

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



ITEM: 3.3
(ID # 13612)

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, October 06, 2020

FROM : EXECUTIVE OFFICE:

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan [All Districts] [\$].

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Consider and provide direction on the Riverside County COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan.

ACTION:


George A. Johnson, County Executive Officer 10/1/2020

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Jeffries, seconded by Supervisor Washington duly carried, IT WAS ORDERED to approve the Riverside County COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan proposal as recommended by staff, with removal of the target dates for Phase II and Phase III, and direct staff to work with the State to seek further clarity with regard to the guidance on group gatherings (hotel and tourism industry issues) and wedding receptions.

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington and Perez
Nays: Hewitt
Absent: None
Date: October 06, 2020
xc: EO

Kecia R. Harper
Clerk of the Board

By 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
NET COUNTY COST	\$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A			Budget Adjustment:	No
			For Fiscal Year:	20/21

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: [CEO use]

BACKGROUND:

Summary

Riverside County has been at the forefront of combating COVID-19 since the onset of the pandemic. Over many months, our County Public Health Department, RUHS Medical Center and Community Health Clinics, and Emergency Management Department, 17 hospitals, skilled nursing facilities, and long-term care facilities have worked tirelessly to respond to the pandemic. Our residents, businesses, and communities have suffered devastating impacts, both direct and in-direct, due to COVID-19. The collective sacrifices and tremendous work done by all have led to a steady decline in COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations.

On July 24 the County launched a Community Action Plan to tackle COVID-19 in an aggressive and holistic way. This Community Action Plan was one of, if not the most, ambitious plans undertaken by any County in the State to stem the spread of COVID-19 through a series of interventions and education campaigns. We engaged in partnerships with our non-profit community and others to distribute over 12 million face coverings, created a social media challenge to help message safe practices, and a Health Ambassadors Program to complement our on-going Business Ambassador Program that assist our businesses to reopen safely. The Community Action Plan has played a significant role in providing resources to our residents and businesses to combat the pandemic, and provide public information on the importance of following safe practices including wearing face coverings, keeping physical distancing, and frequent hand washing and cleaning protocols.

At the September 22 Board meeting, the Board considered a proposed COVID-19 Reopening Plan presented by Supervisor Hewitt. On the same day, Riverside County moved into the Red Tier (Tier 2) within the State's reopening framework, which opened up certain business sectors, particularly for indoor operations. After discussion and deliberation, the Board approved draft language presented in the Reopening Plan and directed staff to return at the October 6 Board meeting and provide our staff input and recommendation, considering the sectors that have now reopened in the Red Tier.

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The Board also requested input from the Economic Recovery Task Force that is composed of business, labor, and non-profit representatives. The Board directed staff to provide information as to the potential funds that are at-risk, should the County not adhere to State public health orders.

The plan that staff is presenting herein seeks to capture which business sectors are currently open, and provide a framework with target dates for continuing into future phases of our reopening. It provides a framework for how future reopening will be considered, as determined by the County Executive Officer in consultation with Public Health and other County policy advisors, and also with due consideration given to the State's reopening framework and Tier structure. Staff recommend Riverside County COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan (Attachment A).

At the forefront of any reopening efforts there has to be a continued push to reduce the spread of COVID-19 and improve our health outcomes. As such, the County seeks to launch a Focused Community Action Plan (Attachment B), which is focused on reducing the impacts of COVID-19 on those communities and business sectors that are most at-risk and experiencing the highest case impacts.

The various governmental responses to COVID-19 have occurred at the Federal, State, County, and City levels. It is important to recognize that closures of business sectors during the various stages of the pandemic have been the result of orders issued by the Governor and California (State) Department of Public Health, not the County of Riverside. Reopening Considerations (Attachment C) seeks to provide the Board and public with a baseline of information to consider in reopening discussions.

As of the time of the submittal of this report the Economic Recovery Task Force is still in deliberations as to the feedback that it will be providing to the Board and expects to provide a comment letter prior to the Board meeting.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

Our residents and businesses have experienced devastating impacts as a result of COVID-19. These include direct effects from COVID-19, as well as indirect effects on other key public health determinants such as substance abuse, mental health, food and housing insecurity, and economic impacts. The County has also seen a direct loss in revenue that is needed to provide the services that our constituents depend on, as a result of the economic impacts of COVID-19.

This proposed plan seeks to provide a balanced approach to re-open our economy, putting an emphasis on the Focused Community Action Plan to take us even further in our Public Health efforts to fight the pandemic. It also provides target dates for re-opening further

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segments of our economy, with due consideration given to the State's Tiered Re-opening Structure and Guidance.

Additional Fiscal Information

This Reopening Plan takes into consideration the State's Tiered Reopening Structure when making re-opening decisions and requires that State Public Health Guidance is to be followed for sectors of the economy that are open. Failure to adhere to orders of the Governor and the California Department of Public Health could put the County at risk of losing State and Federal COVID-19 response related funding. The amount of funding that could be at risk is not precisely known, however, a potential likely scenario is that the County could lose at least \$88 million in remaining funds still outstanding that are due to the County, and risks an additional \$67 million already received. A portion of the funding already received is likely at risk leading to an at risk funding total of \$114 million (Attachment D). Also see Certification for Receipt of Realignment Backfill Funds (Attachment E).

Additionally, there would be a risk as to the County's eligibility for Cal OES disaster funding, that which is already received and potential future funding due to its own negligence for having a surge in COVID-19 cases due to failure to comply with State health orders. The Counties of Sutter and Yuba received letters from Cal OES so stating after those counties acted to move ahead of the State (Attachment F).

The County receives many other forms of funding through the State for various programs, through grants and direct revenue allocations, in addition to CARES and realignment funding. A further funding consideration is the County's ability to be able to access future State funds that may be available for further COVID-19 response and recovery efforts.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A: Riverside County COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan

Attachment B: Focused Community Action Plan

Attachment C: Reopening Considerations

Attachment D: Potential At-risk Funds

Attachment E: Certification for Receipt of Realignment Backfill Funds

Attachment F: Cal OES Letter to Sutter County



October 5, 2020

Honorable V. Manuel Perez
Chairman
Riverside County Board of Supervisors
4080 Lemon Street
Riverside, Ca. 92501

Dear Chairman Perez,

On behalf of the Riverside County Economic Recovery Task Force (ERTF), thank you and your colleagues for the leadership you have shown through this unprecedented COVID-19 crisis. Like you, we are anxious to get as many Riverside County businesses, both for-profit and not-for-profit, back to work as quickly as possible in a safe, responsible and economically viable fashion.

Our goal remains to develop economic recovery guidelines that fall in line with County and State re-opening guidance for safety and public health and to encourage all Riverside County residents to take on collective efforts that drastically minimizes the risk of COVID-19 spread and inhibits any surges of disease.

We were pleased to work with Riverside County this summer on the aggressive community action plan to slow the spread and safely begin to re-open segments of the local economy. While the State's new tiered re-opening framework changed our plans to move forward, we are pleased that the efforts of Riverside County residents has slowed the spread of COVID-19. As your aware, our County has now been allowed to move from the Purple Tier to the Red Tier, providing much needed flexibility to many economic sectors of the County. However, we have much work to do as we continue the development of economic recovery plans across our diverse economy.

The ERTF hears consistently from community, business, health care, non-profit and labor leaders that they need consistency and predictability in order to make sound decisions related to safe and economically viable recovery efforts across the County. Our goal as a County must be that we remain united in the fight against COVID-19 and prevent mixed messaging that creates confusion and uncertainty.

While our task force believes the current State framework leaves many of the County's critical economic sectors out of consideration and is particularly onerous to achieve in historically State underfunded counties like Riverside, we believe it is likely most advantageous to continue to work diligently to move to the Orange Tier under the state re-opening framework.

Riverside County is unique and our diverse community and economy are different from most of California and therefore the impacts of COVID-19 have been distinct and challenging. It is critical for Riverside County to engage the State in high-level strategic discussions to address the significant gaps in the framework that either cause confusion or are inconsistent with safe reopening practices for several critical County economic sectors. We also believe discussions should be had in earnest with the State to provide additional funding to assist our most vulnerable communities and accelerate our movement to the Orange Tier. This health equity funding would provide access to public health and continued improvement to the safety net for our frontline essential workers and low-income families and students in need and will be critical to moving along the reopening framework tiers.

The following should be addressed with the State in order to address our unique and challenging circumstances:

- Define a tiered reopening strategy for meetings/events. Meetings at hotels shall be based on capacity limits similar to those found in restaurant guidance.
 - We recommend the following tiered capacity guidelines which correspond to the tiers set forth in the current State blueprint:
 - Red – 25% capacity outdoor functions only with modifications indoor meetings capacity limited to 25% or 100 people, whichever is less
 - Orange – 50% capacity outdoor functions only with modifications indoor meetings capacity limited to 50% or 200 people, whichever is less
 - Yellow – 50% capacity outdoor functions only with modifications indoor meetings at 50% capacity
 - Purple outdoor functions only with modifications
- Follow the “Safe Reopening Plan Minimum Standards” to create a safer environment for workers and patrons.
- The County should leverage its Business Assistance Program to create more opportunities for all businesses to pivot, expand, and operate within the ambiguities of the State's re-opening plan. Fundamental guidance of distancing, hygiene, and sanitation that are defined in the current State framework are applicable to many activities not currently covered in the State guidance.
- Seek flexibility in metrics regarding movement up and down the tiers. 4 weeks of data instead of 2 weeks should guide future potential movement back into a lower tier.
 - Business sectors should be evaluated individually regarding restrictions or movement back in a tier, versus penalizing all businesses for something that might be related to a specific industry.

While we have much work to do and a long road to recovery, we are confident that by working across all business sectors, nonprofits and labor Riverside County will emerge stronger and more vibrant than ever before.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Lou Monville', written over a horizontal line.

Lou Monville

Chairman

Riverside County Economic Recovery Task Force

cc:

Riverside County Supervisors Vice Chair Karen Spiegel

Riverside County Supervisor Jeff Hewitt

Riverside County Supervisor Kevin Jeffries

Riverside County Supervisor Chuck Washington

Riverside County Executive Officer George Johnson



Estrada, Oksana

From: Harper, Kecia
Sent: Wednesday, October 7, 2020 6:49 AM
To: Clerk of the Board
Subject: 3.3

Good morning,

Below are counsel's draft notes.

My notes:

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Sincerely,
Kecia

Sent from my iPhone

Estrada, Oksana

From: Harper, Kecia
Sent: Wednesday, October 7, 2020 8:41 AM
To: Estrada, Oksana
Cc: Rasso, Priscilla; Rector, Kimberly
Subject: Re: 3.3

Welcome. I'll work on that minute order.

Sincerely,
Kecia

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 7, 2020, at 8:30 AM, Estrada, Oksana <OCEstrada@rivco.org> wrote:

Thank you.

Oksana

From: Harper, Kecia <KHarper@rivco.org>
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Sincerely,
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11:24

Riverside County Board of Supervisors Request to Speak

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Loren Dean

Address: 6804 Alderpoint Ct.

