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# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Darin Ludlum

Sent:

Tuesday, July 20, 2020 3.33 AIVI

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Attack of Nevada County

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#### Supervisors:

Each of you must stop your attack of the citizens and businesses of Nevada County. I ask you to vote NO on the 7/28/2020 BOS agenda item #37, " AN UNCODIFIED TEMPORARY URGENCY ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE ORDERS ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)."

Are you aware that you are COMPLICIT in fraud by INTENTIONALLY MISREPRESENTING THE INFORMATION about this "local health emergency" for monetary gain? In other words, you are allowing this "local health emergency" to stand in order to get state and federal funds. This is FRAUD, which is a FELONY, and which carries a PRISON SENTENCE.

Sincerely,

Darin Ludlum Grass Valley, CA



#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

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Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:35 PM

To:

SABINE BECK

Subject:

**OPPOSITION TO ITEM 37** 

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Dear Supervisors Hall, Scofield, Miller, Hoek & Anderson:

I am writing to you to express my **strong opposition** to Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of Covid-related health department orders.

# Here are the main reasons:

1) I am opposed for Nevada County to go above and beyond the <u>COVID-19.ca.govguidelines</u> which clearly state that masks are NOT required when outdoors in public while staying six feet from others who are not part of your household.

# When can you take off your mask?

There are times when it's okay to take your mask off when you're away from home, such as:

- · When eating or drinking
- If a hearing-impaired person needs to read your lips
- If wearing a face covering imposes a risk to you at work for example, if it could get caught in machinery
- When you're not sharing a common area, room or enclosed space with others

- When you are getting a service to the nose or face
- When outdoors in public and can stay six feet from others

You should replace the mask as soon as you can after these activities to reduce the risk of infection.

# 2) Nevada County is not on the watch list by the Governor!

Nevada County has 98.7 K people with currently 95 new cases over the last 14 days with 0 deaths. <a href="https://covid19.ca.gov/roadmap-counties/#track-data">https://covid19.ca.gov/roadmap-counties/#track-data</a> does not specify whether the cases are confirmed or not which leaves the number wide open to interpretation.

Please refer to <a href="https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nndss/conditions/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19/case-definition/2020/">https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nndss/conditions/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19/case-definition/2020/</a> for the exact definition of "cases".

Excerpts from the CDC on the definition of "cases".(see link above):

#### **Probable**

- Meets clinical criteria AND epidemiologic evidence with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19.
- Meets presumptive laboratory evidence AND either clinical criteria OR epidemiologic evidence.
- Meets vital records criteria with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19.

#### Confirmed

Meets confirmatory laboratory evidence.

# **Laboratory Criteria**

Laboratory evidence using a method approved or authorized by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or designated authority:

Confirmatory laboratory evidence:

 Detection of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 ribonucleic acid (SARS-CoV-2 RNA) in a clinical specimen using a molecular amplification detection test

Presumptive laboratory evidence:

- Detection of specific antigen in a clinical specimen
- Detection of specific antibody in serum, plasma, or whole blood indicative of a new or recent infection\*

# **Epidemiologic Linkage**

One or more of the following exposures in the 14 days before onset of symptoms:

- Close contact\*\* with a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19 disease; OR
- Close contact\*\* with a person with:
  - clinically compatible illness AND
  - o linkage to a confirmed case of COVID-19 disease.
- Travel to or residence in an area with sustained, ongoing community transmission of SARS-CoV-2.
- Member of a risk cohort as defined by public health authorities during an outbreak.

If we are dealing with unconfirmed cases we cannot be sure that the number is indeed correct, it might be overstated!

- 3. Substantial scientific evidence proves that wearing cloth face masks does not protect the wearer. COVID virus droplets, which to survive must be surrounded by a lipid (fat), can easily pass through the cotton mask cloth or simply pass around the mask periphery, as these are not sealed respirator-type masks.
- 4. Cotton mask proponents falsely argue that if someone is an asymptomatic carrier of the virus (no one has actually ever been identified as being one) and they breathe or sneeze, the virus will not escape the

<sup>\*</sup>Serologic methods for diagnosis are currently being defined.

mask. Just as the virus can pass into the mask, it can pass out. So, they offer little to no protection to anyone.

- 5. Cotton masks are therefore useless to prevent the spread of the virus, and are nothing more than a "virtue signaling" ploy to self-proclaim as a "caring" individual. And a compliant member of the sheeple.
- 7. OSHA has strict regulations for PPE workplace use of masks and respirators to guard against these types of risks (CO2 toxicity and bacteria ingestion), but these actual "safety" regulations have been illegally ignored in the current mass application of masking in the business workplace setting.

When will our Health Department enforce OSHA mask regulations to protect the health of workers and the public from excessive mask usage resulting in CO2 toxicity and bacteria overload? The argument that medical professionals suffer no adverse effects also is not supported. OSHA provides hospital and health professional that do wear masks for lengthy periods to be medically tested and extensive additional oxygen enhancing equipment provided.

Given the current Covid situation in Nevada County there is NO reason for rules that are stronger than those Governor Newsom released (see above)!

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS NOTICE THAT Failure to vote NO on Item 37 and continued use of force, under color of law, upon individuals and businesses by county departments of these counter-scientific unwarranted un-Constitutional measures will most certainly expose the county and individuals therein to corporate and personal liability.

Sincerely,

Sabine Beck

Resident of Nevada City

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# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:18 PM

To: Subject: Julie Patterson-Hunter FW: no fines/enforcement

From: cathy collings

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 4:29 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: no fines/enforcement

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Dear Mr. Scofield,

I am writing to oppose Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders. This ordinance is not constitutional and ignores basic human rights of bodily autonomy. We do not have a pandemic in this County. Case numbers are meaningless, based on a faulty test. Our businesses need support, not fines.

If you choose to pass this ordinance, what accommodations will you be making for individuals who cannot wear masks? Who will be held liable for injury resulting from this ordinance? Two children in our community have already passed out after wearing masks for short periods of time.

Why are we considering an ordinance that will allow the vulnerable, weak, and fearful to feel comfortable walking around our community while those who are healthy are forced to stay home because they do not want to compromise their health by wearing a mask? The logic in this moment has been overtaken by fear.

Our community is already fighting over this issue. Please don't tear it apart further by passing this unreasonable and unconstitutional ordinance.

Sincerely,

Cathy Collings, District 1

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#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From: Shan Kendall

**Sent:** Monday, July 27, 2020 1:47 PM

To: bdofsupervisors; erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; duanestrawser@gmail.com;

davidsparkyparker569@gmail.com; danielafornevadacity@gmail.com; Sheriff; Public Health; Env.Health; Chad Ellis; Glennah Trochet; CEO; Heidi Hall; Dan Miller; Sue Hoek;

Richard Anderson; Ken Cutler; Amy Irani

Subject: Proposed "Urgency Ordinance"

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Dear Supervisors Hall, Scofield, Miller, Hoek & Anderson:

I am writing to strongly oppose Item 37, the "temporary" Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders.

There are several grounds upon which this is at best a bad idea and at worst an unconstitutional power grab by the governor and health department, and thus by Nevada County.

- 1. The Governor's emergency power in March was triggered by a need to prevent overloading our urgent care capabilities. That risk has long passed, and under the CA Constitution the Governor's emergency power has ended. No such risk of overwhelming our care capacity currently exists. Accurate data support this conclusion.
- 2. As a result, the Governor's recent orders are illegal and unenforceable, as are the orders of our Health Department, which has no new emergency authority than the Governor's and which is inadequate to force such draconian measures. No emergency exists.
- 3. Substantial scientific evidence proves that wearing cloth face masks does not protect the wearer. COVID virus droplets, which to survive must be surrounded by a lipid (fat), can easily pass through the cotton mask cloth or simply pass around the mask periphery, as these are not sealed respirator-type masks.
- 4. Cotton mask proponents falsely argue that if someone is an asymptomatic carrier of the virus (no one has actually ever been identified as being one) and they breathe or sneeze, the virus will not escape the mask. Just as the virus can pass into the mask, it can pass out. So, they offer little to no protection to anyone.
- 5. Cotton masks are therefore useless to prevent the spread of the virus, and are nothing more than a "virtue signaling" ploy to self-proclaim as a "caring" individual. And a compliant member of the sheeple.
- 6. Masks are not just merely a virtue symbol; they degrade the health of the wearer. Breathing one's CO2 and bacteria-laden breath for long periods of time can actually cause health risks including degraded immunity capability--the exact opposite of what we as a society are striving for.

- 7. OSHA has strict regulations for PPE workplace use of masks and respirators to guard against these types of risks (CO2 toxicity and bacteria ingestion), but these actual "safety" regulations have been illegally ignored in the current mass application of masking in the business workplace setting.
- 8. We have adopted the draconian CCP practice of forcing everyone to wear an ineffective mask, AS IF EVERYONE IS INFECTED as a way to blindly force obedience to power-hungry officials. What is the miniscule percentage of actually infected people in our county? Less than one percent (-0.1%). Yet, we are all being treated as infected criminals, commanded to kill our local businesses and to kow-tow to our elected "representatives" who serve solely with our consent, who are forcing dangerous measures with NO scientific support.
- 9. When will this insanity end?
- 10. When will our Health Department enforce OSHA mask regulations to protect the health of workers and the public from excessive mask usage resulting in CO2 toxicity and bacteria overload? The argument that medical professionals suffer no adverse effects also is not supported. OSHA provides hospital and health professionals that do wear masks for lengthy periods to be medically tested and extensive additional oxygen enhancing equipment provided.
- 11. When will our County Supervisors exercise appropriate control over staff and require independent investigation of legal, scientific and other appropriate considerations, as well as tailoring based upon local considerations?
- 12. PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS NOTICE THAT Failure to vote NO on Item 37 and continued use of force, under color of law, upon individuals and businesses by county departments of these counterscientific unwarranted un-Constitutional measures will most certainly expose the county and individuals therein to corporate and <u>personal liability.</u>

Sincerely,

Shan Kendall, Teacher, Yuba River Charter School

# PS

While I did not write all of the above words in this letter, I do support it all and strongly oppose the unconstitutionality of this proposed ordinance. As a teacher, I am seeing the negative effects on our children and know that they need to be in school with NO masks or distancing.

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#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Bob Hren

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:02 PM

To:

bdofsupervisors; BOS Public Comment

Cc:

Heidi Hall; Ed Scofield; Dan Miller; Sue Hoek; Richard Anderson

Subject:

BOS Agenda, Tuesday 7-28-20, Item 37

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Dear Supervisors Hall, Scofield, Miller, Hoek and Anderson

I am writing to strongly oppose Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders. Please read to the end, as there is an important observation you should be aware of.

