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PRESS RELEASE

Date: October 5, 2020

From: Suzie Roehm, Van Buren County Clerk

Re: False FOIA Response

I have received a copy of a letter (attached) that loosely appears to be a response to a Freedom of Information Act request regarding Executive Orders on mask wearing. It is unknown to me who allegedly received this letter or in what manner, however, it is being shared on social media. The County Clerk does not have the authority to make an interpretation of an Executive Order or provide legal advice. I did not draft or distribute this letter. This is unauthorized use of the name and office of the Van Buren County Clerk. The matter has been turned over to the Van Buren County Sheriff's Department for investigation.

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PANDEMIC FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

Dear [REDACTED]

Your request for information was approved on 02-Oct-2020 and was met with the following information:

1. The April 2020 E-O mandating masks, social distancing guidelines and other pandemic requirements is now null and void as of the October 2020 ruling.
2. As a result of the above, employers, businesses, gyms, etc CANNOT deny you entry for refusal to wear a mask as doing so would be unlawful.
3. Failure to follow the above guidelines by a business would be direct contempt to the Michigan Supreme Court and would result in fines and or imprisonment.

You may show this letter to security or whom it may concern and if they request a copy they may do so by calling the clerks office.

Sue Hooten

County Clerk VAN BUREN COUNTY