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## Required Face Coverings to Reduce the Spread of COVID-19

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Charles County has had enough of the mask mandate. These mandates are hurting small businesses especially because residents are either traveling to St Mary's County or even over the Nice Bridge to go shopping or dining. The Majority of the residents in Charles County, 62%, are fully vaccinated, and those over 65 are at 93% fully vaccinated, and these numbers are current as of 12/11/2021. There is no longer any reason to mandate the masks. If residents want to wear them to further their protection, that's awesome, but for those that have been vaccinated there should not be a mandate. Anyone who wished to not wear the masks, it is their informed right to make that decision. Forcing children in schools to wear masks distracts them from learning, especially the ones who can't wear their glasses because they keep fogging up. The survival rate of the original and all the variants are still in the high 95+% and the county board is causing more issues than this needs to be. If you all true care about the science and numbers, then the percentages speak for themselves. This county needs to start following the reality and stop living in a fantasy land thinking that these mask mandates are actually helpful. Please say NO to the masks mandates.

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