

I am writing in strong opposition to the proposed enforcement of vaccine passports in Montgomery County. There are several reasons why this legislation should NOT be pushed forward including the fact that the overwhelming majority of our county and state citizenry vehemently oppose such a practice.

1. The Omicron variant's ability to transmit easily but only give symptoms of a cold (see CDC statement identifying Omicron as a mild variant) to most, will help communities to achieve herd immunity. Herd immunity is stronger and provides more lasting protection than any Covid-19 vaccination.
2. The outbreaks of both SARS-Cov and MERS-Cov were short-lived outbreaks that did not receive vaccination intervention, and both were eventually resolved.
3. Respiratory viruses can weaken with mutation. Again, exposure to the variants can be handled and defeated with natural herd immunity because most individuals have normal immune systems. This is Biology 101 for those of you who skipped Biology all together. Had Covid-19 been dealt with FROM THE BEGINNING via herd immunity, both nationally and globally, Covid-19 would be behind us without the preposterous amount of money that has been spent or the high number of those negatively affected or killed by the vaccine.
4. If the medical community and government agencies were truly interested in protecting people, why didn't they education the public on the use of hydroxychloroquine or ivermectin as a prophylactic methods of treatment. Even African nations offered this and in turn benefitted.
5. Contrary to the media narrative, the vaccine does NOT stop transmission or protect to the individual vaccinated from infections.
6. The public is just beginning to learn and understand the devastating effects and high numbers of those who suffer and die from this vaccine as well as other vaccinations.

Now, knowing all of the above, council members, you tell me why we need a data base collection process of vaccination non-compliers.

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