



STATE OF TEXAS §  
COUNTY OF COMAL §

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**ORDER #336 SETTING POLICY FOR SMOKE-FREE COUNTY FACILITIES**

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**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Comal County ("County") is authorized to restrict the use of tobacco products pursuant to: Texas Constitution, Article V, Section 18 (powers and jurisdiction over all county business); Texas Local Government Code, Section 291.001 (authority to maintain public buildings); Texas Health and Safety Code, Section 121.003 (authority to enforce any law reasonably necessary to protect the public health); and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Comal County is committed to providing a safe and healthy worksite and to promoting the health and well-being of its employees and visitors utilizing county facilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Comal County finds that is it necessary to set policies restricting the use of tobacco products within and on county facilities and property.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Commissioners Court of Comal County prohibits the following in all county owned/leased facilities, including all enclosed property and garages, county owned/leased vehicles as directed by each elected official and/or department head, and within twenty-five (25) feet of any entrance to county facilities:

- Smoking any type of tobacco products;
- The use of any electronic cigarette, nicotine vaporizer, or electronic nicotine delivery system.

**ADOPTED THIS 13<sup>th</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014.**

  
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Sherman Krause, Comal County Judge

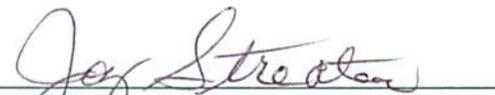
  
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**ATTEST:**   
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Joy Streater, County Clerk