therein (See Texas Government Code §411.209, Texas Penal Code §46.03(a)(3), and Texas Attorney General Opinion No. KP-0047). This prohibition applies to a person carrying a firearm or weapon under license or authority of any State or Federal law.

The District Judges grant an exception from this prohibition to Bailiffs, Courthouse Security Officers, Jail/Prison Transport Officers (who are transporting a criminal defendant to the courthouse for a court proceeding), Constables, Staff Investigators for the District Attorneys, County Attorney and the CVPDO (who are licensed Peace Officers), and other licensed Law Enforcement Officers, who are **NOT** appearing for jury duty, as a party to a civil or criminal matter, or as a witness (in their individual capacity) in a civil or criminal matter.

SIGNED this 12th day of January, 2023

Carmen S. Dusek, District Judge

51st Judicial District

Jar K. Weatherby, District Judge

340th Judicial District

Ben Woodward, District Judge

119th Judicial District

Brad Goodwin, District Judge

391st Judicial District