

To the Committee Members:

Socializing and a secure local economy are recognized as necessary elements for individual health and well-being of our communities. Dining out, going to school, attending and participating in athletic events, visiting family and friends all contribute to the wellbeing of our citizens. Being isolated by our government is destroying communities, families, and our local economy. It is time to recognize that these actions are more threatening than Covid-19.

As quoted in a recent article in American Institute for Economic Research (AIER): "Famed Johns Hopkins doctor Marty Makary recently wondered why 'amid the dire Covid warnings, one crucial fact has been largely ignored: Cases are down 77% over the past six weeks.

"He points out that 'If a medication slashed cases by 77%, we'd call it a miracle pill.' The number of cases is 'plummeting much faster than experts predicted' because Makary writes, 'natural immunity from prior infection is far more common than can be measured by testing.'

"Makary has this good news: 'Covid will be mostly gone by April, allowing Americans to resume normal life.'"

It time to let our communities heal! Use the science of 95 to 99% survival rates (depending on age of those infected). Trust citizens to be responsible. Recognize the harm done by government over reaching to control its citizens. Let's return to our normal healthy community!

Respectfully,
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