City: Riverside Zip: 92506

Phone #: 580-307-3150

Date: 6 October 2020 Agenda # 3.3

PLEASE STATE YOUR POSITION BELOW:

Position on "Regular" (non-appealed) Agenda Item:

~~Support~~ Oppose Neutral

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Gracie Torres

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: 951-970-8692

Date: 10/6/2020 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Eloy Alvarez

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: 951-468-8919

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Roy BLAZIKRE

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Dawn Brosius

Address: 31397 Sunset Ave ^{Nuevo}

City: Nuevo CA Zip: 92567

Phone #: 951-294-8420

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Sara Agnifili

Address: 29162 Obsidian Ct

City: Nuevo Zip: 92567

Phone #: 951-453-0362

Date: 10-7-20 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: GRACE RUGA

Address: 16725 PFEIFER WAY

City: PERRIS (LK MATT) Zip: 92570

Phone #: 951-858-1528

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SPEAKER'S NAME: MAYOR OF SAN JACINTO
ANDREW KOTYUK

Address: 1866 CASERUSA

City: SAN JACINTO Zip: 92582

Phone #: 951-492-9906

Date: 10.6.20 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Karla Adams.

Address: P.O. Box 20005 Riverside

City: Riverside Zip: 92516

Phone #: 424.333.8100

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Michelle Garibay

Address: 31019 Olive Knoll Ct.

City: Marrieta Zip: 92563

Phone #: 808-228-3591

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Annette Hoegner

Address: 1400 Pinewood Dr.

City: Corona Zip: 92881

Phone #: 714-679-1742

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SPEAKER'S NAME: ALI MAZAREI

Address: 18058 GREEN ORCHARD PL

City: RIVERSIDE Zip: 92508

Phone #: 714-715-1685

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Martha Granada

Address: 3868 Moody St

City: Corona CA Zip: 92879

Phone #: _____

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I give my 3 minutes to: Ali Mazereli

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Mercedes DeLeon

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Andrea Taylor

Address: PO Box 55330

City: Riverside **Zip:** 92517

Phone #: 951 222 9053

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Date: 10/10/20 **Agenda #** Public comment

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Sarah Stephens

Address: 28312 Halcyon Ct.

City: Menifee Zip: 92584

Phone #: 626.813.6631

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Justin Pearson

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: RICK DAVIS

Address: 3975 RICE RD.

City: RIVERSIDE Zip: 92506

Phone #: 916-245-6750

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Sonya Atendar

Address: _____

City: Woodcrest Zip: _____

Phone #: 951 892 8897

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Lon Monville

Address: 3750 Univ Ave #570

City: Riverside Zip: 92501

Phone #: 951-850-5900

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Scott White

Address: _____

City: Rancho Mirage Zip: 92270

Phone #: 760-405-6905

Date: 12/6 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: PASTOR
TIM THOMPSON

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: CHARESE MONGIELLO

Address: 23905 CLIKITON KIETH RD

City: WILDOMAR Zip: 92595

Phone #: 951-833-8498

Date: 10-06-2020 Agenda # 3-3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Ree Tom

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Date: 10-6-20 Agenda # 3.3

PLEASE STATE YOUR POSITION BELOW:

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Riverside County Board of Supervisors Request to Speak

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Nancy S.

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Date: 10/6/20 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Sonia Perez

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Date: _____ Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Pony Wilson

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Date: _____ Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Belinda Douglas

Address: 13157 March Way

City: Corona Zip: 92879

Phone #: 909-706-2644

Date: 10-6-20 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Isaiah Esom

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: Mike Noriega

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

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SPEAKER'S NAME: BRYAN GRANADOS

Address: 3868 MOODY ST.

City: CORONA Zip: 92879

Phone #: 951-482-6639

Date: 10-6-20 Agenda # 3.3

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SPEAKER'S NAME: banna S

Address: 36008 Hidden Springs Rd

City: Wildomar Zip: 92595

Phone #: 951 9033915

Date: 10/6/2020 Agenda # 3.3

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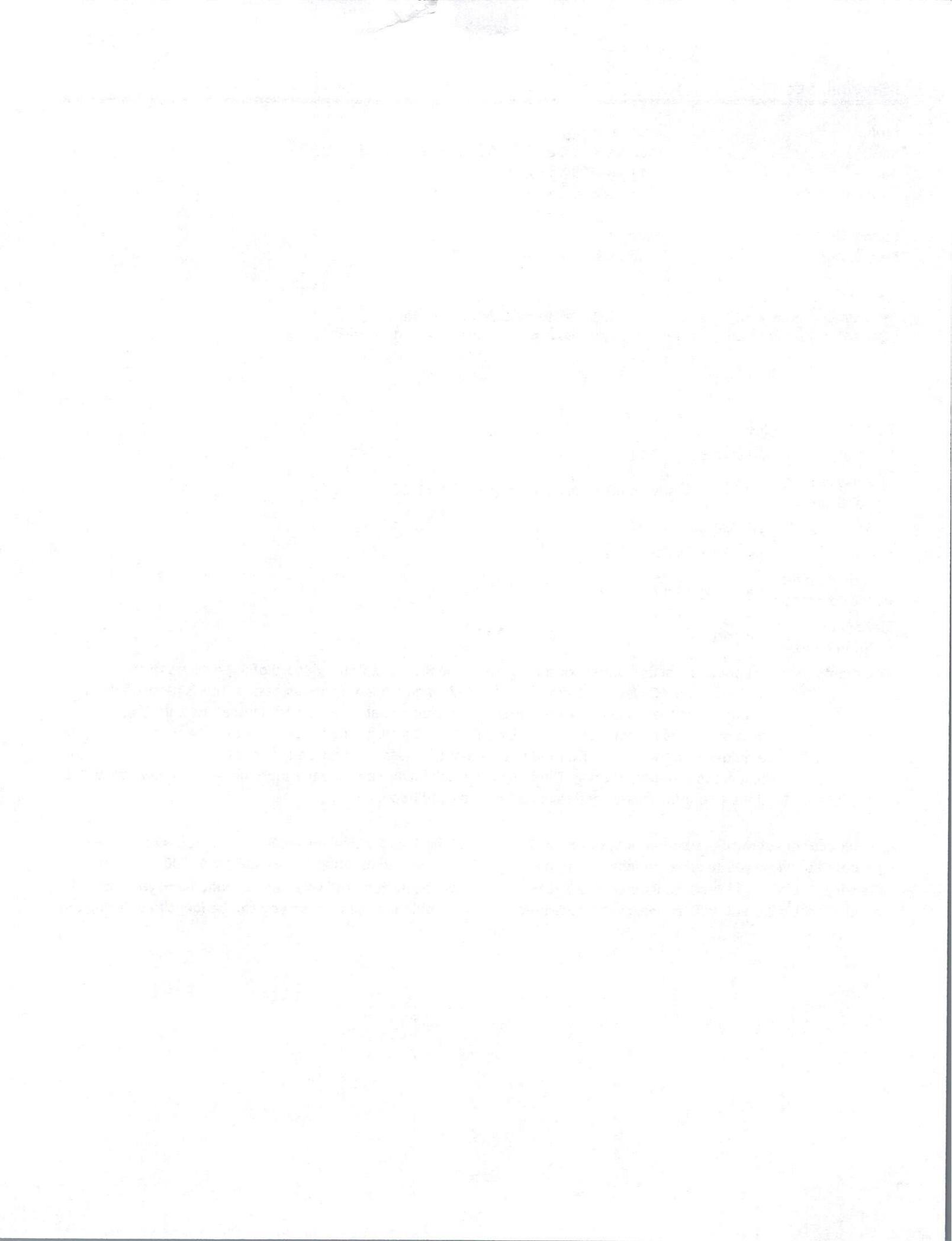
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Last Name: WALLACE
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Phone: 812 431-3877
Email: jjw0729@aol.com

Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Public Comment

State your position below: Support

Comments: I support the action under consideration by the Riverside County Board of Supervisors to seek authority from Governor Newsom to allow expanding opening of businesses. This is particularly important in the Coachella Valley where our hospitality and tourism businesses are suffering disproportionately from the extended lockdowns. That suffering is transferred to the more than 25,000 employees in the region. There are items that the state has provided limited or no guidance on with respect to groups gathering. The longer the lockdowns continue the more permanent damage will be done to our businesses and thus our unemployed population.

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From: Joan Taylor <palmcanyon@mac.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 12:14 PM
To: COB
Subject: Let me speak re item 3.3 please

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I've called in and waited two hours. Joan Taylor from 760-408-2488

Sent from my iPhone



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From: cob@rivco.org
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To: COB; jane.garrison66@gmail.com
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First Name: jane
Last Name: garrison
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Phone: 8433438887
Email: jane.garrison66@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/30/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: I do not want to see our county go backwards by opening everything up too soon. Please follow the state.

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Last Name: Bright
Address (Street, City and Zip): Temecula 92591
Phone: 9495002847
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3
State your position below: Support

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 6:08 AM
To: COB; greenwood.karin@gmail.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Karin
Last Name: Greenwood
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Phone: 9519738651
Email: greenwood.karin@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: To speak about whether to open up Riverside County in violation of the governor's health plan
State your position below: Oppose

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From: cob@rivco.org
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To: COB; Bebograham@aol.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: John
Last Name: Graham
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City and Zip): 28309 Vista del Valle
Phone: 951 316 9191
Email: Bebograham@aol.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or
Public Comment: 13612

State your
position below: Oppose

Comments: Public Schools in Riverside County need to stay closed until there is a vaccination that is available to everyone. We do not need students getting sick and taking it home and spreading it to parents and grandparents. The only healthy way to open our economy including our schools is to defeat Covid once and for All & Forever!

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First Name: Susan
Last Name: St Louis
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Phone: 760-831-1366
Email: suesaint24@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item # or Public: public comment
Comment:

State your position below: Oppose

Comments: I oppose the plan to open up Riverside County against state guidelines. The coronavirus doesn't recognize city or county lines, so it makes no sense to enact regulations on a county per county basis. We had one of the highest rates of infection in the state, and have only recently managed to get the infection and death rates to start coming down to a less lethal level. We should NOT risk bumping that level back up by "doing our own thing" and following a different protocol than the state.

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Sunday, October 4, 2020 7:40 PM
To: COB; ashade13@yahoo.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Ami
Last Name: Shade
Address (Street, City and Zip): 1280 Belle Rd
Phone: 9515058715
Email: ashade13@yahoo.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public: Opening Riverside against Gov. Newsom's recommendations
Comment:
State your position below: Oppose

Comments: I am an RN. You're opening Riverside County against Gov. Newsom's guidelines puts me at risk. Nursing staff and MD's work very hard for the community at baseline. Your irresponsibility makes our jobs even harder. We take care of people who at baseline do not heed public health warnings. You are providing a false sense of security to the public that does NOT exist! Can we not learn for the errors of the President? This virus is real, it can be deadly. We already have so many deaths of those that were PREVENTABLE! Please do not open Riverside before it is safe.

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Sunday, October 4, 2020 4:51 PM
To: COB; kimffloyd@fastmail.com
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Last Name: Floyd
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Phone: 7606809479
Email: kimffloyd@fastmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3

State your position below: Oppose

Comments: Now is not the time to deviate from the CA state COVID 19 guidelines. We have seen across the country where this type of knee jerk action has allowed a resurgence of the coronavirus. First we control the virus and then we can fully open our economy and our schools. Early opening is a fools choice.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: michele ladig <rmladig@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 8:07 AM
To: COB
Subject: Reopening

Please pass on that a group of us in Temecula question why the committee would recklessly consider defying the governor's directives regarding business closures. Human lives are at stake, and doing so will jepodize the stride's that have been made. We can get a petition started if that is necessary? Please be sure each member is allowed to read this email.

Thank you



Maxwell, Sue

From: Pam Nelson <pamela05n@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sunday, October 4, 2020 4:45 PM
To: COB
Subject: Item 3.3 --Covid guidelines

Honorable Supervisors,

Please oppose the proposal to open Riverside County in contradiction to the State Covid 19 guidelines.

