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My husband & I recently took a 3 week road trip, traveled to 11 states, visited countless businesses (restaurants, museums, convenience stores, hotels, antique stores, department stores, military bases, bars, etc) and not one time did a business/entity require a mandate to wear a mask. NOT. ONE. TIME. Each one of these businesses/entities respected the individual's right to CHOOSE to wear a mask, or not. Charles County Maryland is the ONLY place on our 11 State trip that mandates a mask. It is oppressive, damaging & divisive. It is no wonder Charles County businesses are struggling when every other surrounding County & State respect the individual's right to choose for themselves to wear a mask, or not. The Charles County Commissioners' Mask Mandate push the Charles County Citizen to other Counties & States to do business, purchase & buy goods, thus, harming Charles County businesses. The Charles County Commissioners' Mask Mandate causes further divisiveness among the Citizens & Communities of Charles County. This mandate has caused countless confrontations among Citizens. There has been too much division for too long & the Charles County Commissioners continue to "fan this flame" w/this Mandate. The Charles County Commissioners would be wise by choosing to diffuse the County's divisional issues by respecting each individual Citizens' right to CHOOSE to wear a mask, or not. As for the individual, the Charles County Commissioners' Mask Mandate gives just another reason

for its Citizens to move out of the County - as many have in the past & currently are doing due to the Countyy's increase of violence, crime, exorbitant County taxes & cost of living. Should the Charles County Commissioners' continue implementing their neverending Mask Mandate upon the Citizens of Charles County, they continue to disrespect their Constituents rights to choose for themselves, continue feed & fan the flames of divisiveness within the County.

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