Personally, I wear a mask now in stores and public areas not because of the Governor's mandate (I do not consider it to be legal), not to reduce risk of contracting COVID or to protect others (masks do not work) but rather to not alarm other customers, who have been whipped into a frenzy of fear by the use of false science and constant propaganda about mask usage. Let me elaborate on some points:

- 1. The Governor's emergency authority ended when the threat of overloaded urgent care subsided. That threat has not returned and as a result no emergency authority exists for the Governor or even for the County Health Department. I Could go on, but will leave the final determination on this to the courts.
- 2. Wearing cloth face masks does not protect the wearer. COVID virus droplets, which to survive must be surrounded by a lipid (fat), can easily pass through the cotton mask cloth or simply pass around the mask periphery, as these are not sealed respirator-type masks.
- 3. Cotton mask proponents argue that if someone is an asymptomatic carrier of the virus (no one has actually ever been identified as being one) and they breathe or sneeze, the virus will not escape the mask. Just as the virus can pass into the mask, it can pass out. So, they offer little to no protection to anyone.
- 4. Cotton masks are therefore useless to prevent the spread of the virus, and are nothing more than a "virtue signalling" ploy to self-proclaim as a "caring" individual. And a compliant member of the sheeple.
- 5. Masks are not just merely a virtue symbol, they degrade the health of the wearer. Breathing one's CO2 and bacteria-laden breath for long periods of time can actually cause health risks including degraded immunity capability--the exact opposite of what we as a society are striving for.
- 6. OSHA has strict regulations for workplace use of masks and respirators to guard against these types of risks (CO2 toxicity and bacteria ingestion), but these safety regulations have been illegally ignored in the current mass application of masking in the business workplace setting.

- 7. In Asian countries, often cited as examples for effective mask use, the masks have traditionally only been worn by INFECTED persons who venture out into society.
- 8. We have adopted the draconian CCP practice of forcing everyone to wear an ineffective mask, AS IF EVERYONE IS INFECTED as a way to blindly force obedience to power-hungry officials. What is the miniscule percentage of actually infected people in our county?? A VERY VERY low number, almost infinitesimal. Yet we are all being treated as infected criminals, commanded to kill our local businesses and to kow-tow to elected or appointed "authority" with actually NO valid scientific basis.
- 9. When will this insanity end?
- 10. When will our Health Department enforce OSHA mask regulations to protect the health of workers and the public from excessive mask usage and CO2/bacteria overload? The workplace and medical activities include frequent monitoring and availability of oxygen support.
- 11. When will our County Supervisors fulfill their duty to exercise oversight and control over staff?

In closing I want to say that our county has been fortunate with few cases, only one death by a very ill person who came to our county from the Bay Area already ill, all other patients have been successfully treated/recovered. Our citizens are responsible. Imposing the proposed draconian fines for businesses will be the final blow to many of them. The fine on individuals for not wearing an ineffective mask is almost criminal, certainly what a totalitarian regime may do. Not our County. Our officers have much on their hands and no way to police this.

This measure will bring out the worst in people. I have already seen one of our Supervisors, on social media, urging people to report anyone not wearing a mask to the county for enforcement follow-up. Really?? I would expect this type of behavior from something like the Stasi secret police in Communist East Germany, not from one of our Supervisors. (And, yes, there has been a scrubbing of that social media file but screen shots exist.)

So, I urge you to VOTE NO on this ordinance.

Bob Hren Submitted as an individual residing in SD1 Dist 2

#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Richard Callan

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 7:09 PIVI

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Fines?

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Fines are not acceptable. We want all the cities businesses open now. Govenor Newsome is following the wrong medical "experts" who adhere to pharmaceutical studies that push drugs. Now that Renette can't hold your hands anymore it's time you all wake up. The true Science is there. Dr Rashid Buttar is a good place to start. If you want to live and be a responsible steward for the public you have to research. Don't just follow Orders like a brown shirt. No one to fight except lies. You each are individually responsible. Do the right thing. Aware citizens.



#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Richard Callan

Sent:

Wednesday, July 29, 2020 9:20 AM

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Fwd: Another failure of the COVID diagnostic test

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Subject: Another failure of the COVID diagnostic test

To: <rical0033@gmail.com>

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# Another failure of the COVID diagnostic test

(To read about Jon's mega-collection, The Matrix Revealed, click here.)

In previous articles, I've detailed several key reasons why the PCR test is worthless and deceptive.

Here I discuss yet another reason: the uniformity of the test has never been properly validated. Different labs come up with different results.

Let's start here---the reference is the NY Times, January 22, 2007, "Faith in Quick Tests Leads to Epidemic That Wasn't."

"Dr. Brooke Herndon, an internist at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, could not stop coughing...By late April, other health care workers at the hospital were coughing..."

"For months, nearly everyone involved thought the medical center had had a huge whooping cough outbreak, with extensive ramifications. Nearly 1,000 health care workers at the hospital in Lebanon, N.H., were given a preliminary test and furloughed from work until their results were in; 142

people, including Dr. Herndon, were told they appeared to have the disease; and thousands were given antibiotics and a vaccine for protection. Hospital beds were taken out of commission, including some in intensive care."

"Then, about eight months later, health care workers were dumbfounded to receive an e-mail message from the hospital administration informing them that the whole thing was a false alarm."

"Now, as they look back on the episode, epidemiologists and infectious disease specialists say the problem was that they placed too much faith in a quick and highly sensitive molecular test [PCR] that led them astray."

"There are no national data on pseudo-epidemics caused by an overreliance on such molecular tests, said Dr. Trish M. Perl, an epidemiologist at Johns Hopkins and past president of the Society of Health Care Epidemiologists of America. But, she said, pseudo-epidemics happen all the time. The Dartmouth case may have been one the largest, but it was by no means an exception, she said."

"Many of the new molecular [PCR] tests are quick but technically demanding, and each laboratory may do them in its own way. These tests, called 'home brews,' are not commercially available, and there are no good estimates of their error rates. But their very sensitivity makes false positives likely, and when hundreds or thousands of people are tested, as occurred at Dartmouth, false positives can make it seem like there is an epidemic."

"'You're in a little bit of no man's land,' with the new molecular [PCR] tests, said Dr. Mark Perkins, an infectious disease specialist and chief scientific officer at the Foundation for Innovative New Diagnostics, a nonprofit foundation supported by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. 'All bets are off on exact performance'."

"With pertussis, she [Dr. Kretsinger, CDC] said, 'there are probably 100 different P.C.R. protocols and methods being used throughout the country,' and it is unclear how often any of them are accurate. 'We have had a number of outbreaks where we believe that despite the presence of P.C.R.-positive results, the disease was not pertussis,' Dr. Kretsinger added."

"Dr. Cathy A. Petti, an infectious disease specialist at the University of Utah, said the story had one clear lesson."

"'The big message is that every lab is vulnerable to having false positives,' Dr. Petti said. 'No single test result is absolute and that is even more important with a test result based on P.C.R'."

---Sobering, to say the least. Of course, some people will claim that since the date of the Times' article (2007), vast improvements have been made in the PCR test.

Really? The truth is, something much worse is lurking in the weeds. It has been lurking ever since the PCR was approved for use in diagnostics:

No large study validating the uniformity of PCR results, from lab to lab, has ever been done.

You would think at least a dozen very large studies had checked for uniform results, before unleashing the PCR on the public; but no, this was not the case. It is still not the case.

Here is what should have been done decades ago:

Take a thousand volunteers. Remove tissue samples from each person. Send those samples to 30 different labs. Have the labs run PCR and announce their findings for each volunteer.

"We found the following virus in sample 1..." Something simple like that.

Now compare the findings, in each of the 1000 cases, from all 30 labs. Are the findings the same? Are the outcomes uniform all the way across the board?

My money would be against it. Strongly against.

But this is not the end of the process. SEVERAL of these large-scale studies should be done. In EACH study, there are 1000 volunteers and 30 labs.

Why? Because, as you can readily see, the whole story about a current pandemic is riding on those tests. The story, the containment measures, the lockdowns, the economic devastation, the human destruction---it's all built on the presumption that the PCR is a valid test.

It's unthinkable that these validation studies of the PCR weren't done

decades ago. But they weren't. And there is only one reason why: to avoid the truth. The results of the PCR aren't uniform. They vary from lab to lab.

One lab says positive for virus B. Another lab says negative for virus B. Both labs are looking at the same sample.

No? Couldn't be? Then prove it with the several large-scale studies I'm proposing.

I'll give you a rough fictional analogy for the current testing situation---

In an old-growth forest of immense trees, a government agency tests white spots found on some trunks. The verdict? A highly destructive and novel fungus, for which there is no remedy. Without immediate and drastic action, the fungus will spread to the whole forest and destroy all the trees.

So a government contract is signed with a logging company, and workers move in and start cutting down many trees.

Meanwhile, another lab tests those white spots and reports they're harmless bird droppings. Yet another lab claims they're a mild traditional fungus of no great concern.

The reports of these two labs are suppressed and censored. The labs are put on a quiet blacklist, and their business dries up.

The tree cutting continues.

An analyst at the US Forestry Service sends a memo to his boss. It details the fact that the test which found deadly fungus is unreliable. Different labs doing the test come up with different and conflicting results.

Worse yet, that test was never properly validated as a uniform process before being approved for use. In other words, no one did a large study in which multiple labs used the test to determine the composition of spots found on trees. No one made sure that all labs came to the same conclusions using the test.

The Forestry analyst writes: "The test has inherent flaws. Different labs examining the same sample will always come up with different results. This has disastrous consequences in the real world. You can see that now; we are cutting down half a forest to prevent the spread of a

fungus which has been noticed for centuries, and never caused serious harm..."

The analyst is fired from his job and firmly reminded that he signed a non-disclosure agreement, and he better keep his mouth shut.

The tree-cutting goes on. A developer buys up the cleared land at a very low price...

In essence, the pipeline of information from actually reliable sources, to the government, and then to the public, is narrowed, and guarded against unwelcome intrusions of TRUTH.

In the case of the PCR test, that's what is happening.