I shop and spend time in SW Riverside County and do not want to be exposed to a surge in Covid 19 cases and then a lockdown due to irresponsible acts of Riverside County officials.

There are many residents in North County San Diego that spend their money in Temecula Valley. We would have to find safer areas to shop.

This is reckless during these times where caution and safety should be your primary efforts.

Thank you,
Pam Nelson
Warner Springs, CA

(Recall that Newsom has actually argued the Emergency Services Act “centralizes” all of the “the State’s powers in the *hands* of the Governor.”)

The other similarities are striking:

- Our Brief: no statute can “give the Executive Branch a *roving* authority to create any and all new laws in any California code.”
- Michigan Decision: no statute can “confer upon the governor a *roving* commission to repeal or amend unspecified provisions anywhere in the entire body of state law.”

Another example:

- Our Brief: “a statute that gives the Governor ‘discretion as to what the law shall be’ amounts to an *unlawful delegation*.”
- Michigan Decision: the statute “is an *unlawful delegation* of legislative power to the executive branch in violation of the Constitution.”

Most importantly, the Separation-of-Powers provision of Michigan’s Constitution is almost identical, word for word, to the one in California’s Constitution.

In our case, Newsom now faces a “heads you win, tails I lose scenario.” If the Court agrees with our statutory arguments, Newsom will be found to have violated the Constitution. But even if the Court buys his arguments, by the reasoning of the Michigan case the statute itself will be found unconstitutional.

For Newsom, the writing is on the wall.

[Send a powerful message to Newsom and help me end his abuses of power](#)

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Kevin Kiley,
California Legislator

Paid for by Kevin Kiley for Assembly, FPPC ID #1414222

From: Judy Frost <frostj1920@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 3, 2020 2:46 PM
To: COB <COB@RIVCO.ORG>
Subject: Supervisor's Meeting Comments

I agree with opening Riverside County ASAP.. As we have all heard the lockdown is doing more harm than good. The human race was created for relationships with each other.

PLEASE allow people to wear a mask **if they want to**. It has **not** been proven that masks work effectively to curtail or stop the virus. In fact, on the box of hospital masks it specifically states they do **not** protect against COVID. We have not been able to see a person smile nor have they seen us smile in a long time. We were once kind to each other, greeting one another with a hello and a smile.. Now we are afraid of each other - walking away from someone not wearing a mask or shaming them into wearing a mask. Stores, planes telling people they can't come in or fly without a mask over the nose **and** mouth..

No one takes into consideration the fact that the California Department of Health has several exemptions for people who cannot wear a mask: people with certain medical conditions, mental health conditions, disabilities, hard of hearing people and those talking to a hard of hearing person to name a few. Many of the mask "guidelines" do not make sense and are very unkind. Who ever heard of people wearing a mask working out at the gym? Expecting people to breathe in our own CO2 is absurd.

Governor Newsom has overstepped his bounds and for way too long. It's time to say that we are done with this lockdown. As the Governor of S. Dakota has said "people are adults and they can make good decisions regarding distancing, wearing masks, etc." She never shut down her state.

Below is a blog that I received from Kevin Kiley, California Legislator, regarding the Michigan Supreme Court decision and the Lawsuit filed for the same reason against Governor Newsom.I hope it helps in your making the right decision for the people of Riverside County.

Thank you,

Judy Frost

Hi Judy,

I've just published a new blog post:

[Hope from Michigan](#)

The Michigan Supreme Court has just struck down their Emergency Powers of the Governor Act as unconstitutional, adopting the very arguments we are making in our case against Gov. Newsom.

This decision is a major boost to our case and has raised the stakes for next Wednesday considerably.

The Michigan ruling *terminates* all of the Governor's emergency orders. It is undoubtedly the most important decision yet. And it comes just two days after we told the California Court that "the time for a judicial check has arrived, as has already occurred in numerous other states."

Reading the Court's opinion was a surreal experience since it so closely resembles our own briefing to the California Court. In fact, the Michigan Supreme Court uses the exact quote from the Federalist Papers with which we began our dispositive brief:

"The accumulation of all powers, legislative, executive, and judiciary, in the same *hands* may justly be pronounced the very definition of tyranny."

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Saturday, October 3, 2020 12:56 PM
To: COB; tom.tabler@marriott.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Tom
Last Name: Tabler
Address (Street, City and Zip): 45868 San Luis Rey, Palm Desert, CA 92260
Phone: 210-889-7019
Email: tom.tabler@marriott.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3 - 13612 EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan
State your position below: Support
Comments: Good afternoon, My name is Tom Tabler, I am the General Manager of the JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort and Spa and the Chairmen of the Greater Palm Springs Convention and Visitors Bureau. I would like to speak on the importance of clearly defining our guidelines on hosting controlled, socially distanced, safe conferences and meetings at the hotels and resorts in Riverside County. Thank you!

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Cc: Perez, Juan; Cameron Kaiser (CKaiser@ruhealth.org); Kimberly Saruwatari; Debbie Parliman (DParliman@ruhealth.org)
Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 Public Comments on COVID Re-Opening (Tom Tabler_Judy Frost_Pam Nelson_Kim Floyd_Debby Anspach_Amy Shade_John Graham_Karin Greenwood_Susan St Louis_Michele Ladig)
Attachments: Board comments web submission; Supervisor's Meeting Comments; Item 3.3 --Covid guidelines; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Reopening

Greetings,

Forwarding 10 attachments received via COB website and email as Public Comments related to October 6, 2020 Agenda Item No 3.3 (MinuteTraQ No 13612) on COVID Re-Opening Plan.

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With best regards,

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Cc: Perez, Juan; Cameron Kaiser (CKaiser@ruhealth.org); Kimberly Saruwatari; Debbie Parliman (DParliman@ruhealth.org)
Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 Public Comments on COVID Re-Opening (Christine Kelso_Anonymous_Wyly Kight-Moore_Michael Castelli_Brad Call_George Paul_Ann McGibbon _Michelle Garibay)
Attachments: Board comments web submission; BOS web comments; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; BOS web comments; No Vote Requested--Defying State Covid Guidelines; Board comments web submission

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(Please NOTE the last attachment has a link within her comment.)

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First Name: Michelle
Last Name: Garibay
Address (Street, City and Zip): 31019 Olive Knoll Ct.
Phone: 808-228-3591
Email: Michelle@michellegaribayevents.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 13612

State your position below: Support

Comments: The wedding and private events industry has been completely forgotten in the COVID re-opening guidelines. We were the first to close and will be the last to re-open. The 3rd district has the biggest concentration of event professionals in the county in Temecula. We represent a huge part of the Temecula tourism economy that has been decimated by COVID-19. One wedding venue alone - just ONE - has lost \$3.7 million dollars in revenue. Event professionals mitigate risk for a living. We are problem solvers and extremely resourceful. Most of our venues are already outdoor. We already have a comprehensive plan to reopen private events that is ready to implement using restaurant guidelines already in place. From sanitation and food safety protocols to guest lists for contract tracing and social distancing we can oversee the safe operation of these weddings and private events. Bootleg events have already been happening without us so I ask that you allow private weddings to resume as part of your reopening plan so we can get back to work and safely for everyone involved. I urge you to reopen our county and include weddings as part of the re-opening plan.

Attachments
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EVENT INDUSTRY COVID-19 REOPENING GUIDELINES For Privately Hosted Social Events

- COVID-19 spreading.
- The higher the level of community transmission in the area that the gathering is being held, the higher the risk of COVID-19 spreading during a gathering.
 - Immunocompromised individuals and those with underlying health conditions should exercise extra caution in determining whether to attend a privately hosted social event.
 - Any guests or event staff who show any symptoms related to COVID-19 or have a fever over 100.4 degrees should not attend privately hosted social events.
 - Anyone who is known to have been in contact with anyone diagnosed with COVID-19 within the past 14 days should not attend the privately hosted social event.
 - If a guest shows symptoms of COVID-19 during an event they should leave the event immediately.
 - Encourage attendees ahead of the event to bring and use cloth face coverings at the event. Cloth face coverings are meant to protect other people in case the wearer is unknowingly infected but does not have symptoms. Cloth face coverings are not surgical masks or respirators.

Health Screening

- It is recommended that event hosts implement screening procedures for all event guests before they enter the facility per the below:
 - The venue should assign a 'Wellness Coordinator' to monitor safety, hygiene and sanitation procedures throughout the event. This person will check in all event attendees and conduct the Attendee Health Screening:
 - Conduct visual wellness checks of all guests upon arrival
 - Take guests' temperatures at the beginning of the event with a no touch thermometer.
 - Ask all individuals about COVID-19 symptoms within the last 24 hours and whether anyone in their home has had COVID-19 symptoms or a positive test.
 - All event attendees will be required to sign a waiver prior to entering the event.
- The venue and/or event host has the right to ask symptomatic guests to leave the event.
- The venue will send a pre and post survey to event attendees, employees and vendors to ensure that there are no known potential infections arising from the gathering.

Contact Tracing

- A list of contact details for all attendees, vendors and employees must be maintained by the event host for at least 90 days following a privately hosted social event.
- If an attendee tests positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of attending a privately hosted social event it is the responsibility of the event host and venue to provide a list of the attendees to County Public Health for tracing and notify the guests that they were potentially exposed to COVID-19 and encourage them to self-isolate and get tested for the virus.

Social Distancing

- All social interactions must follow physical and social distancing requirements issued by the state of California and local Health Officer when reasonably possible by guests and staff.
- In areas where lines may form, such as at bars, presented food service stations,

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restrooms and photobooths, attendees must maintain a distance of 6 ft from individuals outside of their immediate household. Vendors are responsible for managing lines respective to their specific areas (e.g. photo booth company staff will manage the photo booth line, catering staff will manage the food line, bar staff will manage the bar line, etc.)

Facial Coverings

- Guests should wear facial coverings when not eating or drinking and within 6 ft of non-household members.
- Babies and children under age two should not wear face coverings, in accordance with CDC guidelines.

Guest Seating (Ceremony)

- Seated ceremonies must limit indoor attendance to a maximum of 100 attendees per the California Department of Public Health COVID-19 Industry Guidance: Places of Worship and Providers of Religious Services and Cultural Ceremonies.
- At a minimum, outdoor attendance should be limited naturally through implementation of strict physical distancing measures of a minimum of six feet between attendees from different households or social pods designated in advance, in addition to other relevant protocols within the CDPH guidelines referenced above.

Guest Seating (Receptions)

- Seating assignments are mandatory and must be followed by attendees.
- Venue must adjust the maximum occupancy rules inside the venue based on its size to limit the number of people inside and/or use impermeable barriers between service tables to protect guests from each other and employees. For outdoor seating, maintain physical distancing standards per the California Department of Public Health COVID-19 Industry Guidance: Dine-In Restaurants.
- Limit the number of guests at a single table to a household unit or guests who have asked to be seated together, or otherwise designated in advance as a 'social pod'. People seated at the same table do not have to be six feet apart.
- Venues are encouraged to utilize outdoor seating for dining wherever possible.

Venue and Vendor Guidelines

ALL VENDORS

Safe Reopening Plan

- All vendors must comply with the Riverside County Recovery Plan.
- If the vendor does not have a brick and mortar location, plan must be accessible via email or on location at event.

Employee and Vendor Safety and Training

Employee Daily Health Screening

- Each vendor must conduct daily health screenings of each team member reporting to work. This process will check for symptoms of COVID-19 and include a temperature check.

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- Any team member presenting symptoms or having a fever greater than 100.4 degrees, will not be permitted to work. The team member will be instructed to contact their doctor or a COVID-19 testing center for further evaluation.
- The team member will need to provide the results of this follow-up evaluation and that he/she is not COVID-19 positive before returning to work.

