

To The Public Health Committee,

As a resident, business owner, and mother in the State of Connecticut I am asking you to please vote NO to the Governor's request to extend his emergency powers. Specifically, Executive Order 13A (mask mandates) should not be extended and should be terminated.

There are more states than not who have lifted most, if not all of their COVID restrictions and mandates, and we have seen no significant difference in cases.

As a business owner, I am still suffering and operating at a loss due to these restrictions.

As a mother, I am sick and tired of my two year old daughter looking out at a sea of masks in the grocery store. She needs to see smiles and words spoken, not half of a face.

As a resident, I say enough is enough. It's been two years and it's time to get back to a government run for the people BY the people.

Please vote no on the extension of Governor Lamont's Emergency Powers.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
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