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To whom it may concern:

I am writing to you as a mother of two children in the Wethersfield schools, a citizen involved in my community including but not limited to school fund raising and lastly a Realtor in the state of Connecticut.. I urgently request you do NOT vote to extend the emergency powers of our Governor. The time has come to give parents, teachers and children the choice to mask up if they want to. COVID like the flu is here to stay but masks can not be. The overwhelming harm caused to students masking all day is not worth minimal if any protection they provide. Businesses need to be able to go back to business as usual and decide for themselves what they want. Emergency powers were important in the beginning and we all did what we could to flatten the curve, but the time has come to return the power to the people and let them decide. Mandates and Emergency powers need to end the system of checks and balances restored.

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