Hand Hygiene and Respiratory Etiquette

- Frequent hand washing with soap is vital to help combat the spread of any virus. Workers who handle food and beverage should wash their hands for twenty seconds at least every 60 minutes, and dry thoroughly with a disposable towel or dryer.
- If soap and water are not readily available, employees who do not handle food and beverage can use hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol and rub their hands until dry.
- Encourage staff to cover the mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing and sneezing. Used tissues should be thrown in the trash and hands washed immediately with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Encourage attendees to wash hands often and cover coughs and sneezes.

Cloth Facial Coverings

- Cloth face coverings are strongly encouraged for all employees; however, they are required for any employee (e.g., server, bartender, manager, busser, food runner, etc.) who must be within six feet of customers or other workers. All workers should minimize the amount of time spent within six feet of guests. Cloth face coverings are most essential in times when physical distancing is difficult (e.g., when moving within a crowd).
- Provide all staff with information on proper use, removal, and washing of cloth face coverings.
- Advise staff that cloth face coverings should not be placed on:
 - Babies or children younger than 2 years old
 - Anyone who has trouble breathing
 - Anyone who is unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove the cloth face covering without assistance
- Cloth face coverings are strongly encouraged in settings where individuals might raise their voice (e.g., singing, cheering).

Protective Supplies

- Gloves are required for anyone preparing or serving food or beverages to attendees
- It is the responsibility of each company to provide adequate personal cleansers for employees including but not limited to hand soap, sanitizers and disinfectant.
- Employee safety and communication protocol may include but is not limited to:
 - Adopt cleaning/ sanitization/ disinfecting checklist:
 - Enhance disinfecting procedures
 - Protective measures, per CDC and thoroughly washing hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
 - Establish employee health monitoring report

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Employee Training

- Information on COVID-19, how to prevent it from spreading, and which underlying health conditions may make individuals more susceptible to contracting the virus
- Self-screening at home, including temperature and/or symptom checks using CDC guidelines.
- The importance of not coming to work if employees have a frequent cough, fever, difficulty breathing, chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, recent loss of taste or smell, or if they or someone they live with have been diagnosed with COVID-19.
- To seek medical attention if their symptoms become severe, including persistent pain or pressure in the chest, confusion, or bluish lips or face. Updates and further details are available on CDC's webpage.
- The importance of frequent handwashing with soap and water, including scrubbing with soap for 20 seconds (or using hand sanitizer with at least 60% ethanol or 70% isopropanol when employees cannot get to a sink or handwashing station, per CDC guidelines).
- The importance of physical distancing, both at work and off work time (see Physical Distancing section below).
- Proper use of face coverings, including:
 - Face coverings do not protect the wearer and are not personal protective equipment (PPE).
 - Face coverings can help protect people near the wearer, but do not replace the need for physical distancing and frequent handwashing.
 - Employees should wash or sanitize hands before and after using or adjusting face coverings.
 - Avoid touching the eyes, nose, and mouth.
 - Face coverings should be washed after each shift.
- Information on employer or government-sponsored leave benefits the employee may be entitled to receive that would make it financially easier to stay at home. See additional information on government programs supporting sick leave and worker's compensation for COVID-19, including employee's sick leave rights under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act and the Governor's Executive Order N-51-20, and employee's rights to workers' compensation benefits and presumption of the work relatedness of COVID-19 pursuant to the Governor's Executive order N-62- 20.
- All employees who prepare, handle or serve food and beverage for social events must be trained on the LA County Restaurant Re-Opening Guidelines.
- It is suggested that employers create their own COVID-19 training guidelines pursuant and/or more robust than the county health guidelines and resources and communicate them on a regular basis with all employees.

Employee Safety and Education

- Companies should have weekly safety briefings with all their staff regarding current CDC requirements. Strict adherence to all mandated requirements is essential to maintain a safe work environment.
- All employees that will working the event in any capacity should be symptom free.

Responding to Confirmed or Suspected Cases Of COVID-19 (as recommended by CDC Guidelines):

- It will be critical to have in place appropriate processes to identify new cases of illness

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in workplaces and, when they are identified, to intervene quickly and work with public health authorities to halt the spread of the virus.

- If suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 is detected.
 - In most cases, you do not need to shut down your facility. If it has been less than 7 days since the sick employee has been in the facility, close off any areas used for prolonged periods of time by the sick person:
 - Wait 24 hours before cleaning and disinfecting to minimize potential for other employees being exposed to respiratory droplets. If waiting 24 hours is not feasible, wait as long as possible.
 - During this waiting period, open outside doors and windows to increase air circulation in these areas.
 - If it has been 7 days or more since the sick employee used the facility, additional cleaning and disinfection is not necessary. Continue routinely cleaning and disinfecting all high-touch surfaces in the facility.
- Cleaning and Disinfecting
 - Follow the CDC cleaning and disinfection recommendations:
 - Clean dirty surfaces with soap and water before disinfecting them.
 - To disinfect surfaces, use products that meet EPA criteria for use against SARS-Cov-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, and are appropriate for the surface.
 - Always wear gloves and gowns appropriate for the chemicals being used when you are cleaning and disinfecting.
 - You may need to wear additional PPE depending on the setting and disinfectant product you are using. For each product you use, consult and follow the manufacturer's instructions for use.
- Determine which employees may have been exposed to the virus and may need to take additional precautions:
 - Inform employees of their possible exposure to COVID-19 in the workplace but maintain confidentiality as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
 - Most workplaces should follow the Public Health Recommendations for Community-Related Exposure and instruct potentially exposed employees to stay home for 14 days, telework if possible, and self-monitor for symptoms.
 - Critical infrastructure workplaces should follow the guidance on Implementing Safety Practices for Critical Infrastructure Workers Who May Have Had Exposure to a Person with Suspected or Confirmed COVID-19. Employers in critical infrastructure also have an obligation to manage potentially exposed workers' return to work in ways that best protect the health of those workers, their co-workers, and the general public.

Production Equipment and Supplies

- It is the responsibility of each service provider to ensure all materials are deep-cleaned and sanitized pre- and post- event and sanitize these materials as necessary throughout the event.
- Each vendor should bring all supplies necessary to complete their job. For instance, florists should bring pitchers, rental companies should bring transport dollies, etc. to limit the need to borrow supplies from the venue and risk surface contamination. If it is necessary to use venue's supplies it is at the discretion of the venue and all borrowed supplies should be sanitized by the vendor who is borrowing the supplies before and after each use.
- Production equipment should be disinfected when loaded at the originating facility and unloaded at the venue. In addition to face coverings, workers should wear gloves

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when handling equipment and materials to prevent surface contamination.

Contact Information for On-Site Staff

- Maintain a list of all event staff that are on-site for at least 90 days post-event for tracing purposes.

Set-Up and Break-Down Timing

- Each vendor should work with venue and/or event planner to stagger arrival time and clean-up/pickup times
- Each vendor must have designated load in and load out times

Elevator Usage

- All large freight elevators will have a maximum of three staff from the same company
- All medium and small elevators will have a maximum of two staff member at all times

VENUES per CDC Considerations for Events and Gatherings

Modified Layouts

- Limit attendance capacity to allow for social distancing, or host smaller events in larger rooms.
- Use multiple entrances and exits and discourage crowded waiting areas.
- Eliminate lines or queues if possible or encourage people to stay at least 6 feet apart by providing signs or other visual cues such as tape or chalk marks.
- Prioritize outdoor activities where social distancing can be maintained as much as possible.

Physical Barriers and Guides

- Provide physical guides, such as tape on floors or sidewalks and signs on walls, to ensure that individuals remain at least 6 feet apart in lines and at other times (e.g., guides for creating one-way routes).
- Install physical barriers, such as sneeze guards and partitions, in areas where it is difficult for individuals to remain at least 6 feet apart. Barriers can be useful in areas where maintaining physical distance of 6 feet is difficult.
- Change seating layout or availability of seating so that people can remain least 6 feet apart.

Adequate Supplies

- Ensure adequate supplies to support healthy hygiene behaviors. Supplies include soap, water, hand sanitizer containing at least 60 percent alcohol, paper towels, tissues, disinfectant wipes, cloth face coverings (as feasible), and no-touch trash cans.
- Hand sanitizing stations are strongly recommended in a highly visible and accessible locations throughout the event space and at entrance and exit points.

Cleaning of Common Touch Points

- Frequent cleaning of high-touch items including door handles, bar surfaces, restrooms,

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microphones, and other hard surfaces will be a top priority.

Signs and Messages

- Post signs in highly visible locations (e.g., at entrances, in restrooms) that promote everyday protective measures and describe how to stop the spread of germs by properly washing hands and properly wearing a cloth face covering.
- Consider developing signs and messages in alternative formats (e.g., large print, braille, American Sign Language) for people who have limited vision or are blind or people who are deaf or hard of hearing.
- Find freely available CDC print and digital resources about COVID-19 on CDC's communications resources main page.

Cleaning and Disinfection

- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces within the venue at least daily or between uses as much as possible—for example, door handles, sink handles, hand railings, etc.
- Clean and disinfect shared objects between uses—for example countertops, bars, etc.
- Consider closing areas that cannot be adequately cleaned and disinfected during an event.
- Develop a schedule for increased, routine cleaning and disinfection.
- Plan for and enact these cleaning routines when renting event space and ensure that other groups who may use your facilities follow these routines.
- Ensure safe and correct use and storage of cleaners and disinfectants to avoid harm to employees and other individuals. Always read and follow label instructions for each product, and store products securely away from children.
- Use EPA-approved disinfectants against COVID-19.
- Cleaning products should not be used near children. Staff should ensure that there is adequate ventilation when using these products to prevent attendees or themselves from inhaling toxic vapors.
- Use disposable gloves when removing garbage bags or handling and disposing of trash.
 - After using disposable gloves, throw them out in a lined trash can.
 - Do not disinfect or reuse the gloves.
 - Wash hands after removing gloves.

Restrooms

- Consider limiting the number of people who occupy the restroom at one time to allow for social distancing.
- Do not allow lines or crowds to form near the restroom without maintaining a distance of at least 6 feet from other people. It may be helpful to post signs or markers to help attendees maintain the appropriate social distance of at least 6 feet.
- Ensure that open restrooms are:
 - Operational with functional toilets.
 - Cleaned and disinfected regularly, particularly high-touch surfaces such as faucets, toilets, stall doors, doorknobs, countertops, diaper changing tables, and light switches.
 - Clean and disinfect restrooms daily or more often, if possible, with EPA-approved disinfectants against COVID-19.
 - Ensure safe and correct application of disinfectants and keep products

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away from children.

- Adequately stocked with supplies for handwashing, including soap and water or hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol (for staff and older children who can safely use hand sanitizer), paper towels, tissues, and no-touch trash cans.
 - If you are providing portable toilets, also provide portable handwashing stations and ensure that they remain stocked throughout the duration of the event. If possible, provide hand sanitizer stations that are touch-free.

Ventilation

- Ensure ventilation systems operate properly and increase circulation of outdoor air as much as possible, for example, by opening windows and doors. Do not open windows and doors if doing so poses a safety or health risk to staff or attendees (e.g., risk of falling or triggering asthma symptoms).
- If portable ventilation equipment like fans are used, take steps to minimize air from them blowing from one person directly at another person to reduce the potential spread of any airborne or aerosolized viruses.

Water Systems

- To minimize the risk of Legionnaires' disease and other diseases associated with water, take steps to ensure that all water systems and features (e.g., sink faucets, decorative fountains) are safe to use after a prolonged facility shutdown.

