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My name is Val Lancaster. As per Dr. Paces video uploaded to YouTube from Wed May 13 which he stated that he will probably implement mandatory mask wearing as a condition to open up our county. That, quite honestly, sounds like coercion/blackmail to me. Just 2 months ago the CDC, Dr. Fauci, among others stated that masks were not effective at preventing Covid 19 when worn by healthy users. What has changed within the past 2 months to warrant the change? On May 1, over 200 people gathered for a rally to protest this unconstitutional lockdown. We were not practicing social distancing, freely giving hugs and shaking the hands of others. That will have been 18 days ago (13 days as of this email). If there are so many potential asymptomatic carriers out there just waiting to infect an elderly or an immune compromised person, where are the sick people flooding our hospitals from that rally? There are none. Moreover, there were dozens if not more than 100 Lake County residents who went to the May Day rally in Sacramento. Again, there have not been any positive cases stemming from that rally, either.

I cannot wear a mask. I will not wear a mask to go get my mail, my groceries or to shop at local businesses. It is not healthy to wear masks. It is not necessary to wear masks as per the Surgeon General, Professor Dolores J Cahill and others. Prof. Cahill is an immunologist and molecular biologist from Ireland. Look her up.

So, I think that wearing a mask should be a choice. From what I have seen, most people are already wearing them. To discriminate against those who cannot or will not wear a mask is setting the county supervisors for severe backlash. Remember, we are constituents who will remember this come election time.

Thank you.
Val Lancaster

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