

SUPPORT: CONTINUATION OF EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS & LIMITED EXECUTIVE ORDERS

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I support continuation of emergency declarations and limited executive orders so that essential public health and other measures to assist or care for Connecticut residents during the pandemic be continued beyond February 15, 2022. Of particular concern is that voters be able to choose to vote absentee rather than risk contagion by going to a polling location. Many people who are unable to be vaccinated or care for those who cannot be vaccinated—like very young children—are thus spared having to choose between voting and their health.

Action on this is particularly important, as there are two special elections for legislative seats coming up in the next six weeks.

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