

# News Release



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## Brewster County, Texas

November 25, 2020

**To: Area Media**

**From: Brewster County Judge's Office**

### **For Immediate Release:**

**On October 14, 2020, Brewster County Judge submitted GA-32 Opt-In Form for the reopening of bar establishments. It has since been determined as of November 23, 2020 that under previous thresholds, TABC- Texas Alcohol Beverage Commission reported that Brewster County no longer meets the parameters for GA-32 Opt-In form and has become ineligible.**

**Effective as of 12:00 Midnight, Thursday, November 26, 2020, per Judge Eleazar R. Cano, has ordered all bar establishments to close, except for those with food services!**

**For those establishments that have less than 51 percent of their gross receipts from the sale of alcoholic beverages, and whose customers eat or drink only while seated, may offer dine-in services. For more details please refer to Governor Abbott's Executive Order GA-32.**

***The Department of State Health Services (DSHS) notified TABC that Brewster County is included in a Trauma Service Area (TSA) that now has high hospitalizations as defined by the current executive order. Brewster County previously filed a certification form with TABC to indicate that Brewster County opted to open bars and similar establishments in Brewster County. Because Brewster County is now located within a high hospitalization TSA, bars and similar establishments in Brewster County may remain open, only if Brewster County separately has filed and are in compliance with the attestation form promulgated by DSHS regarding minimal cases of Covid-19 in Brewster County. Accordingly, Brewster County has been notified by DSHS that Brewster County's attestation has been revoked and therefore Brewster County is ineligible to remain open for bars.***