SOURCE:

nytimes[dot]com/2007/01/22/health/22whoop.html

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# Jon Rappoport

The author of three explosive collections, THE MATRIX REVEALED, EXIT FROM THE MATRIX, and POWER OUTSIDE THE MATRIX, Jon was a candidate for a US Congressional seat in the 29th District of California. He maintains a consulting practice for private clients, the purpose of which is the expansion of personal creative power. Nominated for a Pulitzer Prize, he has worked as an investigative reporter for 30 years, writing articles on politics, medicine, and health for CBS Healthwatch, LA Weekly, Spin Magazine, Stern, and other newspapers and magazines in the US and Europe. Jon has delivered lectures and seminars on global politics, health, logic, and creative power to audiences around the world.

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From:

Ed Scofield

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Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:48 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Testimony for BOS mtg, Tuesday, July 28, 2020

Attachments:

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From: Joy Brann

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 2:59 PM

To: Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller

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Subject: Testimony for BOS mtg, Tuesday, July 28, 2020

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Apologies for duplications; please see my testimony below and attached for tomorrow's board of supervisors meeting. Thank you,

Jov Brann, MPH

July 27, 2020

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Public Officials of Nevada County

Board or Supervisors: Heidi Hall, Ed Scofield, Dan Miller, Sue Hoek, Richard Anderson

Sherriff: Shannon Moon

Public Health Directors: Jill Blake, Glennah Trochet, Ryan Gruver, Ken Cutler

Environmental Health: Amy Irani County Executive: Alison Lehman

Police: Chad Ellis

From:

Joy Brann, MPH

Subject: Remove the proposed "uncodified temporary ordinance authorizing county enforcement officers to enforce orders issued by the public health officer regarding the novel coronavirus" from the July 28, 2020 meeting agenda.

As a Nevada County resident I am concerned about the escalation of unlawful attempts to restrict our constitutional rights in response to misleading false assumptions upon which the Governor's state of emergency orders are based.

According to the CDC (May 2020), "The evidence from RCTs (Randomized Control Trials) suggested that *the use of face masks either by infected persons or by uninfected persons does not have a substantial effect on influenza transmission*." "There was a limited amount of evidence suggesting that surface and object cleaning does not have a substantial effect on influenza transmission."

(https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/26/5/19-0994\_article.)

Our County is currently NOT experiencing anything resembling a pandemic. As of July 25, the current COVID-19 facts are:

255 total cases; 116 in Western Nevada County; 41 active cases; 1,090 total cases per 100,000 for CA vs 255 per 100,000 for Nevada County. 76% less; 1 Death per 100,000 in Nevada County vs 21 per 100,000 for CA. 95.2% less.

For comparison we had 30 flu deaths for the last year we have data (2017-2018) which comes to 30 deaths per 100,000 people in Nevada County or THIRTY TIMES THE DEATH RATE WE HAVE FOR COVID - 300% more. We never shut down one business or required extreme and unfounded "precautions."

The declaration of a State of Emergency for the COVID-19 diagnosis criteria for a series of pneumonia and influenza related symptoms and the allegations of the existence of a "novel coronavirus" is based on a series of false assumptions -not fact- that are fueling public division, fear and confusion.

- 1. According to the International Committee on Taxonomy of Viruses' (ICTV) Coronaviridae Study Group (CSG) publication on March 2, 2020, the preliminary data suggesting that there was sufficient variation to determine this to be a novel virus vs. a mutation of known coronaviruses, was not based on established scientific principles but was responsive to the World Health Organization's prior unfounded declaration of novelty of both the virus and a new disease;
- 2. There could be no independent verification of the epidemiologic models predicting dire infection and mortality rates as the underlying models and data were not published, and when sought, were reportedly corrupted so as to make their examination impossible;
- 3. In violation of State law, no medical or scientific evidence was provided to establish even causal links between the SARS CoV-2 and the symptoms of COVID-19, relying instead on foreign government hearsay and conjecture;
- 4. Since 2003, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and their subordinate organizations the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) maintained a patent preventing any independent organization from testing for the presence of coronavirus transmissible to humans through 2018 resulting in a complete lack of testing technologies;
- 5. No State official reviewed for accuracy or veracity any of the causal statements made in the Declaration of Emergency which contain false, misleading, and terror inducing statements;
- 6. In violation of well-established legal precedent from Jew Ho v. Williamson, 103 F. 10, 26 (C.C.N.D. Cal. 1900) and subsequent public health law, arbitrary and capricious rules were inflicted upon a part of the population that were not applied generally, resulting in the unlawful confinement of a healthy population with no basis in science or fact;

- 7. The Governor failed to provide adequate testing to confirm or deny the presence or absence of "a novel coronavirus" and, based on recent reports from testing of incarcerated persons reported by Reuters, 96% of prisoners testing positive for coronavirus are asymptomatic, demonstrating a failure to establish even a statistical link between the virus and the disease:
- 8. Neither the Governor nor any public health officer has followed evidence-based, peer-reviewed, clinical science showing that neither social distancing (of up to 6 feet of separation), nor the wearing of masks has any clinical effect in a healthy population and that instituting such policies is exclusively for the inducement of fear and terror in the population.

As a result of these and other established facts, the Governor's state of emergency orders are in violation of the State Constitution, are illegal and unenforceable. Therefore, as our Nevada County officials who see and know the factual evidence in our County please honor what is right, based in truth, and immediately cease and desist in your attempts to suspend my Constitutional rights and those of the common citizenry.

Sincerely,			
Joy Brann,	MPH,		



# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:52 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: SR 20-3312

From: Michael Taylor

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 7:56 AM

To: Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek

<Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller <Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Richard Anderson

<Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>
Cc: CEO <ceo@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Re: SR 20-3312

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## Dear Board of Supervisors,

I'm writing to you today asking that you please vote NO on Agenda item number 37 - SR 20-3312 on tomorrow's afternoon calendar. It is far overreaching in that it punishes the property owners by giving the County the ability to Lien property owners through property taxes. If the current fines of up to \$1000 a day is not enough to discourage the "THREE" restaurants Nevada County Health Department has deemed unsafe to the community, then \$10,000 will not either. I also feel it is a bad practice for County Staff and Counsel to write Ordinances for just a few bad apples with the BOS saying publicly it will only be enforced on the bad actors. Several high profile urgency ordinances have been poorly written and then been enforced on the broader spectrum of the community, for example the Event Ordinance and the just recently visited Firearm Ordinance. There are currently several issues in our County that are dividing us as a community, you are perfectly aware of them. Leadership is what is needed at the moment, not another overreaching ordinance. Again, please vote "NO" on this above item.

Kind Regards

Michael J Taylor

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# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:54 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37 Urgency Ordinance - Nevada County

From: Jerica Moore

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 11:16 PM

To: Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller

<Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek <Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Richard Anderson

<Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>; Amy Irani <Amy.Irani@co.nevada.ca.us>; HHSA <HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us>;

Sheriff <Sheriff@co.nevada.ca.us>; CEO <ceo@co.nevada.ca.us>; info@downtowngrassvalley.com; Env.Health

<Env.Health@co.nevada.ca.us>; Public Health < PublicHealth@co.nevada.ca.us>; Glennah Trochet

<Glennah.Trochet@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ken Cutler <Ken.Cutler@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37 Urgency Ordinance - Nevada County

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Dear Supervisors & To Whom It May Concern:

I, Jerica L. Moore, live in Nevada City in Heidi Hall's district 1, as a taxpayer, employee, business owner and longtime resident of Nevada County, urge you ALL to vote NO on the Item 37 Urgency Ordinance. I, among many others, including business owners are medically exempt by Dr's letters from wearing a mask. We need to have the freedom of choice for our health. I have been in the legal field for nearly twenty years, and it would appear from my findings that the penalties in Item 37 of the Urgency Ordinance are clearly in violation of Cal. Civ. Code § 51(b) in addition to HIPAA violation.

In further opposition to Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders, <a href="https://nevco.legistar.com/View.ashx?M=F&ID=8688575...">https://nevco.legistar.com/View.ashx?M=F&ID=8688575...</a> there are several grounds upon which this is at best a bad idea and at worst an unconstitutional power grab by the governor and our health department, and thus by our County.

- 1. The Governor's emergency power in March was triggered by a need to prevent overloading our urgent care capabilities. That risk has long passed, and under the CA Constitution the Governor's emergency power <u>has ended</u>. No such risk of overwhelming our care capacity exists now.
- 2. Therefore, his recent orders are illegal and unenforceable. As are the orders of our Health Department, which has no new emergency authority than the Governor posses, which is inadequate to force such a draconian measure.
- 3. Wearing cloth face masks does not protect the wearer. COVID virus droplets, which to survive must be surrounded by a lipid (fat), can easily pass through the cotton mask cloth or simply pass around the mask periphery, as these are not sealed respirator-type masks.
- 4. Cotton mask proponents falsely argue that if someone is an asymptomatic carrier of the virus (no one has actually ever been identified as being one) and they breathe or sneeze, the virus will not escape the mask. Just as the virus

can pass into the mask, it can pass out. So, they offer little to no protection to anyone. https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/26/5/19-0994 article

- 5. Cotton masks are therefore useless to prevent the spread of the virus, and are nothing more than a "virtue signalling" ploy to self-proclaim as a "caring" individual. And a compliant member of the sheeple.
- 6. Masks are not just merely a virtue symbol, they degrade the health of the wearer. Breathing one's CO2 and bacteria-laden breath for long periods of time can actually cause health risks including degraded immunity capability--the exact opposite of what we as a society are striving for.
- 7. OSHA has strict regulations for workplace use of masks and respirators to guard against these types of risks (CO2 toxicity and bacteria ingestion), but these regulations have been illegally ignored in the current mass application of masking in the business workplace setting.
- 8. In Asian countries, often cited as examples for effective mask use, the masks have traditionally only been worn by INFECTED persons who venture out into society.
- 9. We have adopted the draconian CCP practice of forcing everyone to wear an ineffective mask, AS IF EVERYONE IS INFECTED as a way to blindly force obedience to power-hungry officials. What is the miniscule percentage of actually infected people in our county?? A VERY VERY low number. Yet we are all being treated as infected criminals, commanded to kill our local businesses and to kow-tow to to "authority" with actually NO scientific basis.
- 10. When will this insanity end?
- 11. When will our Health Department enforce OSHA mask regulations to protect the health of workers and the public from excessive mask usage resulting in CO2 toxicity and bacteria overload?

Thank you for your service and commitment to liberty.

Jerica L. Moore of Nevada County, California

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Dist 1

# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:59 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Emergency!?!

