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NEWS ADVISORY

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Hidalgo County Jury Duty Cancelled for week of March 16

EDINBURG – Because of growing concerns with the COVID-19 virus, all jury panels in Hidalgo County have been cancelled for the week of March 16, 2020, according to an order submitted by State District Judge Noe Gonzalez, the local administrative presiding judge.

In addition, an emergency meeting of the Hidalgo County Board of Judges has been called for Monday to discuss future court operations in light of concerns over COVID-19.

For more information please contact Hidalgo County Public Affairs Director Carlos Sanchez at 956-292-7026.

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