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

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I have personally chosen to shop out of county due to the county mask mandate. While masks were mandated and people were all compliant it didn't seem to make this terrible virus disappear. I don't think it makes a difference. People should have the freedom to chose if they would like to wear one or not. After speaking with family in several different states (including some in New York State one of the hardest hit states of Covid) and seeing that mask mandates have been lifted there and it is optional to wear them and cases have not risen in those areas since making it optional I do not see the need for a mandate. Please trust the people in your county and give them the option to do what they feel is right for them. Stop controlling your citizens. People that feel safer wearing a mask can but citizens should never be forced to.

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Thank you,  
Charles County, MD

