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Although I am not a citizen of KCMO, my family interacts with businesses and citizens of KCMO and thus, share in the risks and benefits of the proposed extension.

We encourage the City Council members to vote in favor of the extension because the data provided by both national and local experts provides strong confirmation that masks reduce the spread of the deadly covid virus. Extending the mask mandate also favorably aligns the city of Kansas City with Jackson County and other local governments.

Thank you for your consideration and best regards

John Johnson