EVENT PLANNERS

- It is strongly encouraged for the event host to retain the services of a professional event planner to manage the event. If the event host does not retain a professional event planner, it will be the event host's responsibility to manage the vendors.
- Event planners should consider implementing strategies to encourage behaviors that reduce the spread of COVID-19 among staff and attendees and communicate these strategies to all vendors prior to the event day.
- The event planner should be responsible for vendor management including scheduling and enforcing staggered vendor arrival times.
- It is the event planner's responsibility to make sure that guidelines are distributed to all vendors; however it is the responsibility of each vendor to adhere to all guidelines and mandates.
- It is the responsibility of the event host, not the planner, to make sure that guests adhere to all attendee guidelines.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICE (Catering or In-House)

General Guidance Regarding Food and Beverage Service

- There is no evidence that COVID-19 is spread by food. However, people sharing utensils and congregating around food service areas can pose a risk.
- All food and beverage suppliers should refer to CDC's COVID-19 considerations for restaurants and bars and the Riverside County Guidelines to Re-Open Restaurants which include all County orders along with resources.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces such as counters and hard surfaces between use.

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- Provide physical guides, such as tape on floors or sidewalks and signs on walls, to ensure that individuals remain at least 6 feet apart when waiting in line at buffet lines or bars.
- Ensure that all non-disposable food service items are handled with gloves and washed with dish soap and hot water or in a dishwasher.
- Individuals should wash their hands after removing their gloves or after directly handling used food service items.

Service Style Modifications

PRE-COVID SERVICE STYLE	NEW SERVICE STYLE
Self-Service Buffet (no longer allowed)	<p>Presented Food Station</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food stations must be set with a protective barrier between the service staff and the guests. Acceptable barriers include plexiglass or tables and/or barriers that provide at least 6 ft of distance between service staff/food and guests • Guests are called up to the presented food station table by table. Each group, which has a maximum number of 10 people, at a seating area is released one by one. These groups are to be released one at a time and the next group is not released until all guests at the previous group are seated. • All guests will get the same plated meal unless directed to adjust their meal by the service staff. • The “pick up” area and the “portioning area” are on two tables and are set up with a 6’ gap between them • Once the food is portioned out the finished plate is placed on the pickup table for guests to pick up in line standing 6’ feet apart from each other with markers on the floor. All food must be put on one plate per guest.
Tray-Passed Food & Drink	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observe the same protocol for presented food stations (above) or in lieu of traditional tray passed service, appetizers may be placed on individual plates for each guest which will be placed directly on their table or distributed per the above presented buffet guidelines.
Bar Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bar staff must wear face coverings and gloves. • Bars must be set with a protective barrier between the service staff and the guests. Acceptable barriers include plexiglass or tables and/or barriers that provide at least 6 ft of distance between service staff with beverages and guests • To be served, guests may either order from their table or line-up, socially distanced and wearing a face covering, then order their drink 6 ft from the bar and pick up drinks at the end of the bar continuing the 6 ft distance recommendation or

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	<p>pass through a plexiglass barrier.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No garnish, ice or open ingredients on bar tops unless a physical barrier exists between guests and bartender ● Suggested for bars to have hand sanitizer on or near them ● No communal beverage service (ie use bottled water instead of self-service water stations or self-service pitchers or self-service ice, etc)
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Service Ware per California Department of Public Health COVID-19 Guidance: Restaurants, Bars and Wineries.

- Suspend use of shared food items such as condiment bottles, salt and pepper shakers, etc. and provide these foods in single serve containers, if possible. Where this is not possible, shared items such as condiment bottles, shakers, etc., should be supplied as needed to guests and disinfected after each use.
- Reusable guest items including utensils, food ware, breadbaskets, etc., must be properly washed, rinsed, and sanitized. Cleaned flatware, stemware, dishware, etc., must be properly stored away from customers and personnel until ready for use. Use disposable items if proper cleaning of reusable items is infeasible
- Dirty linens used at dining tables such as tablecloths and napkins should be removed after event use and transported from the event venue in sealed bags. Employees should wear gloves when handling dirty linens.
- Thoroughly clean each dining location after every use. This will include disinfecting tables, chairs, booster seats, highchairs, etc. and allowing adequate time for proper disinfection, following product instructions. Many EPA-approved disinfectants require minimal contact time (seconds to one minute) against human coronavirus.
- Close areas where guests may congregate or touch food or food ware items that other guests may use. Provide these items to guests individually and discard or clean and disinfect after each use, as appropriate. This includes but is not limited to: Self-service areas with condiment caddies, utensil caddies, napkins, lids, straws, water pitchers.
- Discontinue tableside food preparation and presentation such as food item selection carts and conveyor belts, guacamole preparation, etc.

PHOTOGRAPHERS AND VIDEOGRAPHERS

- Social distancing between the photographer and guests should be maintained when possible. Using lenses that allow for social distancing are encouraged.
- All equipment should be sanitized between events.
- All equipment should be handled only by the photographer / videographer.
- Microphones should be placed by the wearer in order to maintain social distancing between the videographer, guests and other vendors.
- Photographers and videographers are encouraged to touch as few items as possible. When handling items that will be shared between vendors and guests such as bouquets, wedding rings, etc. these items should be cleaned and sanitized when possible.

RENTAL AND DESIGN COMPANIES

- Ensure all team members have proper cleaning supplies & PPE for making deliveries. This includes facial coverings, gloves, eye protection, sanitizing solution, towels, and trash bags.

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- Rental companies should work with the event planner and venue to schedule appropriate timelines for set-up and breakdown. While some venues typically have short windows for set-up and breakdown, it is encouraged that venues relax those rules to allow vendors
- Disinfectant common touch point items before handling/striking such as stage step rails and guard rails and hand trucks or dollies.
- Dirty linens such as tablecloths and napkins should be removed after event use and transported from the event venue in sealed bags. Employees should wear gloves when handling dirty linens.
- All items must be properly cleaned and sanitized between each use with EPA-approved products.

FLORISTS

- Ensure that all items are assembled in a safe environment and that all materials are properly cleaned and sanitized between uses.
- When placing any floral items with hard goods (vases/containers) or décor:
 - Employees will wear gloves while handling items.
 - All items will be sanitized, such as wiped with a disinfecting wipe, once placed. This is especially important for placement of items where guests will be dining.
- When delivering personal floral items (bouquets, boutonnieres):
 - Bouquets should be delivered with minimal contact (keep bouquets in vases, vases in a box, deliver box to bridal setup area). Hand-delivering bridal bouquet to the bride should be discouraged due to additional contact.
 - Personal flowers should be placed by guests or wedding party members to minimize close contact between florist or planner and guests. Alternatively, magnetic boutonniere can be provided.

ENTERTAINMENT AND AUDIO VISUAL

Social Distancing

- Live entertainment is permitted at both ceremonies and receptions so long as there is always at least 6 ft distance between the performer(s) and attendees and/or a physical barrier such as plexiglass.

Equipment

- When providing outside equipment, it must be cleaned and sanitized prior to the event.
- Microphones should not be shared between entertainer and event guests so if guests will be using a microphone for formalities such as speeches, a separate microphone should be provided for guest use.
- It is recommended that entertainment companies purchase microphone covers to help assist with the sharing of microphones during the event.
- Microphones must be cleaned or replaced after each presenter and either an overhead mic or mic stand to be used so that guests do not have to touch the microphone. If the Mic is to be shared around, it must be disinfected between each interaction involving a new person.
- All high-touch equipment microphones, mic stands, presentation remotes, and audio/video cable should be disinfected frequently, and equipment should be dedicated to individual users where possible or disinfected after each use.

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DESSERT VENDORS

- Cakes may be displayed but must be at least 6 ft away from other tables and items. Barriers such as stanchions, plexiglass or placing the cake on an elevated surface such as a stage is encouraged to keep guests away from cakes.
- Caterer must cut the cake in the food preparation location.
- Cake should be served to each guest's place setting and not be displayed on a table for guests to pick-up.
- If the event host wishes to serve mini desserts, these desserts must be served on individual plates or in individual disposable packaging delivered to each guest seat by the caterer or plated by table.

TRANSPORTATION

- If transport vehicles like buses are used, drivers should practice all safety actions and protocols as indicated for other staff—for example, washing hands often and wearing cloth face coverings and maintaining social distance of bus riders. To clean and disinfect event buses, vans, or other vehicles see guidance for [bus transit operators](#) and [drivers for hire](#), and adapt as needed.

OFFICIANTS

- Officiant will stand 6' away from the couple during the wedding ceremony when possible.
- All microphones should be sanitized before and after use.
- Handheld microphones should be placed on microphone stands whenever possible to discourage speaker from needing to touch the microphone.
- Lavalier microphones should be put on only by the person using it versus the provider, for instance the disc jockey or videographer.

PHOTO BOOTHS

- Photo booths should only be used by members of the same household per use.
- Signage indicating only group photos with members of the same household only must be displayed.
- If props are used, they must be single use only and no communal props are allowed.
- Open air photo booths are strongly encouraged.
- After each use, all communal touched surfaces, like touch screens, must be thoroughly disinfected.

BEAUTY STYLISTS (On-Site Hair and Makeup Artists)

- All stylists should adhere to guidelines outlined in the [California Department of Health COVID-19 Industry Guidance: Expanded Personal Care Services](#) where applicable.
- Protective equipment such as face shields, goggles, disposable gloves, applicators and capes are recommended for each stylist.
- Stylist must wear face coverings at all times. Stylists should wear a face shield for eye protection (with a face covering) when they are providing services that do not enable the client to wear a face covering.
- Client must wear face coverings at all times while in the prep location, except when the face covering must be removed for the performance of services involving that part of the face.
- Beauty services should be performed in a well-ventilated space.

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- Social distancing must be maintained in prep location by stylists and guests aside from when services are being performed. Guests who are in the prep location who are not having services performed at that time should maintain a distance of at least 6 ft away from stylist's work area. If that is not possible then the guest should remove themselves from the service area when services are not being performed.
- Stylist must wash hands for 20-30 seconds with soap and water between clients.
- Stylists are required to clean and sanitize tools with EPA approved products or use a new set of tools between each client. Use of single use disposable products and tools is encouraged when available.
- For non-porous implements, such as tweezers or scissors, clean the item with hot, soapy water to remove any physical debris. Rinse and dry the instrument completely. Follow by immersing the implement in an EPA-registered disinfectant for the full contact time as stated by the manufacturer's directions. Items should be removed at the end of contact time, rinsed, and dried with a clean paper towel.
- Use hospital grade, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)-approved products to clean and disinfect anything the client came in contact with, including chairs, face cradles, stools, bolsters, side tables, etc.
- Since porous surfaces such as chair seats cannot be easily disinfected, consider covering with a plastic or disposable liner and cleaning or disposing of the liner after each client.
- Consider removing items (e.g., throw pillows, fabric-lined chairs, seat cushions) with surfaces that cannot be cleaned properly from the prep location. Have a hard surfaced, non-porous service chair when possible.

