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Masks	Please continue the mask ordinance. Masks are helping our community keep the positivity rate down. It also is helping the economy. People feel safe doing their shopping when people are wearing masks. Let's keep Pinellas County safe.	Jeanne Feld	35 Tads Trail	Oldsmar	34677	727-785-4625	jfeld333@gmail.com	2020-10-05 23:20:37
Mask ordinance	As survivors of Covid19, my husband, Dr Zucel Sol and I know how dangerous and deadly this virus is. Both of us were seen twice in the ER at Mease Countryside Hospital on March 23rd and 26th of this year. My husband was admitted into ICU on the 26th for what was to be a 2 day hospitalization. Within 36 hours, I received a call at 1AM that he was placed on a ventilator. He was a perfectly healthy 70 years old man who worked out 3 times a week with a trainer and had NO PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITION. I was quarantined in our home with pneumonia and it took almost THREE WEEKS for my test results to come back!!! I was positive---no one could take care of me. On March 31st and April 7th, I received a phone call from the ICU doctor PREPARING ME FOR HIS DEATH. I had to call my adult children and prepare them for THEIR FATHER'S DEATH. NONE OF US COULD BE WITH HIM NOR COULD THEY BE WITH ME. IT WAS UTTERLY CRUEL. As Dr. Stephen Brown told us, he went downhill FAST AND HARD. After 15 Days on the ventilator in a medically-induced coma, he was one of ONLY 10% WHO WAS SUCCESSFULLY REMOVED FROM THE VENTILATOR. I did not see my husband for SIX WEEKS! This healthy husband was transferred upon discharge and spent one week in a rehabilitation center before he came home. He looked like an 80 years old survivor of a concentration camp. It was terrifying to see him as he was: 1)using a walker; 2)weight loss of TWENTY POUNDS; 3)suffered a minor stroke;	Helaine Shatanoff Solc	1515 Silver Moon Lane	Palm Harbor	34683	(727)741-9097	zucelhane@aol.com	2020-10-05 22:59:04
County mask mandate	I am writing as a county resident who feels that it is important for the health of all of our citizens to continue the mask mandate. Things are going well since the mandate was initially instituted. The deadly virus has not departed our county, and if we let our guard down, there will be a resurgence. The medical authorities gave good advice at the last commissioner's discussion. They felt that it was important to continue to recommend masks, while indoors or in a crowd. Please consider our health. Thank you, Linda Grace	Linda Grace	3869 Sunrise Lane	Tarpon Springs	34688		lingra14@gmail.com	2020-10-05 22:15:40
Masking	Please retAin the law and encouragement to use MASKS when in proximity or the chance to be in proximity of others not in our homes.	Johanna bromberg	2052 imperial way	Clearwater	33764	7275155579	jbromberg32@gmail.com	2020-10-05 22:03:00

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Mask Ordinance	Go to the CDC Website. Here is their current information: CDC recommends that you wear masks in public settings around people who don't live in your household and when you can't stay 6 feet away from others. Masks help stop the spread of COVID-19 to others. Let's listen to scientists and follow their guidelines. There were 15,895 cases of coronavirus in Florida this week. My brother-in-law, who lives Largo, was confirmed coronavirus positive yesterday. I have a teacher friend and her husband who are at home isolating with coronavirus. She teaches at Garrison Jones Elementary. Let's make a safe decision for our community.	Renee Feinman	2618 Barksdale Court	Clearwater	33761	7276868186	rfeinwoman@aol.com	2020-10-05 21:32:33
Continue Mask Wearing in Public	I appreciate you taking the time to consider this critical issue and vote to continue to uphold the mask ordinance . The masks are making a difference! WE must protect each other and get rid of this virus.	Rochelle Brudny	1462 Twin Villas Way	DUNEDIN	34698	7275150122	rbrudny@gmail.com	2020-10-05 21:24:48
Continue Mask Wearing in Public	I appreciate you taking the time to consider this critical issue and vote to continue to uphold the mask ordinance . The masks are making a difference! WE must protect each other and get rid of this virus.	Rochelle Brudny	1462 Twin Villas Way	DUNEDIN	34698	7275150122	rbrudny@gmail.com	2020-10-05 21:23:51
