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Subject: Leelanau County Covid-19 Preparedness and Response Plan

Dear Commissioners,

This is a followup to my public comment this morning regarding the Leelanau County Covid-19 Preparedness and Response Plan, dated May 19, 2020 and revised by Executive Order, 2020-77.

This Plan states employees, visitors, critical infrastructure workers, including those deemed essential workers must comply with the Plan.

1. Our understanding is that all Commissioners, by legal definition, are not County employees. Are Commissioners by definition, visitors, critical infrastructure workers or essential workers?
2. Appendix G, page 13 of the Plan requires certification by responsible public officials. Did that requirement include Commissioners? If yes, did all Commissioners certify the Plan?
3. Pages 1, 2 of the Plan cite protective safety measures, criteria, including the requirement to wear a covering over his or her mouth and nose when in any enclosed public space.
4. Appendix D states visitors are required to wear a face covering while in any public space within the premises.
5. Leelanau County Covid-19 signage posted at the entrance to the Government Building clearly cites the requirement to wear a mask.

The question remains why, given this Plan, some Commissioners (including those in attendance today) refuse to take responsibility to wear a mask, to protect all parties within the Government Building, including fellow Commissioners and other attendees during their meetings?

Based on science, health care findings, facts, data, Commissioners choosing not to wear a mask should take responsibility and attend Commissioners meetings via Zoom.

We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

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