Additional Resources

- Center for Disease Control and Prevention - U.S. Department of Health & Human Services ("DHHS"). This web site contains many useful subpages that discuss the epidemiology of COVID-19 and means of mitigating its risks, as well as an extensive glossary of terms related to infection control.
- World Health Organization - like the CDC web site, provides a great deal of information about the science of COVID-19, its global impact, the effects of containment programs, and strategies and plans one might adopt to curtail its spread.
- Coronavirus Resource Center, Johns Hopkins University & Medicine, features a COVID-19 global case tracker which is updated daily, news and information from experts, and many other infection control resources.
- State of California COVID Resource Guide
- "COVID-19 Reopening Guidance," National Restaurant Association, April 22, 2020.
- "Industry Guidance: Restaurants, Bars, and Wineries," California Department of Public Health / CAL OSHA, June 5, 2020
- San Diego Tourism Authority COVID-19 Member Toolkit
- ORDER OF THE HEALTH OFFICER AND EMERGENCY REGULATIONS, Health and Human Services Agency, County of San Diego, June 9, 2020
- LA County Roadmap to Recovery

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By LA County Task Force for Private Events:

Nicole Stubbs- City Market Social House & EventLA

Rob Pausmith- Tres LA Group

Garrett Gerson- Calamigos Ranch

EVENT INDUSTRY COVID-19 REOPENING GUIDELINES
For Privately Hosted Social Events

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 8:20 AM
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Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Christina
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Phone: 7605621666
Email: christinakelso@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Jeff Hewitt Riverside County Reopening Plan
State your position below: Support
Comments: Rescind the mask and distancing guidelines and Reopen Riverside County NOW.

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 13612 EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan [All Districts]

State your position below: Oppose

Comments: Proposal 13612, the "EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan [All Districts]" is an absolutely reckless and dangerous plan being put forward by Supervisor Hewitt, a right wing extremist. The Board should not even be considering it, but since it is it is absolutely essential that it shoot it down. The reopening of the county must be determined by science, not by people like Hewitt who only want to appeal to the right wing extremists that have poisoned every part of this county and country. We already have other fanatics like Sheriff Chad Bianco who refuse to enforce essential health orders intended to protect the population. If this passes infection rates will likely increase and more people will unnecessarily die. I know that Hewitt is fine with that blood on his hands but I urge the other supervisors to take time and think about it. Do not give in to the far right wing elements that are overwhelmingly nothing more than a silent minority.

Maxwell, Sue

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Supervisor Hewitt's Plan to Early Re-Open Our County
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: I wish to speak at the time this agenda item is discussed.

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Email: castellisristorante@hotmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Supervisor Jeff Hewitt proposed reopening plan for county accelerated speed
State your position below: Support
Comments: I've owned Castelli's Ristorante in Palm Desert for past 33 years. This pandemic caused me to close for six months and a challenge to reopen and stay open. I feel sorry for other businesses that will never reopen. Look forward getting to next tiers rapidly. Looking forward to tomorrows meeting.

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First Name: Brad
Last Name: Call
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Email: bcall002@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: We must be united in strict adherence to the Governor's approved plan, especially after seeing news of resurgences. Do not break from the approved plan of action.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: Ann McKibben <atmckibben@roadrunner.com>
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 12:59 PM
To: COB
Subject: No Vote Requested--Defying State Covid Guidelines

October 5, 2020

Via email: cob@rivco.org

Riverside County Board of Supervisors
County Administrative Center
4080 Lemon Street, 5th Floor
Riverside, California 92501

Dear Board of Supervisors:

Re: No Support--Defying the State of California Reopening Guidelines for Covid-19

I do not support any efforts by the Riverside County Supervisors to defy the state's reopening guidelines regarding Covid-19.

Experience has shown that reopening too early, too fast leads to eventually closing down in the future and delays economic recovery.

Please consider that how you vote will affect many at risk people. Please vote No.

Sincerely,
Ann McKibben
23296 Sonnet Drive
Moreno Valley, CA 92557
(951) 924-8150

Maxwell, Sue

From: Maxwell, Sue
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 11:13 AM
To: George Johnson (GAJohnson@RIVCO.ORG); Young, Alisa; District 4 Supervisor V. Manuel Perez (District4@RIVCO.ORG); District2; District3; District5; Supervisor Jeffries - 1st District (district1@rivco.org)
Cc: Perez, Juan; Kimberly Saruwatari; Cameron Kaiser (CKaiser@ruhealth.org)
Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 - 10 Public Comments on COVID Re-Opening (Bev Hoffman_Ron Willison_Barb Smith_David Paget_Thomas Lieb_Eric Sammons_John Rogers_Allen Partono_Keri Then_Jane Garrison)
Attachments: BOS web comments; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; New message from David Paget; Supervisor Hewitt's proposal to reopen Riverside County; BOS web comments; BOS web comments; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Do not open the county

Greetings,

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With best regards,

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Maxwell, Sue

From: Jane Garrison <jane.garrison66@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 7:26 AM
To: COB
Subject: Do not open the county

Board of supervisors,

I am unable to call in so wanted to submit my comments. Please do not go against state guidelines and open up the county. Florida went from 750 cases in a day to over 2000 in a day after it opened up.

This impacts all of us who live here and is unfair to put is at risk. Thanks!

Jane Garrison

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 2:56 PM
To: COB; rjwxp@aol.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item # or • Agenda Item: 3.3 - 13612 EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Public Comment: Reopening Plan [All Districts] [\$.

State your position below: Support

Comments: I am a certified meeting planner and I represent event venues in Palm Springs such as Frank Sinatra's Twin Palms estate. Our venues are used extensively for cooperative dinners, receptions and weddings. These events are all outdoors on the large lawns of the estate venues. We are currently unable to obtain the required City permits in Palm Springs due to the restrictions we will now be faced with cancelling another 4 events in November and equal numbers monthly beyond if we can not have some clarity. We need to recognize the events industry is an integral part of the Coachella Valleys economy. We have all the same safety requirements for these closed groups, and in fact stricter, as do the outdoor restaurants. Please find a way to work with us to obtain permission to continue to provide the unique sets of venues that draws millions of tourists and dollars to the Coachella valley.

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Subject: BOS web comments

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First Name: Bev
Last Name: Hoffman
Email: bevhoffman611@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

**Agenda Item # or
Public Comment:** Reopening the County Early

**State your
position below:** Oppose

Comments: please pray attention to what's happening in New York City and other cities that have opened early...the numbers are going up, and they're strongly considering closing down again. If you decide to open ahead of our governor's orders, please at least make PROPER WEARING of masks, as well as social distancing mandatory...with fines for failure to wear masks when away from one's home!

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 2:39 PM
To: COB; barb.smith@eventisdmc.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Barb
Last Name: Smith
Address (Street, City and Zip): 40004 Cook Street
Phone: 7602727181
Email: barb.smith@eventisdmc.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3 - 13612 EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan [All Districts] [\$.
State your position below: Support
Comments: I have been a hospitality industry business owner in the Coachella Valley for over 33 years. This COVID shutdown has nearly decimated our business as we depend primarily on group business (corporate and association). Our valley is losing business to other destinations who are allowing meetings to happen. If our destination does not begin to open to group business within the next month for group meetings outside our state (with restrictions, of course), we will not have any group business until the fall 2021 and the majority of local, independent businesses who are a part of the hospitality industry will not survive. Please consider reopening to outside groups. We are all committed to follow the COVID safety reopening guidelines. Thank you for your consideration.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 3:16 PM
To: COB
Subject: New message from David Paget

I vote to reopen Riverside County . And break away from the States reopening plan.

-David Paget (dpaget57@outlook.com)

Maxwell, Sue

From: tomlieb@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 6:12 PM
To: COB
Subject: Supervisor Hewitt's proposal to reopen Riverside County

Dear Supervisor Hewitt, We are wintertime residents of Indio. We look forward to being in your county every year and fully support your efforts to reopen facilities in Riverside County. We use and need the facilities provided by local business and are happy to support them. It has been our observation that the local business respect the Covid restrictions and do a reasonable job to protect themselves and their customers. We find the governer's restrictions to be unjustified and unreasonable.

Thomas and Pamela Lieb
Motorcoach Country Club
Indio CA

Thomas J. Lieb, CPA (Retired)

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To: COB
Subject: BOS web comments

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First Name: Eric
Last Name: Sammons
Email: eric@isucormarc.com

Agenda Date: 10/07/2020

**Agenda Item #
or Public** 3.3

Comment:

**State your
position below:** Support

Comments: The shutdown has been a disaster, destroyed families, shutdown businesses and has created a financial devastation that may take over a decade to fully recover from. The state has no constitutional authority to force healthy people to stay home, deny all citizens the right to assemble, practice their religion (how they want), and force business to close for a virus with a fatality rate far less than many of the virus and diseases to which we battle against as a society. We cannot live in Fear and we should not teach our children to live in fear.
Riverside county is on the right track by putting their citizens and businesses first by considering removing ourselves from the ever moving goalpost that Sacramento has devised. Lets give Riverside county the Green color code, to go live and enjoy the freedoms that millions before us fought to keep and preserve. Thank you for your consideration.

Maxwell, Sue

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To: COB
Subject: BOS web comments

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First Name: John
Last Name: Rogers
Email: jbrogers2@verizon.net
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item #
or Public 3.3

Comment:

State your
position below: Oppose

Comments: It is a presumptuous conceit to assume that Riverside County has a better plan for opening its economy than does the State of California. The County has neither the scientific nor the public health expertise to make this decision. The Coronavirus does not respect local or regional governmental boundaries and it will wash over any attempt of one local agency to adopt more or less strict guidelines and regulations than its neighboring jurisdictions.

Please discard this frivolous idea and let the State do its job.

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 6:18 AM
To: COB; keriformoval@gmail.com
Subject: Board comments web submission

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First Name: Keri
Last Name: Then
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Phone: 9092232608
Email: keriformoval@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: I oppose reopening County businesses. The County reported over 800 cases just this past weekend. The COVID virus is still very active and continued precautionary measures must remain in place.

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Cc: Cameron Kaiser (CKaiser@ruhealth.org); Kimberly Saruwatari; Debbie Parliman (DParliman@ruhealth.org); Perez, Juan
Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 - 10 Public Comments on COVID Re-Opening (Scott Heveran_Lynn Lambrecht_Janice Rooths_Cheryl Liles_Carolina Viazcan_Tracy Davis_Gina Castanon_Michael McCarthy_April Palmer_M chiriaco rusche_
Attachments: Board comments web submission; BOS web comments; Policy Item 3.3; BOS web comments; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; Board comments web submission; BOS web comments; Board comments web submission

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 7:39 AM
To: COB; saidhev@rockermail.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Scott
Last Name: Heveran
Phone: 9513336841
Email: saidhev@rockermail.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Public comment
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: Please follow state guidelines, beat back this virus so we can SAFELY open all businesses.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 8:01 AM
To: COB
Subject: BOS web comments

First Name: Lynn
Last Name: Lambrecht
Email: Lynn@thelivingplanner.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item #
or Public 3.3
Comment:

State your
position below: Oppose

Comments: Covid-19 is a serious public health issue. Coming from a family of doctors / dentists, I follow the science. As painful as this is for everyone, I am a proponent of science guiding decisions. Public Health and Public Safety is my primary concern. I cannot endorse breaking from the statewide guidelines. We are a transient state. And I am unwilling to risk supporting this plan as we enter into flu season on top of Covid-19.
Respectfully, Lynn Lambrecht

Maxwell, Sue

From: Janice Rooths <janice.rooths@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 8:47 AM
To: COB
Subject: Policy Item 3.3

Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of Riverside County District 1. Please do not re-open against the state guidelines. Please help keep us all safe. People do need work. We do need to strengthen our economy. But don't do it at the risk of increasing deaths in our county and the long term adverse effects of COVID-19 on individuals who get it. Please be more cautious than the Federal government. We have the 2nd highest number of infections in the state and the 3rd highest number of deaths due to virus. That is because we opened too soon. Don't do it again. Keep us safe.

Thank you!

