I am in favor of allowing the governor of CT unlimited authority during any health emergencies to impose any regulations in the interest of public safety. This would include, but not limited to school mask mandates, mandated vaccine requirements in schools, mandated vaccine requirements in business, closing of gyms, closing of movie theaters etc.

With the US leading the world in COVID death rates (see New York Times article on February 5) it is clear that weak government authorities have failed us. Save one life and you save the world is an old proverb. Unfortunately we have failed miserably.

Please follow CDC direction. This should never have become a partisan issue.

David Cooper Cos Cob, CT 06807.