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Esteemed Board Members,

My name is Sean Hastings and I am a Nye County School Board Trustee. I am writing in response to agenda item 2.

As a school board trustee, my first priority is to fully support the superintendent we hired, to lead our district's mission: "Empower students to learn at their highest level in an environment of mutual respect." I might add "and in a safe environment."

The COVID-19 flu is a real threat to our elderly and to those with pre-existing comorbidities. People are certainly getting sick and or possibly dying as a result of complications from this flu, but not at the rate and danger in which we have been led and feared to believe by Governor Sisolak, the Nevada Board of Education, and the Nevada State Board of Health.

Our students are safe and will be just fine if left alone by you, to let us do our job, to educate and keep them safe. Let our students and/or parents and guardians make any necessary personal medical decisions, without government interference, intervention or mandate.

I fully understand that this agenda item is to discuss requiring Nevada's college-aged students to show proof of immunity. I assume you are talking about a "vaccine passport," as this seems to be the popular thing for the socialist/communists democrats in our state government to mandate upon us. I adamantly say "NO!" This is a terrible idea. We will not stand to have our God-given freedoms taken away.

The real travesty here is since early March of last year, we have been quickly led down a terrible path of lies, panic and fear by our state government "leaders". We have been subjected to unnecessary lockdowns, social distancing restrictions, unhealthy and ineffective masking rules, personal economic distresses, forced business closures and suicidal tendencies all pushed forward by your fear campaigns. Complicit in this has been many in our local media outlets who have worked in-cahoots with you to ensure your fear campaign happens on a daily basis.

The fear agenda, the un-American mandates, the unconstitutional forced vaccination requirements has to stop now. We will not be bullied any longer. The more the governor pounds his fist on the pulpit with the claims that "people are dying," as his excuse to impose more mandates and sanctions against our freedoms is more cause for us, as patriotic citizens and elected officials who stand behind our flag and U.S. Constitution, to say enough is enough. This has to end, and it has to end now. We won't accept your mandates any longer.

Please use your common sense and vote no on this horrible proposal.

Thank you,

Sean Hastings
Nye County School Board Trustee Area V

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