Attachments:

help-w-covid.jpg

From: Terry Hertz

**Sent:** Monday, July 27, 2020 12:34 PM **To:** info@downtowngrassvalley.com

Cc: info@grassvalleychamber.com <info@grassvaleychamber.com>; amyirani@co.nevada.ca.us; Sheriff

<Sheriff@co.nevada.ca.us>; CEO <ceo@co.nevada.ca.us>; Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield

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Subject: Emergency!?!

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I **truly** wish that time would allow a personal note to each of you, but so hope this encouraging note, will suffice.

As we know Nevada County, and many other areas are NOT being adversely affected like the startling #'s we read about or see on social media...some (tens of 1000's), that have more recently been corrected. Please consider this, wisely, as you move forward on anything that may simply 'crush' the life out of any local

business.

Most sincerely Terry Hertz

It may simple...and the death rate may be slightly higher...BUT this short attachment, speaks volumes.

Dist 1

## Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:01 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: I oppose Item 37 and you should too!

From: Isaac Rappaport

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 11:59 PM

**To:** Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us> **Subject:** I oppose Item 37 and you should too!

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Dear Mr. Scofield,

I am writing to oppose Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders. This ordinance is not constitutional and ignores basic human rights of bodily autonomy. The Governor's emergency power in March was triggered by a need to maintain capacity in our hospitals. Our hospitals have plenty of capacity (we currently have ample capacity in our Nevada County hospitals), so this emergency declaration is now ended under the California Constitution. Therefore, Governor Newsom's recent guidelines are illegal and unenforceable.

Why is our County implementing stricter rules than Governor Newsom's current guidelines? Specifically, why does this ordinance propose to fine people for not wearing masks outside in public spaces? Mask wearing has been shown to be physically dangerous in numerous studies (especially for those having to wear them for extended periods of time). It is dangerous for the general public to wear masks without being properly trained in sanitation methods. In addition, there are many who experience psychological trauma when they try to wear a mask. If you choose to pass this ordinance, what accommodations will you be making for individuals who can not wear masks? Who will be held liable for injury resulting from this ordinance? Two children in our community have already passed out after wearing masks for short periods of time.

I implore you to conduct a cost benefit analysis to look at what will be lost in our community versus the benefit of wearing masks. We have had teen suicides, our small businesses are hanging on by a thread, there is now a generation of children who don't know how to socialize and aren't being educated, but the biggest loss is our own right to bodily autonomy. Why are we considering an ordinance that will allow the vulnerable, weak, and fearful to feel comfortable walking around our community while those who are healthy are forced to stay home because they do not want to compromise their health by wearing a mask? The logic in this moment has been overtaken by fear.

Our community is already fighting over this issue. Please don't tear it apart further by passing this unreasonable and unconstitutional ordinance.

Sincerely, Isaac Rappaport, District 1

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## Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:04 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Urging NO vote on Measure 37 ...

From: Dan Prout

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 9:10 PM

To: Sue Hoek <Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller <Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield

<Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Urging NO vote on Measure 37 ...

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#### 7/28/20

Board of Supervisors, Nevada County Dan Miller Sue Hoek Ed Scofield Heidi Hall

Richard Anderson

RE: Urgency Ordinance, Item 37, imposing fines on businesses and individuals

Our Position: AGAINST proposal.

The ordinance, as outlined in the paragraph below, is absurd. These penalties are out of line for small misdemeanors especially when constitutionality is clearly at stake. Moreover, we do not want tax money spent on staff people trying to enforce these extraordinary fees.

We urge a NO vote on this ridiculous proposal.

Dan Prout, Nevada City Kathleen Prout, Nevada City

Supervisor Heidi Hall has placed an Urgency Ordinance on the Tuesday, July 28 Board agenda. This measure, if passed, would impose a fine on for-profit and not-for-profit businesses for failure to comply with Health orders, which tend to parallel those of the Governor. Our HQ is just such a non-profit. Fines start at \$1,000 daily and rise to \$5,000 then \$10,000 daily. In addition, fines on individuals could be assessed up to \$500 daily for simply not wearing a mask in public, even while social distancing.



## Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:10 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Vote "No!" on BOS Agenda Item 37 (7/28/20) -- Yikes!

From: Judi Caler

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 6:16 PM

To: bdofsupervisors <bdofsupervisors@co.nevada.ca.us>; BOS Public Comment

<BOS.PublicComment@co.nevada.ca.us>

**Cc:** Richard Anderson < Richard. Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller < Dan. Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Heidi Hall < Heidi. Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek < Sue. Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield < Ed. Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Vote "No!" on BOS Agenda Item 37 (7/28/20) -- Yikes!

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Vote "No!" on BOS Agenda Item 37 scheduled for 7-28-2020.

I heard about this Draconian measure; and I had to fact check it on the "My Nevada County" website to confirm it was real, because I thought we lived in a free country.

You can't be serious about this agenda item! Face coverings are not scientifically proven to do anything positive. Furthermore, they are harmful to some, both physically and mentally. And aren't we supposed to have equal protection under the law? Plus, locking down our County and preventing people from entering businesses or closing businesses will further exacerbate the situation. Hasn't the lockdown caused enough damage to the economy and our health already (i.e. suicides, drugs, alcohol, postponed medical procedures, etc.)? Are some in power trying to kill off our County altogether?

I'd like to remind you that the healthcare system in our County has not been overwhelmed, and that there has been ONE DEATH in the County allegedly attributed to Covid-19.

County laws cannot supersede the California Constitution. And the Governor can't make laws--he's supposed to carry out the law. The Governor issued guidelines--those are suggestions! And the fines you are considering for normal living are unconstitutional and severe. I would hope that at least 2 Supervisors (and preferably more) have the good sense and courage to vote "NO!" and stop this insanity before half the residents of Nevada County become criminals and expensive lawsuits abound.

How embarrassing to have to remind our paid public servants that we live in a free country, and they aren't supposed to violate the State and Federal Constitutions which they are bound by oath or affirmation to support! Hello?!

If there's any time for courage--this is it!

Respectfully,

Judi & Don Caler

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#### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Subject:

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Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 11:19 AM

Cc:

Heidi Hall; Ed Scofield; Dan Miller; Sue Hoek; Richard Anderson; bdofsupervisors;

Env. Health; Alex Gammelgard; Sheriff; Glennah Trochet; CEO; Chad Ellis; Public Health

Public Testimony for BOS mtg, Tues, July 28, 2020 -- Oppose authorizing county

enforcement regarding the coronavirus

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Dear Board or Supervisors: Heidi Hall, Ed Scofield, Dan Miller, Sue Hoek, Richard Anderson and Public Officials of Nevada County:

I strongly urge the BOS to remove the proposed "uncodified temporary ordinance authorizing county enforcement officers to enforce orders issued by the public health officer regarding the novel coronavirus" from the July 28, 2020 meeting agenda.

If adopted, it represents an unlawful attempt to restrict our constitutional rights. I hope the BOS will consider the misleading and false assumptions upon which the Governor's state of emergency orders are based

According to the CDC (May 2020), "The evidence from RCTs (Randomized Control Trials) suggested that *the use of face masks either by infected persons or by uninfected persons does not have a substantial effect on influenza transmission.*" "There was a limited amount of evidence suggesting that surface and object cleaning does not have a substantial effect on influenza transmission."

(https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/26/5/19-0994 article.)

Our County is not experiencing anything resembling a pandemic. Look at the facts. Thank you for your concern.

Sincerely, Craig Fiels



# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Tine Mathiasen

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:32 AM

To:

Clerk of Board

Subject:

Constituent call

A resident of Nevada City District 1 called to ask the Supervisors to vote no on the urgency ordinance.

Best,

Tine Mathiasen

Board Clerk · County of Nevada

From:

# Julie Patterson-Hunter

Linda Zelhart

Sent:	Monday, July 27, 2020 3:31 PM
To:	bdofsupervisors; erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; duanestrawser@gmail.com;
	davidsparkyparker569@gmail.com; danielafornevadacity@gmail.com; Sheriff; Public
	Health; Env.Health; Chad Ellis; CEO; Heidi Hall; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us; Dan Miller Sue Hoek; Richard Anderson; Glennah Trochet; HHSA; Ken Cutler; Amy Irani
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Date: Sun, Jul 26, 2020, 11:33 l	'IVI

Subject: Friar Tuck's Future

To: <kathleen.johnsonrose@exprealty.com>

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To All!

Friar Tuck's is at a major cross road in history. We want to keep you posted and ask you to get involved if you feel the same way we do. Please send this to all the emails listed at the bottom of this message and PLEASE SHOW UP on TUESDAY MORNING AT THE ROOD CENTER WHEN THEY WILL TAKE A VOTE ON THIS ORDINANCE THAT COULD CLOSE US!

Tuesday is a day for the Board of Supervisors to Vote on creating an Ordinance to enforce our closure!

We are asking you to support us in this message and below is our reason why! Please take the time to read it and see our heart.

# To: All Public Officials of Nevada County

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Board or Supervisors: Heidi Hall, Ed Scofield, Dan Miller, Sue Hoek, Richard

Anderson

Mayor & City Council: Erin Minett, Duane Strawser, David Parker,

Daniela Fernández

**Sherriff: Shannon Moon** 

Public Health Directors: Jill Blake, Glennah Trochet, Ryan Gruver,

Ken Cutler

Environmental Health: Amy Irani County Executive: Alison Lehman

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# URGENT MESSAGE: DO NOT PASS THE "UNCODIFIED TEMORARY ORDIANCE AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORENCE ORDERS ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS"

I am writing to you with an urgent request to stop the proposed Ordinance on the agenda July 28, 2020. We ask that you take this off the agenda until there can be a public meeting to discuss the matter.

Friar Tuck's has been the heart and soul of the downtown community for community and fellowship. We have 35 employees & 1000's of loyal community folks who have a history build in our restaurant. To require us to close down our indoor dining would be the end of an institution! Now add in the PG&E shutdowns we are expecting Friar Tucks' has a tombstone waiting. We cannot financially survive with out-door dining, the upcoming PG&E shutdowns and 40% of our revenue is during the months of November and December. We have the capacity for 185 indoor customers and moving outside dining would provide at the maximum 40. To ask us to survive outside with an 80% reduction in revenue until the rain arrives in the fall is financial suicide and what I am now seeing as an act of terrorism on our rights.

# Our County is currently NOT experiencing a pandemic. Not even close. As of midnight, July 25st the current COVID-19 facts are these:

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- 2. 41 active cases.
- 1,090 total cases per 100,000 for CA vs 255 per 100,000 for Nevada County. 76% less!
- 4. 1 Death per 100,000 in Nevada County vs 21 per 100,000 for CA. 95.2% less!

