

Various emails received for item #53 on 6/2/20

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Peggy Hall <peggy.hall@cox.net>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 4:24 PM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; Bartlett, Lisa
Subject: NO GROUNDS FOR LOCAL EMERGENCY

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Aliso Viejo

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: ProLiberty <ProLiberty@protonmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 4:32 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Local state of emergency - rescind

Dear Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for your attention to the issues affecting us at this time.

Please rescind the local state of emergency. The Covid-19 numbers do not justify the state of emergency, and the money potentially to come from state or federal governments is not worth being under the tyranny of the local health department for. Nothing going on with regard to the coronavirus justifies the state of emergency, nor the face mask order.

If our county were allowed to work as normal, allow people to come and go, not be afraid, nor wear fear-inducing face masks, I am sure we would have enough money to deal with any covid issues that come up. As it is, we are ruining our county, all in the name of money!

With regard to the face mask order, below are some links and info with regard to that. Please either rescind that order, or fire Dr. Quick, and then get someone who will rescind the order.

Thank you,
Anja Carley

Below is a warning label on a box of masks. What part of the mask is helpful, if it's not intended to provide protection against Covid-19? The warning label says that the mask does not reduce the risk of contracting any disease or infection. It seems that what the face mask is meant to do is to be a placebo for those who are afraid. In that case, make it optional. Also, as the bottom image points out, there is the very real chance of a person experiencing hypercapnia while wearing a mask; in fact, a family member did just that. There are those of us out here that actually are interested in reality, truth and actual health, not political statements and fear-mongering. Please rescind the mask requirement immediately.

Respectfully submitted,
Anja Carley

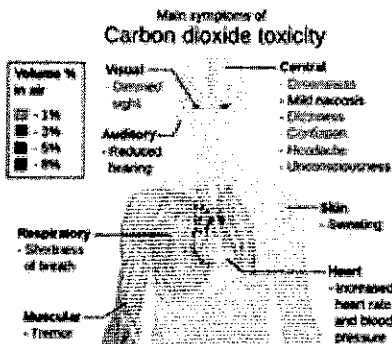
WARNING:

THIS PRODUCT IS AN EAR LOOP MASK. THIS PRODUCT IS NOT A RESPIRATOR AND WILL NOT PROVIDE ANY PROTECTION AGAINST COVID-19 (CORONA VIRUS) OR OTHER VIRUSES OR CONTAMINANTS.

Wearing an ear loop mask does not reduce the risk of contracting any disease or infection. User is solely responsible for the selection of appropriate personal protective equipment for the setting and application. Change immediately if contaminated.

- Made of Soft Material
- General Purpose Use Only
- Latex Free
- Disposable

This is Hypercapnia. It can be caused by rebreathing your own exhaled CO2 by wearing a mask continually.



<https://www.nydailynews.com/coronavirus/ny-coronavirus-two-chinese-boys-die-face-masks-gym-class-20200507-ruyinz7czjbqde3tprx647q3dm-story.html>

<https://www.fort-russ.com/2020/05/dr-blalock-face-masks-pose-serious-risks-to-the-healthy-hypoxia-and-hypercapnia/>

<https://thesmartlocal.com/thailand/jogger-lung-collapse/?fbclid=IwAR1blkDbsir5HHs4MQySUdWvtMNsUrS7NJaxNZL0EQyxxCliezGGeqMWKYw>

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/politics/2020/05/27/coronavirus-fauci-says-he-wears-mask-symbol-what-do/5266189002/?fbclid=IwAR09zQrVflyLsHgZtyPbNsFu1UlpdWUDAQu18d-KKC6UCqX9RHD-vlrSoEo>

<https://medicalxpress.com/news/2015-04-masksdangerous-health.html?fbclid=IwAR2w6KG2R4Mpa1EScd-n5Dc2Nun9GrQsfJTyxCTz96IHRAfMwylLyo0POBc>

https://www.cidrap.umn.edu/news-perspective/2020/04/commentary-masks-all-covid-19-not-based-sound-data?fbclid=IwAR1UaC4kNvXMhfc2QVbKudOKfo2u5n2qSzLToc80Wrg_x1ERlq8QqQ8q Js

https://academic.oup.com/annweh/article/56/1/102/166254?fbclid=IwAR2_Ih0nb6H4mQrINP-JiRCg57reOD9XpelhfxXpClE7oG_D0OHhQdY3w3l

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Irvine, Ca.