Maintain mask mandate.	We have all witnessed how the White House became a Covid cesspool. Please protect our community in spite of the Covid fatigue. The virus does not tire!!!	Dr. Ron Lopez	2843 alternate 19	Palm Harbor	34683	7277720038	ronlopez54@mac.com	2020-10-05 19:23:47
Continue MASK MANDATE	County Commissioners, Please maintain the MASK MANDATE in Pinellas county!! I do not feel safe when people are out without a mask so I can't help support the economy! Also several of my family member just might not survive this virus. Again, please maintain MASK MANDATE!! Sincerely, Brenda Vellance MS, LMHC	Brenda Vellance	302 Charleston Avenue, PO box 1104	Crystal Beach	34681	7277422015	bvellance@yahoo.com	2020-10-05 19:15:59
Thank You	Thank you for continuing to listen to medical experts and science and keep the mask ordinance. I also appreciate you voting to have this done by Mr. Burton, freeing up time for you to focus on other issues affecting our county.	Tammy Wachter	781 Brittany Park Blvd	Tarpon Springs	34689	7276924838	TAMMYWACHTER@GMAIL.COM	2020-10-05 18:01:25
Mask ordinance	Please uphold the ordinance to continue mandatory mask wearing in Dunedin businesses. I live on Edgewater Drive and I was shocked to see so many people downtown this past weekend not wearing masks and not social distancing. We have made little headway in controlling this pandemic. I don't want to see our infection and death rates climb To June- July levels. My Husband and I are 66 and we have two daughters and 4 grandchildren in the area. Both school age Grandchildren children are attending online school. People seem to have no discipline regarding self regulation. I have 3 friends in the area with cancer and compromised immune systems.	Janis Sapiega	622 Edgewater Drive, Unit 821	Dunedin	34698	727 643 7181	jsapiega@yahoo.com	2020-10-05 17:17:56
Masks	Please do not remove the mask mandate at this time. Thank you for your consideration. Nancy Lonschein	Nancy Lonschein	1435 Westlake Blvd. 1435 Westlake Blvd.	Palm Harbor	34683	1727785204	ajlonschein@juno.com	2020-10-05 17:05:35

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oct 6 vote	So far 766 people have died. with less testing we still have over 22000 cases. You count in the flu, the winter, the snowbirds and its a mess. If a mask can save one person ,maybe in your family, I think its worth it. Most would agree. LETS KNEEP THE MASK ORDINANCE ON TILL THE VIRUS IS CONTROLLED. I am a very active voter.	MADELYN BRODSKY	30 LANCE CT	OLDSMAR	34677	7277876154	LYNNIELMB@AOL.COM	2020-10-05 16:56:36
Masks	We are not out of the woods yet! Covid is still a REAL and very scary issue! Please DO NOT rescind wearing masks!!!! Just think about the President of the United States just got Covid! He doesn't wear a mask most of the time! Be smarter than that and protect your constituents!	Marilyn Satinoff	853 Village Way	Palm Harbor	34683	7277848338	esatinof@tampabay.rr.com	2020-10-05 15:37:02
Mask Mandate	I am 75 with several health issues. It is scary enough to see folks not believing the science and ignoring the mask rules but I trust that in the interest of we "vulnerables," you will not discard the mask mandate. Thank you. PS Senior shopping hours are wonderful as well.	Anne Decker	19029 U.S. Hwy 19 N. Unit 28-B	Clearwater	33764		adecker@tampabay.rr.com	2020-10-05 15:29:58
Mask Ordinance	As a senior citizen the very last thing we need is a change to the current mask ordinance. This pandemic is not over and if anything requiring everyone to wear a mask in public and social distancing should be reinforced and strictly adhered to. Our lives are at stake!	George A Fusaro	1519 Woodstream Drive	Oldsmar	34677	8133001530	italigolf@gmail.com	2020-10-05 15:21:16
mask ordinance	Please keep our current mask ordinance in place. We seniors cant afford to get covid 19.	Jeanie Fusaro	1519 Woodstream Drive	Oldsmar	34677	8137608869	jeanieptc@gmail.com	2020-10-05 15:16:14
Mask Mandate	Please, I implore you to keep the mask mandate in place for Pinellas County. Our citizens deserve to be safe. Thank you, Joni Higger	Joni Higger	4332 Radcliffe Drive	Palm Harbor	34685		joni1818@verizon.net	2020-10-05 15:15:06
mask ordinance	Please keep the mask ordinance in place as we are certainly no safe without it.	Lillian Epstein	1468 Byram Dr	Clearwater	33755	727-443-7173	Lillhank@aol.com	2020-10-05 14:56:03