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Janice

Janice R. Rooths MBA PMP
973.583.3655

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
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To: COB
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First Name: cherilyn
Last Name: liles
Email: jwl@richiesdiner.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: reopen Riverside County
State your position below: Support
Comments: if we do not let business open soon at more than 25% we wont have any business left in this county.

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 8:57 AM
To: COB; carolina.viazcan@marriott.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3 - 13612 EXECUTIVE OFFICE: County of Riverside COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan [All Districts] [\$.
State your position below: Support
Comments: Would like to express my support to move forward with meetings as proposed by the Greater Palm Springs CVB.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 9:00 AM
To: COB; tracycyto@yahoo.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Tracy
Last Name: Davis
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Phone: 657-310-2120
Email: tracycyto@yahoo.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 3.3

State your position below: Oppose

Comments: I oppose opening up. We need to stay the course set by the state. I understand all are suffering but we risk funding and spiking the cases and deaths because of going our own way. Listen to the health professionals!

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
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To: COB; gina.castanon@aol.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Gina
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Email: gina.castanon@aol.com
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Agenda
State your position below: Oppose
Comments: I don't know the agenda number Regarding reopening and losing the grants if BOS approves

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 13612

State your position below: Oppose

Comments: Please follow state guidelines regarding COVID reopening. There is no reason to accelerate a reopening as we have our own local and multiple national examples of spikes in cases and deaths when this occurs. And the recent example of the President and his inner circle are a perfect example of the hubris of politicians regarding this issue.

Please follow the state public health guidelines. Reopen businesses when we meet state health criteria to keep COVID under control. Do not reopen prematurely again.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 9:36 AM
To: COB
Subject: BOS web comments

First Name: April
Last Name: Palmer
Email: aprilpalm13@gmail.com
Agenda Date: 06/20/2020
**Agenda Item #
or Public** Reopening public businesses during Covid quarantine

Comment:

**State your
position below:** Oppose

Comments: We are just entering the Fall/Winter season when flu like illnesses are rampant. This is not the time to relax restrictions regarding opening restaurants, bars, salons, movie theaters, sports venues and the like to occupancy. The President and his administration and setting dangerous examples of the consequences of relaxing mask wearing, social distancing and gatherings indoors. DO NOT OPEN UP THE BUSINESSES OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Tuesday, October 6, 2020 9:42 AM
To: COB; mchiriacor@aol.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



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Email: mchiriacor@aol.com
Agenda Date: 06/01/2020
Agenda Item # or Public: proposed reopening
Comment:
State your position below: Neutral

Comments: It is very important that we, the schools and businesses are allowed to open fully as soon as it is truly safe to do so. We are all hurting, but we also value our employees and family and I do not want to put anyone in harms way because people are tired of being home, or having to school their children. I understand being strapped for cash and not having the income stream, but if it means just a while longer to know that Covid is reasonably contained, then that is what I advocate. Reason must prevail on opening procedures. Not based on emotional outcry.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: Dean Hobart <deanfobart@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 5:06 PM
To: COB
Subject: Reopen Riverside County

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Please reopen Riverside County faster than the governor has stated. Our economy needs this. I was in Las Vegas last week and they are doing well with being open.

Thank you.

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Maxwell, Sue

From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 12:24 PM
To: COB; Borboa, Julie
Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name: Julie
Last Name: Borboa
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Phone: 760-391-3674
Email: JBBORBOA@RIVCO.ORG
Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

Agenda Item # or Public: general comments

Comment:

State your position below: Support

Comments: Would like to see County offices open such as the Courts, County Assessors, DPSS as we deserve the service we pay for; Even if we see the judge via skype-we would like to get our custody, visitation and divorce services moving through the systems. We would also like to be able to get our birth certificates and apply for wedding licenses-The drop box at both places are not working; We in Blythe deserve this services in our community as well as opening the DPSS office- why is it only telecommute? this is a very rural community... many people are transit and don't have internet and prefer to see people in person or need to have things read to them or explained them, Please reconsider and review the current situation.

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From: Kathi Hopkins <kthlhpkns@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 2:22 PM
To: COB
Subject: Open Riverside County at an accelerated speed

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I would like the Board of Supervisors to definitely accelerate the reopening of Riverside County. My family is tired of being locked up and we have enough common sense to do the right thing.

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Kathi Hopkins
81944 Avenida Bienvenida, Indio, CA 92203

Maxwell, Sue

From: Sherry Fotta <sherryfotta663@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 2:32 PM
To: COB
Subject: Pertaining to the meeting on October 6th Riverside Re-opening

I live in Riverside County and I have seen the hardship this 2nd closing as cost our County. Newsome and his over reach in delaying the opening of our County has been horrible for so many. Especially the churches who honestly had no issues with spreading the virus may not be able to afford to even re-open. Churches offer peace and comfort which is so needed in these difficult times.

Newsome has over stepped his authority and something must be done. People are losing everything they have worked for and considering our low death rate in CA and our county this makes no sense.

I ask you to please defy him and open up Riverside completely.

Thank you for considering this..

Sherry Fotta

Maxwell, Sue

From: ckrausfeldt@aol.com
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 2:40 PM
To: COB
Subject: ReopenRiverside County

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Riverside county business are going bankrupt. Please open the county with social distancing and face mask requirements. Elementary schools need to reopen with in person teaching. There will not be a magical day of perfection to reopen. We need to take the leap of faith and move forward. If we can shop Costco, Walmart and local grocery chains, then open up other services too. Let citizens decide on their own personal comfort level.....not government dictating.

Cheryl Krausfeldt
Resident of La Quinta

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Maxwell, Sue

From: Clarissa Cerolini Everett <clarissaeverett@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 2:40 PM
To: COB
Subject: ReOpening

Board of Supervisors: Please consider re-opening Riverside County.

We citizens can take responsibility for protecting ourselves even when others may not be taking precautions. I so do not want ya-all to destroy the small businesses of our County. I will do my part to utilize their services but they have to be open for me to do that.

Thank you.

Clarissa Everett



Maxwell, Sue

From: cl clay <clcmaison@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 2:42 PM
To: COB
Subject: Red Tier regulations

To whom it may concern,

Now that Riverside County is in the red tier, please clarify if we are still under the stay in place order.

I live in a community where the HOA has put us on strict Stay in Place orders with a \$200 fine if caught having a visitor. This has ben in place for the past 6.5 months.

Now that Riverside County moved to the Red Tier and more things are opening, our HOA will not budge from the original stay in place orders. When will the stay in place – no visitors regulation be lifted or lifted with limitations?

Appreciate your time and answer.

Thank you,
Carmen L Clay
Indio

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 4:24 PM
To: COB; lloyd@lloydprinceton.com
Subject: Board comments web submission

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
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From: Elizabeth LaDue <lizziladue@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 4:34 PM

To: COB <COB@RIVCO.ORG>

Cc: Ann Piller <ann.piller@hotmail.com>; Jana ChristianF... <janadale@hotmail.com>; Yoslette Nicoson <ysolette@live.com>; Lisa Lee <Pinkylee103@yahoo.com>; Deonn Hayes <deonn@greensfirst.com>; Dr Don Hayes <drdonhayesdc@greensfirst.com>; Michael LaDue <Mjladue13@yahoo.com>; Shevy Akason <Shevy@everydaylux.com>; Tom Aievoli <tgrant@lee-associates.com>; Emily Barsh <emily.barsh@gmail.com>; Debbie Wear Husband Garry <djwear55@me.com>; John <jphill9123@aol.com>; Kelly & Robert <kelly@brandededge.com>; Sandi Peck <sandi@thepecks.com>; Julie Wilson <rawnation@gmail.com>; Terry Heidrick <terryheidrick@gmail.com>; Sigrid Weidenweber Weidenweber <sig@sigridw.com>

Subject: Reopen California

Dear Mr Hewitt and to whom it may concern,

I'm writing to express my support to fully reopen Riverside County that will be addressed at the meeting on October 6th at 9:30am. I was informed that Supervisor Jeff Hewitt would be discussing his plans to open Riverside County at an accelerated rate that would defy Governor Newsom's plan.



I support fully opening now.

I'm basing my decision and support to fully reopen our community on the following data and information.

Fact: There is a 1 in 19 million chance of dying from Covid-19. While there is a 1 in 103 chance of dying in a car crash. There is a greater chance of being struck by lightning than of dying from Covid.

The New York Times wrote that 90% of the positive tests for Covid-19 were amplified over 40 times rendering them to be in actuality "negative." Which translates to the fact that most people who have it aren't even contagious. See link. <https://www.nytimes.com/2020/08/29/health/coronavirus-testing.html>

The media is practicing fear mongering in order to support a liberal agenda and increase ratings based on fear tactics by reporting the amount of "cases" which is totally irrelevant.

We have a CASE-Demic. Not a pandemic.

Our immune system's will end this pandemic and the only way to do that is by allowing people to be together and create herd immunity. More people have been injured by vaccines than will have ever died from Covid.

Last year more than 650,000 people died from the regular flu (and that was with a vaccine) yet no one was afraid of that because the media didn't tell us to be.

The lockdown is senseless and destroying lives, businesses and the mental health of citizens of this supposedly free country. Even the CDC writes that the "mental health crisis is highly elevated as a result from the response to this "pandemic."

According to the WHO the suicide rate has climb to astronomical numbers based on depression and mental illness caused by a forced lockdown.

When home evictions are allowed to commence there is going to be an overwhelming amount of homeless population hitting our streets adding to the current homeless crisis. If we really care about people we will open our community and let them go back to work so they can pay their bills and keep their homes.

The number of "cases" is irrelevant because symptoms are usually so mild and the number of deaths are far less than what was expected and hospitalizations in Riverside County are down more than 20%.

97.997% of people who contract Covid 19 will show little or no symptoms whatsoever.

Several scientists have proven that children are not carriers of Covid and do not pose a threat and should be allowed to go back to school.

I know several children who are Experiencing a severe mental health crisis and are in therapy and now on medication. This lockdown is destroying these young lives before they even begin.

Sweden is doing great with no lockdowns!

The CDC writes that masks are ineffective against protecting you from catching the flu virus.

Disposable medical masks (also known as surgical masks) are loose-fitting devices that were designed to be worn by medical personnel to protect accidental contamination of patient wounds, and to protect the wearer against splashes or sprays of bodily fluids (36). There is limited evidence for their effectiveness in preventing influenza virus transmission either when worn by the infected person for source control or when worn by uninfected persons to reduce exposure. Our systematic review found no significant effect of face masks on transmission of laboratory-confirmed influenza.

Government gyms remained open in San Francisco proving they are safe for employees of the government while private gyms like ours were forced closed. Proving this lockdown is much more about government hypocrisy and control than about our health.

<https://www.washingtonexaminer.com/news/san-francisco-gym-owners-livid-after-discovering-gyms-in-government-buildings-have-been-opened-for-months?fbclid=IwAR2UTGfDcpgIViQ-dziO1IGsZhcLa2Pfcg4BB4gVT3Nk4bMPNcMY1KMmUMQ>

Nancy Pelosi (who is in the vulnerable age category -who would be considered most susceptible to COVID-19) felt safe enough to visit a hair salon without a mask and I think that similar decisions should be allowed for every citizen in this country. More government hypocrisy one will often find in socialist and communist countries / states.

Also as a licensed cosmetologist I have firsthand knowledge of the sanitation requirements that we must demonstrate in order to be licensed in the state of California. A typical Hair salon is probably one of the cleanest places anyone could visit.

People should be allowed to decide how to protect themselves and whether they want to wear a mask or not.

Outbreaks of the skin rash impetigo are sweeping across our nation due to the wearing of masks that force our own bacteria to become trapped and cause infections on our faces.

