

Meagan Werth Ranson

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To: Meagan Werth Ranson
Subject: Comments for COVID 19 Task Force Meeting Nov. 19

Meagan,

Hello, please read my comments during the public comment time.
You did a great job, last week, thank you!

Dear Task Force,

Thank you for your service. I would like to bring attention to the task force again the need to look into the ACCURACY of the Covid testing itself.

As commented on last week, if Cycle Thresholds are higher than 35 they will only find "dead nucleotides" as Dr. Fauci has stated recently, NO live virus. But, these findings result in false positives. From what I understand Nevada labs use a cycle threshold of 40-45.

Testing has increased exponentially across Nevada. Could this be why there are so many "cases" right now? And that there is still a very large gap between asymptomatic and actual hospitalization. Shouldn't you make sure that there is nothing wrong with the testing itself? Nevada citizens deserve accurate testing results, especially when we're on the verge of a shutdown.

My other comment has to do with business enforcement of the Governor's directives. How is enforcement making sure they are not penalizing businesses who have customers that cannot wear a mask? Those patrons are protected by Directive 24 under exemptions and various laws that supercede mandates. From my experience many businesses are more afraid of getting fined than being willing to comply with the exemptions of Directive 24 as well as laws that are already on the books. Is enforcement educating these businesses not to deny service or treat patrons in illegal ways that cannot wear a mask?

Thank you,

Debbie DeValve