

# DEPUTATION IN WRITING

REGIONAL COUNCIL

JULY 9, 2020

**Subject:** Special Meeting Letter – July 9 2020

**Spokesperson:** Emily Holdsworth

**Name of Group or person(s) being represented (if applicable):**

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**Brief summary of issue or purpose of deputation:**

Hi my name is Emily Holdsworth. I am a resident of Georgina and I would like to express my support of mandating face masks/coverings to be worn in communal indoor spaces (businesses etc). I would like to also express support for cooperative support rather than punitive support for this bylaw in the form of businesses taking measures to safely offer masks to patrons rather than punishment or fine for not wearing a mask. To me it is unjust to place a financial barrier between an essential service and a patron. Offering masks and sanitizer/hand washing stations at the cost of business operation circumvents this barrier.

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