Mask wearing	Please vote to extend the mandatory mask law in Pinellas. We all know that we are still very much at risk of being infected by the Covid virus and that wearing masks makes us less likely to be infected. Thanks, Judy McSwine	Judy McSwine	602 Lime Ave. #102,	Clearwater	33756	7274475493	judymcswine@gmail.com	2020-10-05 14:54:05
Mask wearing	Pat, Please vote to extend the mandatory mask law in Pinellas. We all know that we are still very much at risk of being infected by the Covid virus and that wearing masks makes us less likely to be infected. Thanks, Judy McSwine	Judy McSwine	602 Lime Ave. #102,	Clearwater	33756	7274475493	judymcswine@gmail.com	2020-10-05 14:53:13
Masks	Please KEEP the mask mandates for our safety. Let's keep our positivity rate low. It is the responsible action at this time. Thank you.	Joyce Tucker	3486 Meremoor Dr	Palm Harbor	34685		joycetucker14@icloud.com	2020-10-05 14:39:25

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Pandemic Protection via Face Mask	<p>The increasing numbers of people who have died as a result of the COVID-19 coronavirus should serve as a signal to those who are in a position to ameliorate the drastic effects of this plague. For we experience incredible sorrow as we ask ourselves questions like; "Did this many people have to die? How many died before they might have otherwise?" In particular, "Did we do all that could have been done to save lives?" The numbers are large, with more than 210,000 souls on a national level, including 766 here in Pinellas County. However, with time we may have a tendency to become inured to the regularly experienced effect of these deaths. And in that state, we find our basic human sensitivities have a propensity to become compromised.</p> <p>As you consider voting on whether to continue having people wear masks while occupying interior public spaces, I strongly urge you to vote in favor of the option that may potentially save a human life, in the spirit of demonstrating care for your neighbor whom you may not know. That is, one should wear a mask for the sake of our neighbors.</p>	Rev. Norman Hatter	1450 Twin Villas Way	Dunedin	34698	7277856270	revnormh@gmail.com	2020-10-05 14:39:14
Keep the mask mandate!	<p>Covid - 19 cases are rising again. Schools are in session. Restaurants and bars are open to full capacity. It would be insanity to lift the mask mandate now while we still have a chance to prevent hundreds, perhaps thousands of cases. Perhaps revisiting the mandate in January might make sense, as then we would have a better idea how the county is faring.</p>	Ellen Woll	1361 Forestedge Blvd.	Oldsmar	34677	7039658818	esewoll@gmail.com	2020-10-05 14:24:00
Mask Mandate	<p>Please keep a mandatory mask rule to help save lives. Not wearing a mask in public is like not stopping for red lights. It puts other people at great risk!</p>	Edith Becker	1557 WOODSTREAM DR	OLDSMAR	34677	7277850032	edie1010@gmail.com	2020-10-05 13:59:53
Vote on mask mandate	<p>Please KEEP the mask mandate in effect in Pinellas County. It is working!!!</p>	Phylis Avoy	3710 Woodridge Place	Palm Harbor	34684		pavoy12@gmail.com	2020-10-05 13:50:13
Mask Mandate	<p>Please continue to the mask mandate that you have already imposed. It is important not only to be consistent as far as the need, but also to continue to follow science, research and all guidelines put forth to protect citizens. It is now so easy for all to see what happens when obvious and common sense guidelines are discounted, and so many show up for a photo op at the Rose Garden at the White House, on a government plane, meetings, etc. The spread is quick!! You need to continue all you can do to combat the spread of the virus. If you do not mandate masking then schools will likely follow and that can lead to disastrous spread. Thanks for your continued attention to this important matter.</p>	Andrea J Deutsch	2493 Waterview Ct	Palm Harbor	34684	17277711857	andrea.joan.deutsch@gmail.com	2020-10-05 13:34:06