5. For comparison we had 30 flu deaths for the last year we have data (2017-2018) which comes to 30 deaths per 100,000 people in Nevada County or THIRTY TIMES THE DEATH RATE WE HAVE FOR COVID! 300% more!! And we NEVER shut down ONE Restaurant!!

Consider these FACTs: The declaration of a State of Emergency for the COVID-19 diagnosis criteria for a series of pneumonia and influenza related symptoms and the allegations of the existence of a "novel coronavirus" **is based on a series of assumptions that are patently false.** 

- 1. According to the International Committee on Taxonomy of Viruses' (ICTV) Coronaviridae Study Group (CSG) publication on March 2, 2020, the preliminary data suggesting that there was sufficient variation to determine this to be a novel virus vs. a mutation of known coronaviruses, was not based on established scientific principles but was responsive to the World Health Organization's prior unfounded declaration of novelty of both the virus and a new disease;
- 2. There could be no independent verification of the epidemiologic models predicting dire infection and mortality rates as the underlying models and data were not published, and when sought, were reportedly corrupted so as to make their examination impossible;
- In violation of State law, no medical or scientific evidence was provided to establish even causal links between the SARS CoV-2 and the symptoms of COVID-19, relying instead on foreign government hearsay and conjecture;
- 4. Since 2003, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and their subordinate organizations – the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) – maintained a patent preventing any independent organization from testing for the presence of coronavirus transmissible to humans through 2018 resulting in a complete lack of testing technologies;

- 5. No State official reviewed for accuracy or veracity any of the causal statements made in the Declaration of Emergency which contain false, misleading, and terror inducing statements;
- 6. In violation of well-established legal precedent from Jew Ho v. Williamson, 103 F. 10, 26 (C.C.N.D. Cal. 1900) and subsequent public health law, arbitrary and capricious rules were inflicted upon a part of the population that were not applied generally, resulting in the unlawful confinement of a healthy population with no basis in science or fact;
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We do hope you see and understand we want this for our community. No Friar Tuck's the heart of the community is gone. Friar Tuck's will remain open! We are here to bless the community and we do not plan close as long as we have the resources to do do.

We love our community!!!	
We will continue with our Extensive Covid-19 procedures in Place – _	

We have made Friar Tuck's the safest place to be! i

Friar Tuck's announces "Bipolar Ionization" 99.4% of all viral particles destroyed

Friar Tuck's has invested & installed new technology into their air & heating conditioned units that makes the restaurant 99.4% viral free. This will allow our customers to feel very safe when they come inside to dine.

The easiest way to understand this is to think of sunbeams that you see coming through your windows. These sunbeams are comprised of asthma and allergy triggering small particles that include mold, pollen, pet dander and many other organic contaminants. In fact, they are so small that when you walk through the sunbeam, you can't detect the particles moving. If the particles were like snow, the NPBI technology is the snow plow! In layman's terms, when you have sunbeams coming through your windows in your home or apartment, after 2-3 days of operating GPS' NPBI system, you will no longer see sunbeams, and there will be much less particles and dust in the indoor air.

The GPS Needlepoint Bipolar Ionization product used the SARS-CoV-2 virus samples. Based on the results it has been determined that using the GPS model DM-48 or FC-48-AC will result in a 99.4% reduction of viral particles on a stagnant surface in 30 minutes. This investigation demonstrated the presence of SARS-CoV-2 RNA at multiple locations within 172 mechanical AHUs, and more specifically, AHUs serving multiple floors of a hospital tower in which COVID-19 patients were housed.

Based on these test results it was determined hydrolysis via positively charged hydrogen binding to peplomers of

SARS-Cov-2 virus can render 99.4% or viral particles are inactived on a stagnant surface at 30 minutes. These tests have demonstrated the ionizers ability to neutralize the pathogen namely SARS-Cov-19, on a static surface

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From: Mike Spak

**Sent:** Monday, July 27, 2020 8:39 PM

To: bdofsupervisors; erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; danielafornevadacity@gmail.com; Sheriff;

Public Health; Env.Health; Heidi Hall; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us; Dan Miller; Sue

Hoek; Richard Anderson; Glennah Trochet; HHSA; Ken Cutler; Amy Irani

Subject: SR 20-3312 Covid19 Temporary Ordinance

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This is an unnecessary economic disaster, hard-working people are losing businesses that most likely will never come back. And for what, all the constant hype from the media about Covid19. Hospitals here and most places are empty, Covid19 treatment scenarios have progressed rapidly, it's time to open up, not more restrictions. Let businesses and their customers decide how best to deal with this. Not government mandates. BTW Placer County was going to sue the Governor for his draconian restrictions, and they are for opening up business. Why is Nevada County going in the other direction?

Sincerely,

Mike Spak - Nevada County



From:

Cindy Watson

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 6:01 PM

To:

Clerk of Board

Subject:

Ordinance

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#### Hello,

I would like to express my opinion for the board of supervisors on the ordinance to fine people who do not follow the governors orders. I feel, along with many people, that this is infringing in my constitutional rights. Although I wear a mask in a store, etc, I do not think it is appropriate to fine people that do not want to do so. The governors orders are going against our first amendment rights. We as a people can decide if we want to follow his ordinances. We should absolutely not be fined for exercising these rights. Please inform the board or let me know how I address them... by email?

Thank you,

C. Watson



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:42 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Opposing Item 37 - Urgency Ordinance

From: divinelove333

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 5:36 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller <Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek

<Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Richard Anderson <Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sheriff

<Sheriff@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Opposing Item 37 - Urgency Ordinance

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### Hello,

I am writing to oppose Item 37, the Temporary Urgency Ordinance. Please do not pass this ordinance. Please.

I find it hard to find the words that may finally stop you all in your tracks, make you reconsider the implication of your actions.

I first know what you are doing is wrong in my gut. It is a violation of bodily autonomy, privacy, and yes, our freedom. It is government overreach.

With that nudge from my gut, I begin to research. My research shows me that you are not following science, data, or the reality of the our collective situation. Rather that you are being reductionists and using a ones size fits all approach and following POLITICIZED science. Your emphasis on masks and hand washing seem like kindergarten level recommendations especially 4 months in.

This re-phasing back and forth is not sustainable for our community. How is criminalizing small businesses and citizens an efficient use of time or effective in fighting the virus?

Could time be better spent on educating the public on immune health?

Instead of my words, please consider other experts.

PLEASE READ PEER REVIEWED SCIENCE, ARTICLES WITH INFORMATION FROM STANDFORD EPIDEMIOLOGIST, AND MORE TO GAIN A WIDER PERSPECTIVE ON THIS CRISIS

"There are already more than 50 studies that have presented results on how many people in different countries and locations have developed antibodies to the virus," loannidis, a Greek-American physician, told *Greek Reporter*. "Of course none of these studies are perfect, but cumulatively they provide useful composite evidence. A very crude estimate might suggest that about 150-300 million or more people have already been infected around the world, far more than the 10 million documented cases."

loannidis said medical data suggest the fatality risk is far lower than earlier estimates had led policymakers to believe and "is almost 0%" for individuals under 45 years old. The median fatality rate is roughly 0.25 percent, however, because the risk "escalates substantially" for individuals over 85 and can be as high as 25 percent for debilitated people in nursing homes.

"The death rate in a given country depends a lot on the age-structure, who are the people infected, and how they are managed," loannidis said. "For people younger than 45, the infection fatality rate is almost 0%. For 45 to 70, it is probably about 0.05-0.3%. For those above 70, it escalates substantially..."

Because of this, loannidis sees mass lockdowns of entire populations as a mistake, though he says they may have made sense when experts believed the fatality rate of COVID-19 was as high as 3-5 percent. <a href="https://fee.org/articles/modelers-were-astronomically-wrong-in-covid-19-predictions-says-leading-epidemiologist-and-the-world-is-paying-the-price/">https://fee.org/articles/modelers-were-astronomically-wrong-in-covid-19-predictions-says-leading-epidemiologist-and-the-world-is-paying-the-price/</a>

"He believes strongly that eradication — the zero-tolerance approach that is increasingly winning the day in the UK and US — is not a viable option."

"I don't think that this is a disease that we can eradicate — not with the methods that we have right now. It *might*be a disease that in the long term we can eradicate with a vaccine, but I'm not even sure about that. If you look at comparable diseases like the flu and other respiratory viruses we are not even close to eradicating them despite the fact that we have a vaccine. I personally believe that this is a disease we are going to have to learn to live with."

"One reason is that the evidence base for using masks in society is still very weak. Even if more and more countries are now enforcing them in different ways ... we haven't seen any new evidence coming up, which is a little bit surprising. The other reason is that everything tells us that keeping social distance is a much better way of controlling this disease than putting masks on people. We are worried (and we get at least tales from other countries) that people put on masks and then they believe they can go around in society being close to each other, even going around in society being sick. And that, in our view, would definitely produce higher spread than we have right now."

The emphasis on spread of the virus to the exclusion of everything else Dr Tegnell believes is misguided, as the number of cases is less and less correlated to the number of deaths.

"Deaths are not so closely connected to the amount of cases you have in a country. There are so many other things that influence the amount of deaths you have. What part of the population gets hit? Is it the elderly people? How well can you protect people in your long-term facilities? How well does your healthcare system continue to function? How can we improve the treatment in ICUs? All of these things have been changing a lot in the past few months... Those things will influence mortality a lot more, I think, than the actual spread of the disease."

His belief is that, in the final account, the Infection Fatality Rate will be similar to the flu: "somewhere between 0.1% and 0.5% of people getting infected, maybe ... And that is not radically different to what we see with the yearly flu." <a href="https://unherd.com/2020/07/swedens-anders-tegnell-judge-me-in-a-year/">https://unherd.com/2020/07/swedens-anders-tegnell-judge-me-in-a-year/</a>

Science on Masks <a href="https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5935243/#SD1">https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5935243/#SD1</a>

https://www.rcreader.com/commentary/masks-dont-work-covid-a-review-of-science-relevant-to-covide-19-social-policy

Hydroxychloroquine Study <a href="https://virologyj.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/1743-422X-2-69">https://virologyj.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/1743-422X-2-69</a>

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https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2020.04.24.20078717v1.full.pdf

https://www.theatlantic.com/health/archive/2020/07/covid-19-vaccine-reality-check/614566/

https://www.researchgate.net/publication/341832637\_All-cause\_mortality\_during\_COVID-19\_No\_plague\_and\_a\_likely\_signature\_of\_mass\_homicide\_by\_government\_response

Thank you, Sarah Hooley Nevada County Resident, 22 years



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:19 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Vote No

From: Lori Kirk

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 4:22 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Vote No

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Please do not destroy our community further. Let's offer education on immune health, therapeutics and other ways that we can support our community. I want this conversation to move past face masks and arbitrary designations about what and who is essential. I would like civil dialogue and discourse not more bureaucratic legislation.

