

**5/21/20 AGENDA, ITEM 1 - CONSIDERATION OF MODIFICATION OF EMERGENCY ORDER
SUPPLEMENTAL EMAIL SUBMITTED BY LIZ WARD TO THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE ON
5/21/20 AT 2:22 P.M.**

From: Liz Ward <1snowdogg@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, May 21, 2020 2:22 PM

To: City Council <citycouncil@hermosabeach.gov>; City Clerk <cityclerk@hermosabeach.gov>

Subject: OPEN THE CITY NOW!

Dear Council Members,

I would like to implore you to open Hermosa Beach immediately in full. We fully complied with your request to "lockdown" due to the fear a global pandemic would overrun our hospitals. That was THE reason. You needed time to staff up and obtain enough PPE/ventilators for the hospitals. Now hospitals sit empty and are laying people off. This virus has circulated the Earth for 6 months. We have REAL DATA, not fear-based models. This Corona-virus has proven no worse than the flu for most people. So we need to treat it like we treat the flu.

The elderly and people with underlying health issues should take precaution as they see fit. The rest of us should work. If you feel sick, stay home. Enough said. Anything else is an overreaction to something with a 99% cure rate. This is just like the flu. We have been living with flu for years. Some years are worse than others. So be it. Anything else is an amazing over-reaction.

Businesses have suffered enough. Many will be closed for good. Our city needs to get back to NORMAL. Not any "new weird normal," but the old normal. We should stop the drama and open ALL of Hermosa Beach (no silly masks or useless social distancing) yesterday.

We live with the flu. We can live with this (especially if everyone "has it but doesn't know they have it").

Please OPEN HERMOSA now.

Thank you,

Amy Cline