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The mask mandate must stay in place	<p>Honorable Commissioners, This vote is fraught with political pressures, coming less than one month before Election Day. Without a vaccine, without the treatment regimen administered to the President, citizens have only one choice - other than lockdown. That choice is masking!! Anti maskers equate the right not to wear as a mask as equivalent to the right to bear arms. They will also be anti-vacciners. Wearing a mask as been politicized, ironic that that every day the White House inner circle crumbles a little more. I wear a mask everywhere, including county parks because cluster of people do not show common sense walking on boardwalks or in picnic groves. If there is holiday travel, we will be facing an influx of travelers. Traditionally, the fly season follows. Available ICU beds and lower death rates are not a reason to stop masking. Ultimately, it is our population of vulnerable people that are at risk of a symptomatic younger people. Please vote to maintain masking. Thank you. Respectfully, Bruce Berger</p>	Bruce Berger	1559 riverdale drive	Oldsmar (unincorporated County)	34677	7277863954	bergerb2@yahoo.com	2020-10-05 13:26:38
Mask ordinance	<p>It is very clear now that the President has covid that mask wearing is essential to keeping our citizens safe and is the first line of defense against the spread of the virus. Please keep the ordinance in place, especially since the governor has relaxed the other state regulations. Thank you, Dr. Avery and Claire Stiglitz</p>	Claire Stiglitz	813, Peggy Ray Drive	Dunedin	34698		claire.stiglitz@gmail.com	2020-10-05 12:45:41
Face Mask Ordinance	<p>I am asking that you please vote to keep the face mask ordinance in place. Lowering the county's positivity rate for COVID-19 has been DUE to the efforts of individuals to social distance and wear masks. It is of utmost importance that people continue to wear face masks at ALL indoor establishments. As Commissioner Long stated you "have a moral and ethical responsibility to continue with the mask mandate." Please show by your actions that you care to truly protect the health and safety of the citizens whom you represent.</p>	Susan Rosenbluth	11269 Harborside Drive	Largo	33773	7274524422	suerose72@gmail.com	2020-10-05 12:03:53
MASKS	<p>Please continue the masks order. As a 78 year old constituent it is important that we keep the virus from spreading</p>	Marcia Friedman	90 Pinewinds Blvd FL	OLDSMAR	34677	17277890095	mfriedman_suntrust@yahoo.com	2020-10-05 11:52:49
The Local State of Emergency (including the Mask Ordinance) will be an item on the agenda for the October 6th BCC meeting	<p>Please all read: You all know what to do. We did it before! Do not let them remove the mask ordinance, especially so soon after our governor's decision to open up everything! I am out there everyday, as a realtor (considered an essential service) and the mask ordinance really helps protect both the Buyer, Seller and Me! Before the ordinance we would get some arguments- with it almost everyone I work with has been very compliant, without any arguments. Such a simple little inconvenience SAVES LIVES. We are counting on our leaders to LEAD. Thank you.</p>	Pamela Cohn	622 Allens Ridge Drive East	Palm Harbor	34683		pamcohn5@gmail.com	2020-10-05 11:38:21

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Mask Order	Again I am writing to implore you to continue the requirements for masks to be worn in public and in stores. In spite of what our Governor is saying this virus has not gone away and doesn't care what your politics are. It's still out there and still deadly!! I am a senior citizen and take many precautions just to do my food shopping. If these ordinances are rescinded I will be forced to be back in my house again. It's just a simple thing really -a mask to help keep everyone safe. This shouldn't be that hard!!	Bonnie Wachtler	2685 Clubhouse Drive South	Clearwater	33761	7276429433	bonniewachtler@gmail.com	2020-10-05 11:30:45
Mask ordinance	Please keep the mask ordinance in place, this protects our entire community.	Maria Burns	5749 Windber Ct	Palm Harbor	34685	7276677525	burns.maria@gmail.com	2020-10-05 11:19:36
Mask Mandate	Please continue the Mask Mandate. It is a matter of Public Health and Safety!	Ellen I. Siegman	4169 Capitol Dr	Palm Harbor	34685	7277815667	ellenisiegman@gmail.com	2020-10-05 11:10:35