Please, VOTE NO on this ordinance!

### Lori Kirk



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:18 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37, Urgency Ordinance

From: Gerry P Anderson

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 4:28 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37, Urgency Ordinance

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# Good afternoon Ed,

It has come to my attention that there is a vote coming up tomorrow on an Urgency Ordinance (Item 37) related to Covid health department orders.

I strongly oppose any such orders, and as such, strongly urge you to vote "No" on this ordinance. I cannot stress how strongly I fell about this. Denise and I both feel this way about this power grab from the County.

Nevada County has had only 1 single death from this virus, and that was a 90+ year old with many preexisting conditions. Our hospital is not overrun with Covid patients, and our ICU unit is far from crowded with such patients. We simply do not have an issue here.

If you have an question that this virus is causing a spike because of businesses being open, think again. I have posted on my FaceBook page a very informative piece from Kirk Uhler, a Placer County Supervisor, who has the data to back up what I am saying. None of what is happening is related to businesses being open.

As of July 11, 2020, the CDC does not even recognize this virus as being a pandemic. As far as the CDC is concerned, this virus just barely meets the definition of epidemic, let alone pandemic.

"Key Updates for Week 28, ending July 11, 2020

Mortality attributed to COVID-19 decreased compared to last week but is currently above the epidemic threshold and will likely increase as additional death certificates are processed."

Again, I urge you in the strongest possible terms to vote "No" on Item 37.

Thank you, and I look forward to hearing that you have voted "No" on this.

Gerry and Denise Anderson



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 5:14 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Proposed Emergency Ordinance

From: Rebecca Pennington

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 4:50 PM

To: BOS Public Comment <BOS.PublicComment@co.nevada.ca.us>; Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller <Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek <Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>;

Richard Anderson <Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sheriff <Sheriff@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Proposed Emergency Ordinance

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### Hello,

As a Nevada County resident, I do not agree or condone the proposed emergency ordinance of issuing fines and/or misdemeanors to businesses or citizens regarding COVID measures. Our businesses, livelihoods, and community as a whole are slowly being stifled and an ordinance like this will just accelerate the demise.

### I URGE YOU TO PLEASE RECONSIDER!

Respectfully,

# Rebecca Pennington

"When we give cheerfully and accept gratefully, everyone is blessed." ~ Maya Angelou



From:

Sean Tener

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 2:22 PM

To:

bdofsupervisors; erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; duanestrawser@gmail.com;

davidsparkyparker569@gmail.com; danielafornevadacity@gmail.com; Sheriff; Public Health; Env.Health; Chad Ellis; CEO; Heidi Hall; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us; Dan Miller;

Sue Hoek; Richard Anderson; Glennah Trochet; HHSA; Ken Cutler; Amy Irani

Subject:

Friar Tucks

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Hello.

I am writing you this as a registered voter in Nevada County urging you to support our local businesses including Friar Tucks. At your board meeting tomorrow you will be voting to allow local enforcement of the Governor's mandate that all indoor dining be ceased statewide. It is time to take a stand. I urge you, at the very least, to postpone your vote until you are able to hold a public meeting for discussion. You might be surprised to find that a vast majority of your constituents side with the small businesses such as Friar Tucks. Nevada county is NOT having a problem with COVID-19 but it is having a problem with lost revenue, closures of long standing businesses, and a lack of common sense from the California state government. Please be there for the community that elected you and be our leaders. Please represent us. This statewide mandate closing indoor dining is flat out wrong in counties like ours where there is a very minor incidence of the virus and that message needs to be sent to the "powers that be" in Sacramento. Please use your elected positions to do the right thing and support our county residents and institutions.

Sincerely,

Sean Tener Nevada County Resident



From:

Ken Paige

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 9:44 AM

To:

bdofsupervisors; erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; duanestrawser@gmail.com;

davidsparkyparker569@gmail.com; danielafornevadacity@gmail.com; Sheriff; Public Health; Env.Health; Chad Ellis; CEO; Heidi Hall; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us; Dan Miller;

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Subject:

Re: URGENT MESSAGE: DO NOT PASS THE "UNCODIFIED TEMORARY ORDIANCE

AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORENCE ORDERS ISSUED BY

THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS"

Attachments:

Steve Baily Letter to NC 7-27-20.pdf

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FYI-Not sure if everyone received this letter. Just wanting to keep everyone informed. Thank YOU for taking the time to work on our behalf!

The attached letter was provided to inform Chairperson of the Nevada County Board of Supervisors, County Counsel, Nevada County & Director, Nevada County Environmental Health that following restaurants now have representation in litigation, both administrative and legal, regarding the closure orders delivered on or about July 21, 2020 ordering the closure of these restaurants pursuant to H&S code §114409.

Old Town Café 110 Mill Street Grass Valley, CA 95945

Friar Tucks Restaurant & Bar 111 N Pine Street Nevada City, CA 95959

Sergio's Café 109 Mill Street Grass Valley, CA 95945

On Sun, Jul 26, 2020 at 11:01 PM Ken Paige

vrote:

Subject: URGENT MESSAGE: DO NOT PASS THE "UNCODIFIED TEMORARY ORDIANCE AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORENCE ORDERS ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS"

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<Glennah.trochet@co.nevada.ca.us>, <hhsa@co.nevada.ca.us>, <Kenb.Cutler@co.nevada.ca.us>,

<amy.iran@co.nevada.ca.us>

Donna Paige

### To: All Public Officials of Nevada County

Board or Supervisors: Heidi Hall, Ed Scofield, Dan Miller, Sue Hoek, Richard Anderson Mayor & City Council: Erin Minett, Duane Strawser, David Parker, Daniela Fernández

Sherriff: Shannon Moon

Public Health Directors: Jill Blake, Glennah Trochet, Ryan Gruver, Ken Cutler

Environmental Health: Amy Irani County Executive: Alison Lehman

Police: Chad Ellis

From: Friar Tuck's Restaurant & Bar, Nevada City

July 25, 2020

# URGENT MESSAGE: DO NOT PASS THE "UNCODIFIED TEMPORARY ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE ORDERS ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS"

I am writing to you with an urgent request to stop the proposed Ordinance on the agenda July 28, 2020. We ask that you take this off the agenda until there can be a public meeting to discuss the matter.

Friar Tuck's has been the heart and soul of the downtown community for community and fellowship. We have 35 employees & 1000's of loyal community folks who have a history build in our restaurant. To require us to close down our indoor dining would be the end of an institution! Now add in the PG&E shutdowns we are expecting Friar Tucks' has a tombstone waiting. We cannot financially survive with out-door dining, the upcoming PG&E shutdowns and 40% of our revenue is during the months of November and December. We have the capacity for 185 indoor customers and moving outside dining would provide at the maximum 40. To ask us to survive outside with an 80% reduction in revenue until the rain arrives in the fall is financial suicide and what I am now seeing as an act of terrorism on our rights.

Our County is currently NOT experiencing a pandemic. Not even close. As of midnight, July 25st the current COVID-19 facts are these:

- 255 total cases BUT ONLY 116 in Western Nevada County!
- 41 active cases.
- 3. 1,090 total cases per 100,000 for CA vs 255 per 100,000 for Nevada County. 76% less!
- 4. 1 Death per 100,000 in Nevada County vs 21 per 100,000 for CA. 95.2% less!
- 5. For comparison we had 30 flu deaths for the last year we have data (2017-2018) which comes to 30 deaths per 100,000 people in Nevada County or THIRTY TIMES THE DEATH RATE WE HAVE FOR COVID! 300% more!! And we NEVER shut down ONE Restaurant!!

Consider this: The declaration of a State of Emergency for the COVID-19 diagnosis criteria for a series of pneumonia and influenza related symptoms and the allegations of the existence of a "novel coronavirus" is based on a series of assumptions that are patently false.

- 1. According to the International Committee on Taxonomy of Viruses' (ICTV) Coronaviridae Study Group (CSG) publication on March 2, 2020, the preliminary data suggesting that there was sufficient variation to determine this to be a novel virus vs. a mutation of known coronaviruses, was not based on established scientific principles but was responsive to the World Health Organization's prior unfounded declaration of novelty of both the virus and a new disease;
- 2. There could be **no independent verification of the epidemiologic models** predicting dire infection and mortality rates as the underlying models and data were not published, and when sought, were reportedly corrupted so as to make their examination impossible;
- 3. In violation of State law, no medical or scientific evidence was provided to establish even causal links between the SARS CoV-2 and the symptoms of COVID-19, relying instead on foreign government hearsay and conjecture;

- 4. Since 2003, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and their subordinate organizations the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) maintained a patent preventing any independent organization from testing for the presence of coronavirus transmissible to humans through 2018 resulting in a complete lack of testing technologies;
- 5. No State official reviewed for accuracy or veracity any of the causal statements made in the Declaration of Emergency which contain false, misleading, and terror inducing statements;
- 6. In violation of well-established legal precedent from Jew Ho v. Williamson, 103 F. 10, 26 (C.C.N.D. Cal. 1900) and subsequent public health law, arbitrary and capricious rules were inflicted upon a part of the population that were not applied generally, resulting in the unlawful confinement of a healthy population with no basis in science or fact;
- 7. The Governor failed to provide adequate testing to confirm or deny the presence or absence of "a novel coronavirus" and, based on recent reports from testing of incarcerated persons reported by Reuters, 96% of prisoners testing positive for coronavirus are asymptomatic, demonstrating a failure to establish even a statistical link between the virus and the disease;
- 8. **Neither the Governor nor any public health officer has followed evidence-based, peer-reviewed, clinical science** showing that neither social distancing (of up to 6 feet of separation), nor the wearing of masks has any clinical effect in a healthy population and that instituting such policies is exclusively for the inducement of fear and terror in the population;

As a result of these and other established facts, the Governor's state of emergency orders are in violation of the State Constitution, are illegal and unenforceable. Therefore, I am asking YOU, our Nevada County officials who see and know the factual evidence "in our County" STOP this ordinance, do what is right and allow a 50-year institution to continue to contribute to the wellbeing of our great community. I hereby demand that you immediately cease and desist in your suspension of my Constitutional rights and those of the common citizenry.

