

Dear Councilpersons:

As you decide on the metrics involved in addressing the Montgomery County mandate, I would like to add my endorsement of an approach that does not rely on one day of data in making important decisions involving 100's of thousands of lives. Frankly, vaccination of healthy individuals should be more than sufficient everywhere (except perhaps in orthodontic/dental offices and other medical facilities) to completely drop the mandate, including schools. But on the current topic of Covid case numbers as the ONLY metric for making decisions-please be more reasonable and flexible than the proposed approach adopted in August.

Thanks for your consideration.

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