## **Debra Thompson**

From:

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Sent:

Sunday, November 14, 2021 9:22 PM

To:

Debra Thompson; Assembly; Stephen Giesbrecht

Subject:

Masking Mandate Ordinance

I am typing this e-mail as a concerned resident, and as a concerned business owner of Petersburg, Alaska. I have spent the last 19 years building my business which also includes building relationships, building trust, building loyalty, and building respect with all my customers. I will NOT have that taken away within seconds by using your mandated power tactics. Mandating my employees to mask can be a huge health and risk factor working with 2 650 degree pizza ovens. I will NOT enforce anything upon my employees and/or customers, nor will I be policing the mask mandate. I work anywhere from 9-12 hour days as it is cooking, cleaning, and serving food. Policing a mask mandate is not on my resume, therefore, I will not comply with what you are wanting to demand of me.

I choose the personal liberty and freedoms over the borough assembly's overreach, and I will continue to choose as I have through the entirety of this pandemic. This borough belongs to the people, and we the people have a voice. The borough needs to listen. This mandate can cause a lot of problems for our small community of businesses. I strongly suggest you reconsider this ordinance that is being voted on. It's time we start living in freedom again and not fear.

Mandie Whitethorn Papa Bear's Pizza

Sent from my iPhone