Sincerely,

Ken & Chad Paige

Owners of Friar Tuck's Restaurant and Bar

### Ken R Paige

Eat your food with gladness & drink your wine with a joyful heart (Ecclesiastes 9:7)

Proprietor Friar Tuck's Restaurant & Bar

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### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:19 AM

To: Cc: bdofsupervisors ct4soj@reagan.com

Subject:

URGENT!! Strong Opposition to Agenda Item 37

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Please register my extremelly strong oppostion to Agenda Item 37 on today's agenda! Several others have expressed my sentiments exactly, so please accept them as mine also. Please see below.

Dear Supervisors Hall, Scofield, Miller, Hoek & Anderson:

I am writing to strongly oppose Item 37, the temporary Urgency Ordinance related to enforcement of COVID-related health department orders.

There are several grounds upon which this is at best a bad idea and at worst an unconstitutional power grab by the governor and health department, and thus by Nevada County.

- 1. The Governor's emergency power in March was triggered by a need to prevent overloading our urgent care capabilities. That risk has long passed, and under the CA Constitution the Governor's emergency power has ended. No such risk of overwhelming our care capacity currently exists. Accurate data support this conclusion.
- 2. As a result, the Governor's recent orders are illegal and unenforceable, as are the orders of our Health Department, which has no new emergency authority than the Governor's and which is inadequate to force such draconian measures. No emergency exists.
- 3. Substantial scientific evidence proves that wearing cloth face masks does not protect the wearer. COVID virus droplets, which to survive must be surrounded by a lipid (fat), can easily pass through the cotton mask cloth or simply pass around the mask periphery, as these are not sealed respirator-type masks.
- 4. Cotton mask proponents falsely argue that if someone is an asymptomatic carrier of the virus (no one has actually ever been identified as being one) and they breathe or sneeze, the virus will not escape the mask. Just as the virus can pass into the mask, it can pass out. So, they offer little to no protection to anyone.
- 5. Cotton masks are therefore useless to prevent the spread of the virus, and are nothing more than a "virtue signalling" ploy to self-proclaim as a "caring" individual. And a compliant member of the sheeple.
- 6. Masks are not just merely a virtue symbol, they degrade the health of the wearer. Breathing one's CO2 and bacteria-laden breath for long periods of time can actually cause health risks including degraded immunity capability--the exact opposite of what we as a society are striving for.
- 7. OSHA has strict regulations for PPE workplace use of masks and respirators to guard against these types of risks (CO2 toxicity and bacteria ingestion), but these actual "safety" regulations have been illegally ignored in the current mass application of masking in the business workplace setting.
- 8. We have adopted the draconian CCP practice of forcing everyone to wear an ineffective mask, AS IF EVERYONE IS INFECTED as a way to blindly force obedience to power-hungry officials. What is the miniscule percentage of actually infected people in our county? Less than one percent (-0.1%). Yet, we are all being treated as infected criminals, commanded to kill our local

businesses and to kow-tow to our elected "representatives" who serve solely with our consent, who are forcing dangerous measures with NO scientific support.

- 9. When will this insanity end?
- 10. When will our Health Department enforce OSHA mask regulations to protect the health of workers and the public from excessive mask usage resulting in CO2 toxicity and bacteria overload? The argument that medical professionals suffer no adverse effects also is not supported. OSHA provides hospital and health professional that do wear masks for lengthy periods to be medically tested and extensive additional oxygen enhancing equipment provided.
- 11. When will our County Supervisors exercise appropriate control over staff and require independent investigation of legal, scientific and other appropriate considerations, as well as tailoring based upon local considerations?
- 12. PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS NOTICE THAT Failure to vote no on Item 37 and continued use of force, under color of law, upon individuals and businesses by county departments of these counterscientific unwarranted un-Constitutional measures will most certainly expose the county and individuals therein to corporate and personal liability.

Sincerely, Claudia and Cliff Taylor LOP (resident for 13 years) District 2



From:

Lori Kirk

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 4:18 PM

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Vote No on Urgency Ordinance

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### **Nevada County Supervisors:**

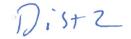
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Please, VOTE NO on this ordinance!

Lori Kirk



From:

Wanda Groves -

Sent:

Monday, July 27, 2020 1:27 PM

To:

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Subject:

BOS meeting July 28th - Urgent Message

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# We respectfully ask:

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Wanda and Dick Groves



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Wednesday, July 29, 2020 5:21 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Pandemic Enforcement

----Original Message----

From: Chad Chaney

Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2020 0.47

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Pandemic Enforcement

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Ed,

As a homeowner, taxpayer and small business owner in Nevada County, I'm writing to let you know that I oppose fining business owners for mask or other flu pandemic enforcement. We have a duty as citizens of this country and this country to protect our civil liberties and our freedom. Folks who are compromised have every right to protect themselves and stay home. The rest of us have a right to go to work, conduct business, and earn a living, knowing the inherent risks therein. Please respect your constituents wishes, and oppose this draconian measure.

Thanks,

**Chad Chaney** 

Sent from my iPhone

Ken Paige

Sent:

Wednesday, July 29, 2020 6:10 PM

To:

ericchristen

Cc:

Heidi Hall; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us; Dan Miller; Sue Hoek; Richard Anderson; Lior

Rahmanian; Serigo's; Keoni Allen;

bdofsupervisors:

erin4nevadacity@gmail.com; duanestrawser@gmail.com;

@gmail.com;

Sheriff; Public Health; Env.Health; Chad Ellis; CEO; Glennah Trochet; HHSA; Ken Cutler; Amy Irani; Robin & Lisa Buckman; Julie;

Meyers, Kenneth;

Sam Corev:

info@downtowngrassvalley.com; Ashley Neumann;

Georganne;

Subject:

Re: A call for collaboration.-Friar Tuck's is in

Attachments:

Friar Tucks Statement.pdf

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To All

Attached is our Position: "Good Faith Statement."

Looking forward to collaboration that will end up with a solution for our community to flourish again!

On Mon, Jul 27, 2020 at 10:35 PM ericchristen

wrote:

Good Evening Supervisors.

It has been a busy day. Actually a busy 2020. It cannot be over soon enough if you ask me.

The following is a request and a pledge on behalf of many Nevada County citizens who are frustrated, scared, angry and confused.

Tomorrow many of us will gather at the Board of Supervisors meeting to express ourselves over what we believe, first and foremost, is the denial of our right to petition our government in person. As someone who owns and operates a business that is statewide, with offices in Sacramento and San Diego, you are the only board I have dealt with during this crisis that does not either meet in person or allow for citizens to comment via Zoom or the like. Considering the magnitude of the issue you are voting on tomorrow this is deeply frustrating.

That being said I would like to state the following based on hours of phone calls, emails, texts and personal discussions that have occurred these past 24 hours: Open war will serve no one. Not elected officials, not business owners on the verge of going out of business and not taxpayers. The measure being brought up for consideration tomorrow is just that, a declaration of war on citizens simply trying to survive.

Understanding this I will pledge that at tomorrow's meeting I will ask those who are outraged at all of this to stand down and agree to work collaboratively with the County to try and find a constructive way to end this in a way that benefits all of us as citizens and neighbors. I believe that even a month stay will give us the time needed to work together to do what needs to be done to not only save businesses but do so in a way that allows us to then petition our state government for relief and the use of discernment from the Governor for counties like ours, counties minimally impacted by the COVID virus.

It would be a busy 30 days but I know that together we can find answers to both side's questions and needs. Antagonism won't get us there but collaboration can. There are many exciting things already happening behind the scenes that can get us there.

I pledge my support across the board, relationally, financially, emotionally and spiritually to make this work for people who have become my friends and for those of you who took an oath of office I know you take seriously.

Thank you for your consideration.

Eric Christen

Resident

Ken R Paige

Eat your food with gladness & drink your wine with a joyful heart (Ecclesiastes 9:7)

Proprietor Friar Tuck's Restaurant & Bar

### Friar Tuck's Faith Effort

Today my son and I, as co-owners of this Nevada City landmark, and as a sign of good faith following the Nevada County Board of Supervisors actions yesterday, are announcing effective immediately that Friar Tucks will be ceasing all indoor dining so that we may put 100% of our time into working collaboratively with the City and County to find a reasonable solution that will insure the vitality of our fellow business & community.

As most of you know, since 1973 Friar Tucks operates 100% as an indoor eating establishment and bar. We have no outside eating area. This means that the Governor's requirement that we shut down all indoor eating means the end of our business. As such we have remained opened while attaining legal counsel to help protect our rights not the least of which are our right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. We have appreciated the outpouring of support we have received from not only our local patrons but also from our new friends across the state and country. To them and all the others who have shown us so much love and support we want you to know that what we are doing now is, we believe, in our best long-term interest. Yesterday the County Supervisors pulled from the agenda the item that would have substantially increased the fines we face now of 1K per day & sent message that they are willing to work towards a better solution. This was our desire from the start and we are more than willing to work towards that end.

Time is short and the need is dire. To overcome the obstacles that we face to remain a viable employer & contributor towards the flourishing of our community. We need to devote 100% of our time, energy and resources into working collaboratively with the County and City.

For those who wish to support Friar Tucks and our efforts there are two ways that you can do this:

- We will be posting a GoGetFunding site at on our site: please consider showing your support. Funds raised will go to support the staff and our fight for freedom.
- We are planning to have take out soon and it will be posted on our site. During this temporary time we will provide you with the same excellent food, even though we may not be able to share your company while you enjoy it. For now.

These are trying times for all of us. For my family and I, they have made us realize just how blessed we are to live in such a great country with freedoms and blessings that are worth fighting for. This crisis has shown us to never take them for granted again.

We thank you for your support and ask for your prayers for us, our city, our county, our state and our Country. As the Bible says in Galatians 6:9: "Do not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at the harvest if we do not give up." Amen.

Thank you for your time.



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:44 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Your Vote Tomorrow - Temporary Urgency Ordinance

From: Lydia Watson

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 11:16 AM

**To:** Ed Scofield < Ed. Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us > **Cc:** Lydia Watson < lydia.watson88@gmail.com >

Subject: Your Vote Tomorrow - Temporary Urgency Ordinance

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Dear Mr. Scofield, I've been reviewing the temporary Urgency Ordinance, Item 37, that you are voting on tomorrow. This ordinance is not in the interest of our county, and it's a bad idea and flatly unconstitutional. it's a unjust power grab by the governor, our health department, and would be by the county, as well.

