

Public Comment - Group 1

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Ramirez, Angelica

From: Martha Webber <marwebber2@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2020 2:44 PM
To: sbcob
Subject: Re: Public Comment on Covid-19 Response



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Hi there,

I have an additional public comment: I live right by the Goleta Costco and on March 17 at 2:15pm their self-service condiment and drink stands were still open. When will this close and when will they start enforcing social distancing at their store? They are literally fueling the potential for community transmission right now. Please. do. something.

Martha Webber

On Tue, Mar 17, 2020 at 9:22 AM Martha Webber <marwebber2@gmail.com> wrote:

What are you doing or will do immediately to stop the crowds at grocery stores and increase safe access to good for our community? Other cities and counties are working with grocers in limiting numbers of people in store, increasing curbside pickup with sensible order limits, and having the first hours open after cleaning only open to vulnerable people. People are not self regulating and we need to do more!

Next, can we use our phone alert system to communicate policies to our community members? If we can use them for every storm, surely we can use them for this. It could say: be distant in stores more, do you need food or help, go to this site. Even just blast the county helpline.

More largely, what is the threshold that will make you take more action? A certain number of positive tests? What?

Finally I'm not just a complainer but I'm here to help, please tell us how we all can help even more in the community. Also thanks to Jasmine and those working the county call center - they are being really helpful!

Martha Webber
Goleta resident and UCSB employee

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Jennifer H <hostetlerjenn@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 19, 2020 1:45 PM
To: sbcob
Subject: PUBLIC COMMENT: PROTECT our families STOP the viral denial, lock this down NOW & LISTEN TO THE DOCTORS and adopt prudent BEST PRACTICE pandemic policy

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YOUR Priorities:

1. FAMILIES (=lockdown "shelter at home") 2. SUPPLY CHAIN 3. POSITIVE BEST PRACTICE PUBLIC HEALTH (physical and mental) MESSAGING - the federal CDC guidelines ARE THE FLOOR. You are a government and have the power to do more to protect our health and safety than what has been a disaster at the federal level and frankly, hesitant at the state level.

Fill in #4-1000 but the money doesn't belong on the list when too many of our friends, neighbors, and family members will be avoidably DEAD and your sluggish response on a shelter order will be to blame. You aren't working hard enough or fast enough on this emergency. Stop acting like a third world government. Tell Cathy Murillo she should not be taking a bleeping stroll down State Street to mingle with business owners (\$) not to mention the image of conducting face to face meet and greets at a time like this. I have met Cathy, she is very nice and personable, but now is not the time for chatting or politics.

Act like leaders and get this shelter order done ASAP. If not, SB's trust and probate law practices will thrive, and none of us want that.

Very truly yours,
Jennifer L. HANSEN, Esq.
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