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**For Immediate Release:**

**Interstate Boat Ramp Closer**

Effective Thursday, April 9, 2020, Judge Kutscher has requested Texas Parks and Wildlife, and The Texas Department of Transportation close access to the boat ramp under Interstate 10 through the Easter weekend in an effort to reduce and slow the spread of COVID-19.

The order to close the ramp goes into effect 5 p.m Thursday, April 9, 2020, and expires at 8 a.m Tuesday, April 14, 2020.

In an effort to reduce the spread of COVID-19 and to limit the number of people coming to Guadalupe County during our Stay Home Stay Safe Order, Judge Kutscher has requested TXDOT and Texas Parks and Wildlife close the Interstate 10 boat ramp over the Easter. The Stay Home Stay Safe Order issued April 3, 2020, was put into place to limit citizens from doing unnecessary travel, and by closing the ramp, this would one step to help prevent unnecessary travel to the boat ramp over the weekend.

This order is only to close the public ramp under Interstate 10 and does not close any private access to the water. Any private use on the lakes over the Easter weekend shall still follow the guidelines outlined by the Texas Department of State Health Services and the Stay Home Stay Safe Order signed by Judge Kutscher.

The public can find up-to-date coronavirus information at [dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus](https://dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus), and at <https://www.co.guadalupe.tx.us/>. If you have questions about COVID-19, call 2-1-1.