The governor's emergency order in March was put in place to prevent the health care system, hospitals from being overwhelmed and to get PPE in place. This has been done. There isn't a state of emergency in our state. The California constitution does not give the governor unending emergency authority after 60 days without going through the legislative branch. This has not happened. He is overreaching his authority as a public elected official, who is accountable to the voters and the process.

His recent orders are illegal and unenforceable. Our Health Department has no new emergency authority like the governor. Their bodies, who are in place to serve, and ,who are being paid by us, the citizens, cannot use their positions in a draconian fashion without legal authority.

The cotton masks aren't sealed and do not work. There is no science to this. Cloth masks harm the wearer. People are getting sick, passing out, children in China have died due to wearing a mask. I can see class action lawsuits in the future coming, if this continues.

OSHA regulations regarding masks have been disregarded and illegally ignored to massively implement the mask mandate by our governor. Why is the science from OSHA not being followed by our Health Department? I have sent emails to our local Health Department and have not received any response. Everything is online now, so there is no transparency nor accountability. This is taxation without representation. We pay for our government, and all are supposed to serve under the law.

Masks have never been endorsed by the WHO or CDC to be worn by a healthy individual in the past. The corona virus is a novel virus, but it still is a corona virus, and it follows that the corona virus has never been a total mystery to the medical community. It responds to therpeutics that are available. We are in a different place in dealing with this virus than we were in March. There is more knowledge now and what now is obvious is that fear is being pushed to override science, and clear thinking for other motives. Over two million Americans were predicted to die in the beginning, the governor had his emergency order because of this. The emergency is over. It's time to stop the overreach.

Best Regards.

Lydia Watson



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:49 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37

----Original Message----

From: Dorothea Stuhr

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 8:41 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37

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Supervisor Scofield

Please vote NO on item 37.

Thank you, Dorothea Stuhr Sent from my iPad



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:50 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Tomorrow's Urgency Ordinance Vote

From: Cheryl Miller

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 5:13 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us> Subject: Tomorrow's Urgency Ordinance Vote

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Dear Mr. Schofield,

I am writing regarding tomorrow's vote on the Emergency Ordinance which Supervisor Heidi Hall has placed on the Board agenda. This measure, if passed, would impose a fine on for-profit and not-for-profit businesses for failure to comply with County Health orders, which tend to parallel those of the Governor.

I wholeheartedly request that you vote NO on this.

Our business owners have beaten up by p shutdown of our county. If you can point to any cases which came from these businesses there may be something to discuss, but we all know the new infections are coming from mass gatherings and personal gatherings which are not

the fault of business owners.

There is a swelling of support for the freedom of our citizens to pursue their support of their families and to make health choices for ourselves. Please support us.

Sincerely, Cheryl Miller, Dist2

### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 3:56 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37 Ordinance 7/28/20

From: Alexandra Richards

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 2:08 PM

To: Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller

<Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek <Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Richard Anderson

<Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>; BOS Public Comment <BOS.PublicComment@co.nevada.ca.us>; Amy Irani

<Amy.Irani@co.nevada.ca.us>; HHSA <HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sheriff <Sheriff@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37 Ordinance 7/28/20

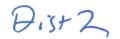
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Dear Nevada County of Supervisors,

I ask you to please vote against Item 37 Urgency Ordinance tomorrow on the upcoming meeting 7/28/20. Everyone is already financial hurting if not going or gone under. Imposing this is outrageous power and money grab.

Best Regards,

Alexandra



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:05 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: I urge you to Vote NO on Item 37 Urgency Ordinance

From: Virginia Ryan

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 8:49 PM

To: Heidi Hall <Heidi.Hall@co.nevada.ca.us>; Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>; Dan Miller

<Dan.Miller@co.nevada.ca.us>; Sue Hoek <Sue.Hoek@co.nevada.ca.us>; Richard Anderson

<Richard.Anderson@co.nevada.ca.us>
Cc: Sheriff < Sheriff @co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: I urge you to Vote NO on Item 37 Urgency Ordinance

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Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors,

We are taxpayers, homeowners, business owners, parents and residents of Nevada County since 2011. We urge you all to vote NO on Item 37 of the Urgency Ordinance. We live in Mr. Scofield's district.

Under the Takings Clause of the Fifth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, no government may take private property for public use "without just compensation." By the County forcing certain local businesses to shut down their indoor operations indefinitely due to the pandemic, the County is engaging in a "regulatory taking." In Lucas v. South Carolina Coastal Council, the U.S. Supreme Court stated that government action depriving owners of "all economically beneficial or productive use of the[ir] land" is a taking requiring just compensation. See 505 U.S. 1003, 1016 (1992).

Instead of penalizing Main Street, which has already suffered drastically over the last 4 months, the Board of Supervisors should be spending its energy on how to support our small businesses that are being asked to shut down their businesses once more in the name of protecting our community. Our businesses are struggling. They don't need the heavy hand of the government putting the final nail on their coffins; they need the support of our leaders to come up with creative and innovative solutions to help our community thrive, not hide.

Sincerely, Virginia & Chad Ryan



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:05 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37

----Original Message-----

From: Wayne Stuhr

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 8:44 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37

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Please vote against Item 37. Thank You

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From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:06 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37

----Original Message-----

From: Peggy Leonard

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 8:30 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37

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Mr. Scofield,

I urge you to vote AGAINST the Item 37 Urgency Ordinance at your upcoming meeting.

This Ordinance which will fine individuals up to \$500 for not wearing masks outside their homes, and our local business \$1000 up to \$10,000 daily, for not enforcing masks is outrageous! Our businesses are severely struggling already and this additional burden is too much big government and could cause some of them to fail.

This is nothing but a money and a power grab and must be stopped.

According to former Nevada City mayor this is really about receiving state covet funding while setting up this community for mandatory vaccinations.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Leonard

Sent from my iPhone



From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:06 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: Item 37

----Original Message-----

From: larisa Weimer

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 7:56 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37

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As my representative in Nevada County, I am urging you to vote AGAINST Item 37, the Urgency Ordinance.

I believe these are extreme measures that are unnecessary. This feels like a scare tactic. Our businesses have suffered enough this will only bring more hardship.

We are not in a state of emergency here in Nevada County. Again, I urge you to consider voting no on Item 37.

Thank you, Larisa Weimer 15t2

### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Ed Scofield Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:09 PM Julie Patterson-Hunter FW: Vote tomorrow
Original Message From: Eric Sams Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 6:58	
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	ing the vote tomorrow. Please know that I'm NOT in favor of adopting the ordinance as e. The title says it all, "an Uncodified TEMPORARY Urgency Ordinance". It's not worth st.
I hope you are well, my friend. M	ay Your years of acquired wisdom serve all of us.
Eric Sams	
Sent from my iPhone	
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From:

Ed Scofield

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 4:10 PM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter

Subject:

FW: NO Urgency Ordinance

From: Katie Thieman

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 6:17 PM

To: Ed Scofield <Ed.Scofield@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: NO Urgency Ordinance

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Hello Mr. Scofield,

As my representative, I encourage you to vote NO on Item 37, the Urgency Ordinance that will put unfair burden on our small businesses that have already suffered so much.

We do not a state of emergency in Nevada County that warrants these extreme measures. To place orders in place that fine individuals and businesses for not enforcing masks is an outrageous money and power grab.

I am counting on you to do what is best for our county and follow common sense not fear or greed to make the best decision possible.

Thank you for your consideration,

Katie

South Nevada County Resident 30+ years

Katie Thieman

Dist2

# Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Arthur Chappell

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:11 AM

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Free Choice

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URGENT MESSAGE: DO NOT PASS THE "UNCODIFIED TEMORARY ORDIANCE AUTHORIZING COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORENCE ORDERS ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFER REGARDING THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS"

Arthur B Chappell M. A. President and CEO

Certified Christian Life Coach



From:

Jessica Launier

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 9:21 AM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter; Jeffrey Thorsby

Subject:

FW: Item 37

From: HHSA <HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:03 AM

To: PIO Team - COVID-19 < PIOTeam-COVID-19@NevCounty.onmicrosoft.com >

Cc: Ryan Gruver < Ryan. Gruver@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Fw: Item 37

From: Peggy Leonard <

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 8.37 FW To: HHSA < HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Item 37

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#### HHSA:

I urge you to vote AGAINST the Item 37 Urgency Ordinance at your upcoming meeting.

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for not enforcing masks is outrageous! Our businesses are severely struggling already and this additional burden is too much big government and could cause some of them to fail.

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Leonard

Sent from my iPhone

Dist 2

### Julie Patterson-Hunter

From:

Patricia Carroll

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 11:42 AM

To:

bdofsupervisors

Subject:

Temporary urgency ordinance

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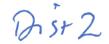
### To the Board:

Please do not go forward with your proposed ordinance to impose steep fines on businesses deemed to be out of compliance with Covid-19 mandates.

This is not who we are. Residents of Nevada and surrounding counties should not be subject to such a draconian over-reach as you propose but rather free to manage our own health and safety. The heavy fines will cripple businesses already struggling to stay alive during this health crisis. Your proposal, while well intentioned, will only make matters worse.

Again, I ask you please do not go forward with your proposed temporary urgency ordinance.

Pat Carroll



From:

Thomas Melody

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 11:47 AM

To:

bdofsupervisors; ed.schofield@co.nevada.ca.us

Cc:

ken Paige

Subject:

All Public Officials of Nevada County

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We are writing to urge you not to pass the proposed Ordinance on the agenda for July 28, 2020. We ask that you take this off the agenda until there can be a public meeting to discuss the issue.

Tom & Pat Melody



From:

Jessica Launier

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 9:21 AM

To:

Julie Patterson-Hunter; Jeffrey Thorsby

Subject:

FW: Restaurants

From: HHSA <HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:02 AM

To: PIO Team - COVID-19 < PIOTeam-COVID-19@NevCounty.onmicrosoft.com>

Cc: Ryan Gruver < Ryan.Gruver@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Fw: Restaurants

From: Geri Beeler

Sent: Monday, July 27, 2020 6:28 PM
To: HHSA < HHSA@co.nevada.ca.us>

Subject: Restaurants

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I want to express my vote that we should not make this blanket ordinance in Nevada County! If restaurants are following precautions as Friar Tuck's is doing, they should be able to remain open! They have invested in our health with improved air flow, spacing, great care, and WE NEED THEM!

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Nevada county resident

Geri Beeler

Sent from my iPhone