DEPUTATION IN WRITING

REGIONAL COUNCIL JULY 9, 2020

Subject: Mandatory mask debate on July 9th - resident submission

Spokesperson: Jenny Goulet

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

Brief summary of issue or purpose of deputation:

To the York Region Council, Re: Mandatory mask debate on July 9th

My name is Jenny Goulet and I am a Registered Nurse and resident of York Region. I urge you to vote NO to making masks mandatory in York Region.

Masks can cause harm, plain and simple. Thus, if there is RISK, then there must be CHOICE.

I have attached several detailed and well written papers from medical experts and groups that have discussed the potential risk that healthy people may have by wearing a mask in public and that they simply do not work to prevent the spread of respiratory viruses. I would appreciate your effort and time to review these well written papers.

These documents include- a medical literature review including 7 studies that say masks don't work and their possible negative health effects along with 23 other studies cited in the endnotes presented in April, 2020 from Denis Rancourt, PhD, a researcher for the Ontario Civil Liberties Association (OCLA)

https://vaccinechoicecanada.com/wp-content/uploads/masks-dont-work-denis-rancourt-april-2020.pdf

The OCLA also recommend civil disobedience against mandatory masks because of the "significant anticipated harms from the widespread use of masks in the general population". Also that this policy has not been demonstrated as safe.

http://ocla.ca/ocla-recommends-civil-disobedience-against-mandatory-masking/

The Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms which is a Canadian legal advocacy organization states that "Mandatory masks requirement represents an interference with personal autonomy"

https://www.jccf.ca/mandatory-masking-requirements-represent-an-interference-with-personalautonomy/

https://www.globalresearch.ca/face-masks-pose-serious-risks-healthy/5712649

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Other reasons NOT to mandate masks include-

- You risk alienating and shaming those whom cannot wear a mask due to medical reasons

-It will be very difficult to enforce this mandate

-Government overreach plain and simple. My body, my choice. Also, we are 4 months into this pandemic. Please focus on the significantly lowered death rate. Also note that very few people are in the hospitals currently

-Masks give people a false sense of security

-May inadvertently cause infection rates to increase as non health care citizens have no idea how to wear a mask without contaminating themselves (Please see City of Toronto/CDC/WHO instructions on how to wear a mask properly- on their websites)

-If you mandate masks to keep us "safe", then I ask that you mandate daily exercise, ban junk food, stop putting fluoride and other chemical waste on our water, stop chem trails, and ban GMO's and glyphosate in our food

-Remember that you are supposed to be their elected voice of the people, not their dictator

I have spent over 20 hours reviewing the literature and expert opinions about whether or not masks should be worn in public places by healthy people. I have made the determination that for myself and my family, it is not a healthy thing to do. Furthermore, your committee is voting on whether or not to make masks mandatory which will affect thousands of York region residents. I would appreciate the same diligence of hours of research before you decide whether or not force every citizen to wear a mask in public.

I will say it again. When there is a potential for risk, there should always be choice. Please vote NO to mandatory masks for indoor public places in York Region.

Thank you very much, Jenny Goulet, Registered Nurse, York Region resident and mother of four Newmarket, ON

Other references of interest-

https://kellybroganmd.com/masks-have-you-been-captured-by-this-psyop/

https://www.questioningcovid.com



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