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Public Comment- Group 11

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**From:** Tina Coffman <tina.coffman@me.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 2, 2020 7:59 PM  
**To:** sbcob; Williams, Das; Hart, Gregg; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve; Ansorg, Henning; Do-Reynoso, Van  
**Subject:** Mask wearing



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We are 72/73 year old residents of Santa Barbara and want to thank you for requiring that masks be worn in stores, in-line and in public gatherings, adhering to the CDC recommendations. We do our own Grocery shopping and want to be sure that we can continue to do this safely. It is a proven fact that masks help limit the spread of COVID-19.

Please continue requiring the use of masks so that we can feel Safe when we must go out.

Thank you,  
Chris and Tina Coffman  
753 Cathedral Pointe lane  
Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Sent from my iPhone

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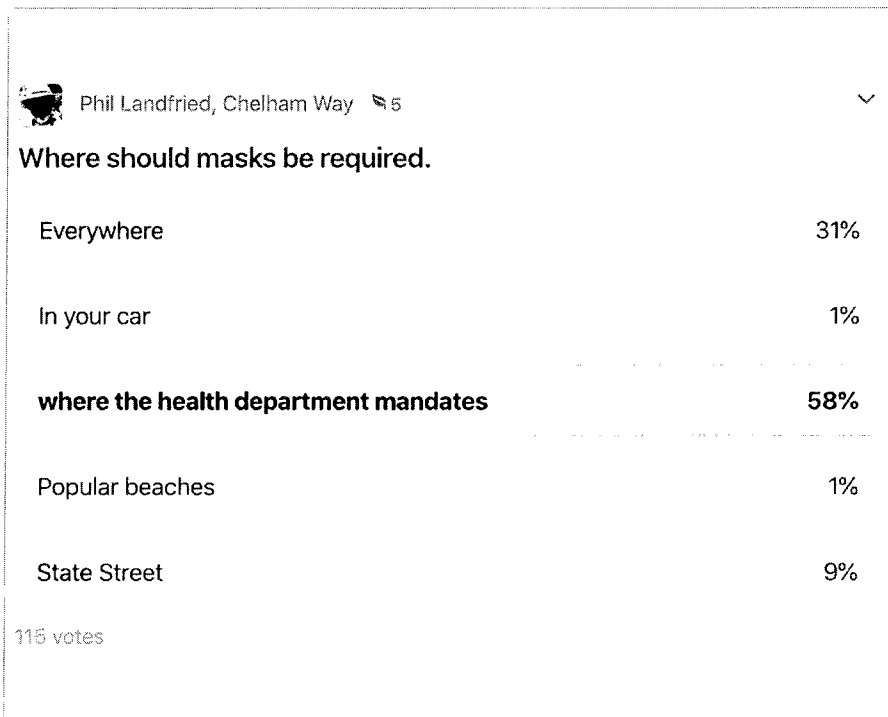
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**From:** Phil Landfried <landfriedphil@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 3, 2020 8:53 AM  
**To:** sbcob  
**Subject:** survey results  
**Attachments:** IMG\_3983.PNG; ATT00001.txt

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## RESULTS OF WHERE SHOULD MASKS BE WORN SURVEY

Most people said we should follow the guidelines of the SB County health department. About 1/3 thought they should be worn everywhere. Only these would say we should wear them at popular beaches. The results are posted below.



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**From:** Good Farmers Great Neighbors <noreply@123formbuilder.io>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:06 AM  
**To:** sbcob  
**Subject:** Supporting County Cannabis Farmers

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**Name** Annette Russell  
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**Subject** County Cannabis Farmers Standing With Our Community  
**Message** To: Honorable Supervisors of Santa Barbara County  
Supervisor Greg Hart, Chair  
Supervisor Das Williams, District 1  
Supervisor Joan Hartmann, District 3  
Supervisor Peter Adams, District 4  
Supervisor Steve Lavagnino, District 5

Our community has been hit hard by the COVID-19 crisis. Many of our local communities are experiencing double-digit unemployment. As Santa Barbara County continues to practice social distancing and under Governor Newsom's shelter mandate, the future of many local industries and jobs remain uncertain, in particular those in the hospitality and restaurant sectors.

I am writing to acknowledge the work of the county's cannabis industry, which was given an essential business determination by the Governor at the start of this pandemic. Our cannabis farmers have risen to the occasion, not only to bolster the local economy during this time, but additionally taking action to reach across industries in solidarity. As allies in our business community, we intend to continue finding new ways to collaborate and ensure our local independent businesses emerge from this crisis stronger than before.

The North County cannabis farms are working with beloved local eateries and restaurants to ensure they can weather this crisis together. Beloved local establishments such as Industrial Eats, Pattibakes, Floriano's, Herb Home, Los Arroyos, and California Tacos, are part of an effort to provide meals to our workforce through a food delivery service for all cannabis employees located at both farms and other facilities.

As our county looks ahead to potential budget cuts in the not so distant future, given the economic impact of the necessary COVID-19 response, the

importance of tax revenue provided by the cannabis industry becomes increasingly apparent. The tax revenues our county receives will be critical in the coming months to help off-set potential budget cuts to vital government services for communities of color, seniors and other vulnerable populations.

The cannabis farmers of Santa Barbara County are job creators, industry leaders, and valued community members. I urge the Board of Supervisors to recognize their actions to support us during these difficult times.