Sent from my iPhone

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Santa Ana, CA

In Christ Through The Immaculate Heart of Mary

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Brenda Angier <brenda.angier@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 5:49 AM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media
Subject: Local Health Emergency - VOTE NO

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 10:23 PM
To: Bartlett, Lisa; ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media; Bui, Pauline; Cheung, Michele; Good, Jessica; ceo@gov.com
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Dana Point

Lopez, Maria [COB]

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 9:54 PM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
Subject: OPEN OC. NO MASK REQUIRED.

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WE ARE DONE.

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Lopez, Maria [COB]

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 9:29 PM
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Newport Coast

Sent from my iPhone

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To: COB_Response
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Sent with [ProtonMail](#) Secure Email.

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 5:08 PM
Subject: In Regard to Local Emergency

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From: Billy Barker <billydpg@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 7:17 AM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; Bartlett, Lisa; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
Subject: NO MASK

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From: Brian Harvell <bharvell8282@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 1:45 AM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Comments for upcoming Board meetings

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Have a blessed day,
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To: Steel, Michelle; ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; Bartlett, Lisa; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
Subject: Mask Mandate

Hello All

Short and sweet.

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David Taylor
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David Archuletta

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: DC Cornelius <dcornelius66@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 4:58 PM
To: Bartlett, Lisa; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media; Do, Andrew
Cc: peggy@thehealthyamerican.org
Subject: Demand to Nullify the OC "State of Emergency" Status

Dear Government Officials:

Thank you in advance for reading this important message. We demand that OC be restored to wholeness on the grounds that laws have been violated by city and/or county officials, based on the following:

(1) There are NO grounds for a local health emergency in OC.

A "local health emergency" can only be called if there is an "imminent and proximate threat of an INTRODUCTION of a n infectious disease..."

Uh, the "introduction" of the disease was 3 months ago!

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If you want to read the details, here they are: please COPY AND PASTE what you need and send to these emails right away":

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Sincerely,

Dana Cornelius

949.456.5400

Lopez, Maria [COB]

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 5:28 PM
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The World Health Organization also says that masks are not needed by people with no symptoms and that it cannot protect them.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ded_AxFfJoQ&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=IwAR1rEwUZayHlxQYcP89roOGdZ5p-MkFYe-wwX5ArMAI5VIKjUgljpWHgQ1w

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 5:41 PM
To: COB_Response
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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Elena Estrada <lennyestrada1978@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 9:50 PM
To: COB_Response
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Sent from my iPhone

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Erica Villalpando <ericajmz@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 12:40 AM
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Subject: Local Health Emergency Ratification

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Subject: No MASKS

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Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 5:23 AM
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Jennifer Ferguson

Sent from my iPhone

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Jennifer Junio <jenniferjunio@cox.net>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 4:56 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Face Masks/Protect Health of Children

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Jennifer Junio
Rancho Santa Margarita, CA

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Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 8:08 PM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; Bartlett, Lisa; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
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Joseph Dean

Huntington Beach

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: JTHOMAS154@roadrunner.com
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 7:59 PM
To: 'ETeam@ochca.com'; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; 'tspitzer@da.ocgov.com'; Bartlett, Lisa; 'leon.page@ocgov.com'; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
Subject: Vote No on May 28, 2020 health orders and local emergency

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Jeannette Thomas
Newport Beach, CA

In Christ Thru Mary
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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Karen Kaye <imoosie@me.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 9:38 PM
To: Bartlett, Lisa; ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media; Do, Andrew
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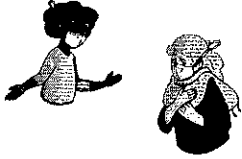
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1



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2



Wear a mask if you are coughing or sneezing

3



Masks are effective only when used in combination with frequent hand-washing with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water

4



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Orange Resident

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From: Kelly Harris <benandkelly@ymail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 10:56 PM
To: COB_Response
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Huntington Beach

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Kristi Roberts <kristihealthcoach@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 11:55 PM
To: Bartlett, Lisa; ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media
Subject: Please terminate the illegal mask orders IMMEDIATELY !!!!

To whom it may concern:

I am a single mama, and Health Coach, who was born and raised in OC. I love living here because I love the FREEDOM and OPPORTUNITIES available to myself and my son. I'm writing to ask you to CEASE AND DESIST with this outrageous mask order IMMEDIATELY!

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THANK YOU!

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Kristi Roberts
Personal Wellness Coach

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From: Lilia Mkrtchyan <latin2dancer2@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 5:18 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Health Concerns

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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Luis A Rodriguez <luisrm@outlook.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 6:56 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Comments for upcoming Board meetings

First of all I appreciate all the hard work you are doing to help us navigate through these turbulent times.

