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I would like to respond to the proposal to reinstate the Mask Mandate in response to Covid 19. I watch the news and like everyone else am concerned about the health and welfare of my fellow Americans. However, I am alarmed that there is a case of attempting to protect people from themselves or of imposing restrictions just because they can. All of the speeches by Anthony Fauci refer to "follow the science" but the data that I am seeing for the various states appears to contradict his "science". I'm no science expert and freely admit that but I do have common sense. From the reports that I am seeing, Covid 19 is spreading faster in the places that have the Mask Mandates than in places where there are no Mask Mandates. Also, all of these mandates were supposedly imposed for a temporary time. What is your definition of "temporary", I do not call over a year and a half "temporary". From all appearances Covid 19 is not going to be here temporarily and is most likely going to be like the flu. The reports seem to indicate that it will get weaker as time goes by. Based upon all of the above, I do not think that Mask Mandates are a good idea. Mask Mandates cause more harm than good. People should be told to use their best judgement and continue to wash their hands and if not feeling well, stay home. Thank you for your time.

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