It is each and every individual's responsibility to make decisions in the interest of their own health and not for government or community leaders to decide. The vulnerable have every right to stay home and wear a mask if they so choose.

Our United States Constitution allows us this freedom and it is our government and community leaders responsibility to uphold our basic individual rights and freedoms.

The state of Florida has fully opened up as well as many other states are not on full lockdown.

This lockdown is an egregious overreach of power and causes me to believe that the liberal leadership of our country are trying to deliberately destroy our society, therefore making everyone dependent on government, in order to rebuild our communities into a socialist / communist state.

I implore you to have the courage to do the right thing and fully open up. If we don't stand together and demand our freedom NOW I fear we are at a precipice of losing freedoms we may never get back.

We must act now and swiftly in order to save our community and our citizens.

You have my full support to open our community and in turn save countless lives, businesses and infrastructure.

Sincerely, Elizabeth Ann-Imus LaDue
323.422.3254

Maxwell, Sue

From: LORA LEWIS <loramlewis@att.net>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 4:40 PM
To: COB
Subject: Open Riverside County Now

I am in **FULL SUPPORT** of Supervisor Jeff Hewitt's Proposed reopening plan for Riverside County. I understand that his proposal would defy Gavin Newsom's reopening plan and would see Riverside County open at an accelerated speed.

It is time for this to be done.

Thank You

Lora Lewis
78346 Calle Las Ramblas
La Quinta, CA 92253

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Maxwell, Sue

From: Maxwell, Sue
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 4:44 PM
To: George Johnson (GAJohnson@RIVCO.ORG); Young, Alisa; District 4 Supervisor V. Manuel Perez (District4@RIVCO.ORG); District2; District3; District5; Supervisor Jeffries - 1st District (district1@rivco.org)
Cc: Cameron Kaiser (CKaiser@ruhealth.org); Kimberly Saruwatari; Debbie Parliman (DParliman@ruhealth.org); Perez, Juan
Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 - 5 Public Comments on COVID Re-Opening (Troy and Laura Willis_Ronald Miller_Dean Hobart_Lloyd Princeton_Jennifer Lambert)
Attachments: Reopen 1005% NOW!!; Open Riverside!!! Defy Newsom!!!; Re: Automatic reply: Reopen Riverside County; Please Re-submit Board comments web submission (special notations only); Board comments web submission

Greetings,

Forwarding 5 attachments received via COB website and email as Public Comments related to October 6, 2020 Agenda Item No 3.3 (MinuteTraj No 13612) on COVID Re-Opening Plan.

These will be added to Agenda back-up.

(Please NOTE the last attachment is requesting a reply and is related specifically to the Blythe Courts.)

Thank you kindly, and please stay well and safe,

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From: Troy & Laura Willis <laurawillis@verizon.net>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 5:31 PM
To: COB
Subject: Reopen 1005% NOW!!

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From: Ronald Miller <r.pmill62169@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 5:51 PM
To: COB
Subject: Open Riverside!!! Defy Newsom!!!

Sent from my iPhone

Maxwell, Sue

From: Dean Hobart <deanfobart@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 7:39 AM
To: COB
Subject: Re: Automatic reply: Reopen Riverside County

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Yes, defy Newsom... ie. 'Newsolini'.... open Riverside County.

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020

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Maxwell, Sue

From: COB
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 4:29 PM
To: 'Lloyd Princeton'
Subject: Please Re-submit Board comments web submission (special notations only)

Mr. Princeton,

Just to be on the safe side, please submit another *Request to Speak* via the COB website <https://www.rivcocob.org/comments> ...just your *Name, Correct Phone Number* and a note in the *Agenda Item/Public Comment* section stating (3.3 - **correcting phone number previously entered as 2133698039**).

Thank you kindly, and please have a nice, safe weekend and stay well,

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From: Lloyd Princeton <Lloyd@lloydprinceton.com>
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 7:46 AM
To: COB <COB@RIVCO.ORG>
Subject: RE: Board comments web submission

Good morning! Would it be possible to update my call-in phone to 310-697-7700? Thank you!

Lloyd J. Princeton
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From: cob@rivco.org <cob@rivco.org>
Sent: Thursday, October 1, 2020 4:24 PM
To: cob@rivco.org; Lloyd Princeton <Lloyd@lloydprinceton.com>
Subject: Board comments web submission

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From: cob@rivco.org
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 1:56 PM
To: COB; schoolnurse1970@yahoo.com
Subject: Board comments web submission



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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public County buildings in Blythe CA
Comment:

Comments: Hi my name is Jennifer Lambert I am a Resident in Blythe Ca
I am a school nurse a foster parent of two beautiful children and a parent of two teenage girls, I am PTO president of Ruth Brown Elementary and I also have City and County Contracts to do the DUI blood draws in here in Blythe. My family has faired well during this Pandemic but one the things that are very concerning to me are the lack of Court appearances and ability to get face to face help in the County clerk building. More recently I have a friend who is trying to share more custody of daughter as the mom moved away and decided she would no longer share daughter, well that paper work to get a court date was turned in at the very beginning of September (in a drop box) and there is still no response from the Family division of the Court. As a Foster Parent I would like the judge to hear my input as I feel Social Workers are sometimes not quite the child advocate that you would like them to be..... So now I just have a small suggestion that I believe can be helpful in the County building there are several side rooms that can and should be utilized for being able to zoom the clerks and judges for appearances. I feel this can be very helpful to our community as well as the Assessors office being closed???. Why is this happening there is only one individual who works there and that person could help one resident at a time.

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Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to inform you that your application for the position of [Job Title] has been reviewed and we are pleased to offer you the position. The salary for this position is [Salary] per annum, plus benefits. The start date for this position is [Start Date].

We are pleased to have you join our team and we look forward to your contribution. Please contact [Contact Name] at [Contact Number] or [Contact Email] if you have any queries. We are happy to discuss the offer further.

Yours faithfully,
[Signature]
[Name]
[Title]

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October 2, 2020

The Hon. Manuel Perez
Supervisor, 4th District
Riverside County Board of Supervisors
73710 Fred Waring Drive, Ste. 222
Palm Desert, CA 92260

Dear Supervisor Perez:

We sincerely appreciate everything you and Riverside County are trying to accomplish during this difficult time. In reviewing the agenda and documents for the Riverside County Board of Supervisors that includes the reopening of small groups and weddings, we provide this information.

Phase II target date of October 13th references "group meetings and events involving primarily local residents (25% capacity or 100 persons, whichever is less). The limitation of the attendees to be "primarily local residents" will have little to no benefit for our industry and your district. On behalf of the CVB Board of Directors, the following tiered approach is recommended for consideration and is in line with the current State of California Blueprint for restaurants:

Purple

Outdoor sit-down functions only with 100 people or less based on social distancing capacity and safety protocols.
No receptions are permitted.

Red – 25% Capacity

Outdoor sit-down functions with 25% of capacity or less based on social distancing guidelines and safety protocols.
Indoor meetings capacity limited to 25% or 100 people, whichever is less. Social distancing guidelines and safety protocols utilized, no receptions are permitted.

Orange – 50% Capacity

Outdoor sit-down functions with 50% of capacity or less based on social distancing guidelines and safety protocols.
Indoor meetings capacity limited to 50% or 200 people, whichever is less. Social distancing guidelines and safety protocols utilized, no receptions are permitted.

Yellow – 50% Capacity

Capacity of outdoor functions are based on social distancing guidelines and safety protocols.
Indoor meetings capacity limited to 50% utilizing social distancing guidelines and safety protocols.

As of last week, the Greater Palm Springs CVB has tracked the cancellation of over 400,000 room nights with a room revenue loss of over \$172 million. Over 95% of all meetings and conventions in the Coachella Valley have been cancelled through the end of 2020 and most groups are now canceling through the second quarter of 2021. These groups need guidance and time to plan effectively for their organization and attendees. The average time for groups to plan and commit to a location takes approximately three months.

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Once the group commits to the site, the average time to execute the meeting can range from one month to six months, for a total time of four to nine months; for larger groups, the planning and execution period can range from 18 months to 3 years or more.

Group meetings have some of the highest standards of COVID-19 safety and would adhere to the guidelines outlined by the State of California.

The meetings industry has the capability to register and trace every attendee. The organizer can contact trace every attendee at the meeting, and the hotel and venue can contact trace all of their employees. If anyone is infected with COVID-19, everyone can be notified and this level of contact tracing will be required by all groups regardless of size. The hotels and venues have developed floor plans to ensure that social distancing is exceeded and maximized for safety. We would be happy to help coordinate a process to allow Riverside County Health Department the opportunity to review and approve the plans.

Hotels have been open since June 12th and no data has been shared with our industry that hotels have created a COVID-19 cluster outbreak. So far, the clusters have been in warehouse facilities, grocery stores, packing facilities, distribution centers and correctional facilities. Hotel guests are required to wear masks in all public areas and hotel staff are now experienced with safety protocols.

Meetings of twenty-five (25) or more attendees are occurring safely and effectively in a majority of states such as Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Nevada, New Hampshire, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Montana, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Utah, Virginia, Washington, and Wyoming. We are losing our meetings to Arizona and now we will be losing them to Las Vegas. Meetings and events are critical to the recovery and long-term success of our economy and have a trickledown effect for small businesses that support the hospitality industry.

District Four will be devastated in 2021 and beyond. The impact will be felt for the next five years, maybe longer. It is imperative that we save our meetings industry and adopt a tiered approach. Currently unemployment in the hospitality sector for the Coachella Valley is estimated at over 50%.

On behalf of the over 26,000 hospitality workers that are unemployed in the Coachella Valley and the 3,000 businesses, we ask Riverside County to approve the above tiered approach as soon as possible.

Sincerely,



Tom Tabler
Chair, CVB Board of Directors
General Manager,
JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort & Spa



Aftab Dada
Treasurer, CVB Board of Directors
Vice President/Managing Director,
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From: COB

Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 10:00 AM

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Subject: October 6 2020 Item No 3.3 Public Comments and Request to Speak on COVID Re-Opening (Scott White)

Good morning,

Please see COB website comment (and attachment) below for October 6, 2020 Item No 3.3.

This will be filed with Agenda back-up.

Thank you kindly,

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Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 4:47 PM

To: COB <COB@RIVCO.ORG>; Scott White <swhite@gpscvb.com>

Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name:	Scott
Last Name:	White
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Phone:	7609691302
Email:	swhite@gpscvb.com
Agenda Date:	10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment:	3.3 - 13612 Executive Office: COVID-19 Guidelines and Reopening Plan
State your position below:	Neutral
Comments:	I would like to come and speak in person.
Attachments (Must be .pdf, .doc, or .docx):	10.02.20-Perez.Groups-ltr.pdf

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Maxwell, Sue

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Agenda Date: 10/06/2020
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: Comment reopening covid criteria
State your position below: Oppose

Comments: I oppose reopening that are in violation of the state guidelines. This will cause confusion and send the wrong message. It could result in monetary penalties which is not acceptable. I recently checked a local gym in Palm Springs that was authorized to open with 10% capacity. The gym takes reservations online for the group classes and they accept 18 reservations per class which is help in a group room that has a maximum capacity of 40 persons. This is 45% capacity and not the 10%. None of these restrictions will be enforced and there will be no compliance and no one to monitor.

Attachments (Must be .pdf, .doc, or .docx): [RiversideCo-Super-reopening.docx](#)

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Maxwell, Sue

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Dear Clerk of the board,

I would like to comment tonight during the listening session of the Riverside County Board of Supervisors.

Jennifer Sklepko
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