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There seems to be some confusion about HOA pools. I understand that Gov. Newsom announced the beginning of Stage 3 earlier last week and that LA County already approved the reopening of HOA managed pools. I also understand that there is no specific directive from OC to close pools. However, there is a State Order stating that public pools should remain closed. Gov. Newsom mentioned last week that he would allow county authorities to make their own decisions about reopening activities.

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We will appreciate your response on this important issue affecting many residents in Huntington Beach.

Sincerely,

Luis A. Rodriguez
St. Augustine II HOA
(714) 951-1722

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Lynda Crawford <llcrawford4@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 7:31 PM
To: COB_Response
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Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

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Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 6:11 AM
To: COB_Response
Cc: Maria Moore
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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Mark Badran <markbadran@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 11:25 PM
To: COB_Response
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From: Nicole <nicolegreynolds@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 6:33 AM
To: COB_Response
Subject: There is no evidence that cloth masks work

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Where are the hazmat bins for all the disposable masks if this is so contagious?

Nicole Reynolds

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Rita Barnett <ritabarnett1@cox.net>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 8:45 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Terminate the Local State of Emergency

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1. First, declare an end to the “local state of emergency” in Orange County and rescind all health orders by Dr. Nichole Quick, specifically including her sweeping May 29, 2020 order that requires “healthy people” to quarantine repeatedly and indefinitely. I am sure you can see the slippery slope of this measure — and how it may quickly be used to control people beyond protecting “health.”
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I hope that you fully appreciate what is happening in this country and the sweeping, totalitarian mandates that are being pushed through under the guise of responding to a flu-like virus. Ask yourselves if the infection fatality numbers we have in OC — roughly 150 deaths, mainly in nursing homes — justifies the millions now on unemployment, the lost businesses, the devastating emotional and psychological tolls this is having on millions of your citizens, with suicide rates that far exceed CV-19 death rates, and the complete destruction of our public schools as they now

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Sincerely,

Rita Barnett-Rose
San Clemente, CA

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Sandra Manriquez <busybeee2477@att.net>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 6:32 PM
To: BBMOMOF3 Manriquez
Subject: NO FACE MASK!

This letter is directed both to the Orange County Health Agency, and to the members of the Orange County Board of Supervisors,

I am writing to make my voice be heard loud and clear. I want you to know that neither me, nor any member of my family, will be complying with any face masks ordinance. We are DONE! No more hiding in our homes. No more hiding our faces behind silly face masks that do no good.

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To the Board Members, I am asking you to vote against this! Show the people that you are on their side, and not on the side of our liberal Governor that wants to overreach his powers over good people, while allowing looters and rioters to destroy our state.

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Orange County is not a dictatorship County. The events of the last few days with all the rioters and looters have brought to light that this whole thing is absolutely absurd. We are good people that do no riot or destroy property, and we are doing things the right way. We are letting you know what our plans are. Even if you choose to pass this unrealistic ordinance that you cannot enforce, we will NOT comply.

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Sandra Manriquez
Yorba Linda

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Steven Rose <roseteven@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 9:38 PM
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Sincerely,

Steven Rose
San Clemente, CA

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Susan Liberto <art.of.design@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 7:39 PM
Subject: "Where is the science?"

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Susan Palmiero-Liberto

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From: Susan Nilon <daillyessentials4life@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 7:06 PM
To: COB_Response
Subject: Urgent Request

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Mission Viejo, CA

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Suzanne Lane

Sent from my iPhone

Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Tamara Roe <tamararoe@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 6:04 PM
Subject: There are NO grounds for a local health emergency in OC

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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Teresa Kennedy <tkennedy31@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 02, 2020 1:50 AM
To: ETeam@ochca.com; Quick, Nichole; Chau, Clayton; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; Steel, Michelle; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew; Media; leon.page@ocgov.com; Fourth District; Do, Andrew
Subject: the Board to vote against ratification of the May 28, 2020 health orders and local emergency.

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Sincerely

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Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: V Tag <suitingstylist@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 01, 2020 8:09 PM
To: Do, Andrew; COB_Response; Wagner, Donald; ETeam@ochca.com; Steel, Michelle; Chau, Clayton; Fourth District; leon.page@ocgov.com; Media; Quick, Nichole; tspitzer@da.ocgov.com
Subject: Open OC

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To: COB_Response
Subject: Comments for upcoming Board meetings

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Sent from my iPhone

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