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

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I am completely against forcing citizens of Charles county to wear masks. We are almost two years into covid life and this is a complete over reach. At this point we all know the risks for ourselves and families. Many have chosen to get vaccinated or been forced to for their jobs, many have had covid and have natural immunity. Being forced to wear a mask in order to shop, eat out or go a venue, only forces many people to spend their money outside of the county. Neighboring counties have no mandates and people shop their freely, myself and family included. There are so many circumstances where masking isn't an option; kids should absolutely NOT be forced into masks. I live in charles county but choose to do business in king George County, VA or St. Marys County because I can freely and openly wall into a business with my children without having to be forced to mask or be harassed by staff if I choose not to. I urge you to reconsider this complete over reach. If citizens of this county choose to wear masks, they can choose to freely, but we also shouldn't be forced to do so. It takes business out of the county.

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Thank you,  
**Charles County, MD**

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