BOCC MEETING PUBLIC COMMENTS

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These are questions and comments received through the County website and through the Strategic Communications email.

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Bruce Robinson

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Received By:

This comment was received through the communications email.

Subject:

Loss of commercial immunity

Comment:

"Dear Commissioners:

Reading through the most recent, written comments sent to you by concerned individuals I noticed a general theme of overdue obligations. Allegedly Dr. Minns had indicated the wearing of 'mask or other face covering' presumably upon when monitored statistics fell below a certain rate of incidence. Apparently that conditional event has occurred and Dr Minns has failed in promise to keep his word. I ceased following Minns' suggestions which called lawful and directives upon cognizing Garold Minn's has no more authorization to issue such claims as 'lawful' than do the subjected employees at Dillion's or Walmart (and others) who are forced to do so.

I'll concede such claims are not 'unlawful' as we presently hang on to our eroding First Amendment right to say whatever the hell we want and Garold Minns' takes full advantage of such right.

Honestly, I see no reason for anyone to be surprised since Minns is not in the habit of verifying claims made by himself or others and there is little one can do to enforce a claim or keep such promises or verify such claims without consequences.

Absent any consequences for failure is just the meaningless muttering of overly zealous, well-intended individual who mistake hearsay as science and propaganda as truth.

Let's not be on the unforgiving side; or last to acknowledge the manufactured narrative of pandemic history when the wheels come flying off this over exaggerated cart known as COVID-19.

Death statistics just won't stand for the imagined reality anymore. They represent the facts and those facts do not support further muzzling of men, women, and children.... Who sadly have lead to believe they do.

BMR, Wichita, KS"

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Rainey Dugan

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Received By:

This comment was received through the communications email.

Subject:

Please do not extend mandates and restrictions!

Comment:

"Dear All,

I am a registered voter in Sedgwick County who is reaching it out to you on behalf of my family and our community. Please do not extend the Covid mandates and more restrictions. Our children are suffocating in the masks. The masks cause more illnesses than they deter.

We are a large, active family which attends a lot of different activities with a lot of different groups. We do, however, know multiple who have suffered debilitating side effects after receiving the vaccination. Sometimes, the effects seemed they may turn fatal.

Please for the sake of our families, your families, their future, do not extend these mandates and restrictions. Our basic human rights are being stolen. Our human dignity is being erased with every new mandate and restriction. We no longer have the right or the freedom to make a choice about our own personal health or the health of our family members.

Please hear our pleas. It is not in the interest of the common good to force human beings to suffocate themselves and their children with masks. It is not in the interest of the common good to steal a person's basic human right to decide how to face an illness or how to protect their children and/ or dependent family members illness.

People are not dropping dead in the streets in the places that have fewer or no mask mandates and/or restrictions. This impacts your families' right as much as ours and it impacts the future of our basic human freedoms whether we will remain free in this country or not.

Now, it's being considered whether or not violations of these mandates and restrictions should be criminally prosecuted and monetarily penalized? What is going on? Do we live in a free nation or not? My kids do not think so. Two of the five of them can vote and they are extremely frustrated by all of our leaders. Where has the common – the people you say you're trying to protect. It seems like the "common good" has become really whatever someone in power needs to do to gain more power, more control at the expenses of common people.

You are all in my prayers. I offer these prayers to our Heavenly Father in the name of His Son, Jesus.

Thank you for your time, Rainey Duan"

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Karen Markwell

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This comment was received through the communications email.

Subject:

Mask

Comment:

"I would like to see mask mandate stay in place for now. I don't see how it hinders business and I think it's an easy preventative measure. I am going to restaurants now but will not stop if it's not mandated. Let's be safe not sorry.

Sent from my iPhone"

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Subject:

Get my vaccine

Question or Comment:

"I have Cronin kidney deases and need my vaccine. I also work in the aircraft field."

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Subject:

Opening Phase 3 now

Question or Comment:

"Every day I check the sign up for Covid vaccine times and there are always slots available. These are valuable times being wasted when the current phase 2 recipients are not filling every slot. Please, open up phase 3 now! Phase 2 has already had multiple opportunities and there are many people I know that are just barely under the age of 65 with risk factors! They have been very patient but still having to wait. We need as many vaccines in arms ASAP. Thank you! Angie."

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Received By:

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Subject:

Future of the mask mandate

Question or Comment:

"I know everyone on the county commission has had a tough job over the past year. I appreciate your leadership. I also believe it is time to shift the responsibility for wearing masks back to individuals and away from a county mandate. With the case count continuing to decline, individuals should be able to determine what level of risk they are comfortable with."

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Subject:

Mask Mandate

Question or Comment:

"Please end the mask mandate. It ridiculous and I see very few persons who wear the mask over their noses. Stop feeding the

fear. It's time to return FREEDOM to our citizens. This is not a deadly virus for the majority of people. Time to put on our thinking caps and use common sense."

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Subject:

Covid mandates

Question or Comment:

"Please do not extend the Covid mandates and restrictions. Our children are suffocating in the masks. More illnesses are caused

by the masks then deterred. We have been imprisoned long enough. Our family is very active and around a lot of different groups of people for a lot of activities. We do not know anyone that has died from flu-like virus. We do not know anyone that has died from this flu-like-virus. We do, however, know multiple people who have suffered negative side effects – some almost fatal side effects due to the vaccinations. We have placed our trust in you and you are continually stealing our human dignity and basic human rights. Stand up and free us from this lie. You and are negatively impacting the futures of your family members, too! In the name of Jesus, we pray."

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Subject:

Mask for COVID-19

Question or Comment:

"Men of the Commission: What you have done in passing the buck og school mandate is ludicrous. Instead of believing the

science, Dr. Fauci, Garold Minns, and others, you have decided to place your county citizens at risk by dropping a mask mandate for public schools. This my opinion a dereliction of your duties and you should be ashamed of yourselves. Masking is not a political statement it is a statement of caring for humanity above self. I think that mask mandates are for the good of all the people. Removing a mask mandate indicates a noncommittal desire to defeat this pandemic."

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Subject:

My fiancée in jail

Question or Comment:

"Im just trying to get information on my fiancée James Lenceski and I can't find anything out im just wanting to talk to him if theres any way some can give him my number 316 and have him call me so I know whats going on with him."

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Statements

Question or Comment:

"The tax statements mailed out in November allow for an option of pay half now and half at a later date. That later date is not given on the statement. Can you please add when the second tax payment is due on the initial statements that are sent out? The website also does not state when the second payment is due. It only shows that there is an amount due. For budget planning purposes an actual due date would be extremely helpful."

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Vaccine shots 15 to 64

Question or Comment:

"If there is an available appointment that has not been filled, is there a list for people to sign up and be notified if one becomes available? Thank you"

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Subject:

Rental

Question or Comment:

"Hello, would love information if any shelters are available for may 21st"