

**MINUTES OF THE CRISP COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
EMERGENCY CALLED MEETING HELD ON MARCH 30, 2020
9:30 a.m.**

OPENING CEREMONIES

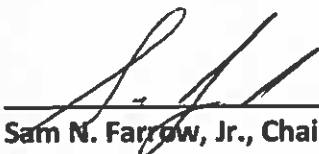
Chairman Sam Farrow, Jr. called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. in Room 305 of the Crisp County Government Center, with Commissioners Larry Felton and J. R. Dowdy, III in attendance. Others present were County Administrator Clark Harrell, City of Cordele Chairman John Wiggins and County Clerk Linda Finch. In attendance by telephone were Commissioners Wallace Mathis and A. James Nance, County Attorney Rick Lawson, Sheriff and EMA Director Billy Hancock, City of Arabi Mayor Craig Huckaby, and Pastor Don Howell. Chairman Farrow welcomed all in attendance. Pastor Howell gave the invocation.

**ADOPT STATE OF EMERGENCY AMENDMENT OF THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY
RELATED TO COVID-19 ORDINANCE 2020-005
ORDINANCE 2020-007**

Administrator Harrell reported that he has today an Amendment of the Declaration of a Local State of Emergency Related to COVID-19 Ordinance 2020-005. He read the Ordinance requiring a curfew to be put in place from 9:30 p.m. each night and continuing until 6:00 a.m. each morning. Sheriff Hancock reported that in the last few days they have been unable to get people to comply with gatherings of ten or less. Some of the commissioners have called him and reported such incidents. Administrator Harrell advised that he has spoken with Chairman Wiggins and Mayor Huckaby, and again this ordinance will be for the City of Arabi, the City of Cordele and all of Crisp County. They are all in agreement with this ordinance. **Motion was made by Commissioner Dowdy to adopt State of Emergency Ordinance 2020-007 Amendment of the Declaration of a Local State of Emergency Related to COVID-19 Ordinance 2020-005, which is supported by Mayor Huckaby of Arabi, and Chairman Wiggins of the City of Cordele, seconded by Mr. Felton, motion carried unanimously.**

ADJOURNMENT

By common consent, Commissioners adjourned the meeting at 9:45 a.m. after no further business.



Sam N. Farrow, Jr., Chairman



Clark Harrell, Administrator