Idea for gradual reduction of mask requirements, when the science indicates	When the science seems to suggest that it's time to relax the mask mandate, I suggest that it be done gradually. By continuing to require masks in all essential businesses (grocery stores, Walmart, Target, Home Depot, hardware stores, and any other business that was deemed essential at the beginning of the pandemic) it will protect the segment of the population that is only going out when necessary. It is unfair of the people who are "anti-mask" to suggest that persons who have to go to the grocery store to stay home. It places an unfair financial burden for those people to continue to have to pay delivery charges and service fees because they feel like they are risking their health if they go buy groceries. Going out to restaurants, bars, clothes shopping, entertainment venues etc. is a non-essential choice and in my opinion those places could be mask free (when the science indicates that perhaps mask wearing can be reduced.). If any business wants to continue requiring masks to protect their employees and customers they should have the right to do so. Personally, I am in favor of masks and appreciate all of your diligence. I am also aware of the frustration for many people who think it's unnecessary. The above could be a compromise instead of just ripping off the masks at some point. "Anti-mask" people may be more accepting of wearing a mask in essential businesses, and be a little bit			St Pete Beach	33706		saintpetebeach@aol.com	2020-10-05 11:05:58
Masks	Please keep a mandatory mask rule to help save lives. Not wearing a mask in public is like not stopping for red lights. It puts other people at great risk!	DEENA R SILVER	90 Greenhaven Cir	Oldsmar/ unincorporated	34677	7277858943	dsilvervol@gmail.com	2020-10-05 10:32:49
mask ordinance	Please continue the mandate to wear masks in all indoor settings	arlene sharlat	11405 billfish circle #342	trinity	34655	727-859-4474	amsharlat@aol.com	2020-10-05 10:31:35

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Retain Ordinance requiring wearing of masks in public spaces	<p>Dear County Commissioners:</p> <p>It is of utmost importance to Pinellas County residents to retain the mask requirement. As cases of COVID-19 are rising in many communities, and especially in light of the debacle involving the president and his associates, it is imperative that we continue to take precautions that will save lives and move us toward normalizing our communities and businesses. As a resident of Pinellas County I implore each of you to retain the mask requirement for Pinellas County.</p> <p>Sincerely, Barbara A. Baccari 727-439-0066</p>	Barbara A Baccari	507 Gardenia Street	BELLEAIR	33756	7274390066	baccariesq@gmail.com	2020-10-05 10:22:02
Mask Ordinance	<p>Dear Pinellas County Commissioners:</p> <p>I am aware that the Board of Commissioners is considering whether the ordinance referenced above should be continued or abandoned.</p> <p>I am in favor of keeping the current ordinance in place. Based on current evidence it is obvious that our progress in stemming the spread of COVID has been in a large part due to our protecting each other by the wearing of masks, as well as social distancing. As this is the beginning of the cold and flu season, as well as currently contending with COVID, I feel it would be unwise to let our guard down now.</p> <p>No one wants to wear a mask, but a little inconvenience from all of us now can go a long way to help us all stay safe.</p> <p>Sincerely, Marcia Molle' and Mark Isenberg 450 Hickorynut Avenue Oldsmar, FL 34677</p>	Marcia Molle'	450 , Hickorynut Avenue	Oldsmar	34677	7277892479	mmolle4898@aol.com	2020-10-05 09:39:44
Masks	<p>We are too smart to eliminate mask wearing ordinance. We love Dunedin- keep it safe so we can continue to visit the restaurants.</p>	Nancy Maza	2961 Somersworth dr	Clearwater	33761		nkm123@verizon.net	2020-10-05 08:47:09
Mask mandate	<p>Please do not end the mask mandate. It's madness to even consider it. The perfect example of an masked behaviour is our president who is presently in the hospital because he caught Coverd 19. He refused to wear a mask hell big rallies and came in contact with many people and now he is very sick. If he can get the virus so can everyone else. Masks saves lives.</p>	Albert Ouziel	3761 Orchard Highland Dr	Palm Harbor	34684	7274609286	alouziel@yahoo.com	2020-10-05 07:35:27