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I have lived in Charles County my entire life, all 39 years of it. I love my home in Port Tobacco and I love being just a few minutes from town to do all my shopping. When the mask mandates first went out, I remember government officials telling us that we needed to have certain types of masks to truly protect us against Covid, and that the masks we make at home and buy on line do NOT prevent the spread of the virus! Yet here we still are. My family from ages 4-70 got the delta variant during the time that we were all wearing masks everywhere we went. This virus is NOT going anywhere just as the flu is still around and we all still get the common cold, which by the way my family also has had recently because my 5 year old brought it home from school where more than half his class has had colds, NOT Covid, and they are all wearing masks ALL DAY! If someone feels more comfortable wearing a mask, great! But do NOT make it mandatory for all to wear them when it's scientifically proven that they do NOT prevent the spread of the virus!!! My five year old is growing up not understanding true social interaction and the value of what a smile from a passing stranger in a store can mean to you when you're having a bad day. For our mental health now and for our children in the future, the mask mandate must stop now. It saddens me that I have to drive out of county and state to do all my shopping now so I can walk into a store with my kids and be greeted with a smile.

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