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The Coronavirus outbreak has caused widespread disruption around the world and here at home. The Lee County Tax Assessor-Collector believes it is our role and responsibility to continue providing essential government services while implementing preventative measures to ensure the health of the public and our employees during this time.

As such, we want to inform the public that the Lexington Substation of the Tax Office will be closed to lobby traffic but you will be able to use the drive thru on the North side of the building. There is also a black drop box next to the entrance of the JP Office for payments. Staff will still be in the office. You may call 979-773-2266 if you have questions.

The Giddings Tax Office will also be closed to lobby traffic. The staff will remain in the office to process mail and phone calls. There is a drop box labeled "Tax Office" and "Appraisal Office" that is available by the front entrance to the building. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS WE ASK YOU CALL OUR OFFICE AT 979-542-2640 or 979-773-2266 in Lexington.

Please note that these closures WILL NOT AFFECT the due date of tax payments; installment or quarterly payments are still due and can be made by mail, phone, drop box, or online. Again, you may phone our office for assistance (979-542-2640).

The Tax Assessor-Collector and the County will review the situation again by Friday, March 20, 2020 to see if an extension for closure will be needed and we will inform the public at that time.