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|  Dear Volunteers & Friends of Jars of ClayAs you know, we continue to closely monitor and follow the guidance of public health and elected officials as we navigate the COVID-19 pandemic. I want to inform you that we have revised our policy given the new report from the Centers for Disease Control regarding the low community level in Fulton County, and the Mayor of Atlanta’s recent [decision to lift the mask mandate and other emergency COVID-19 restrictions](https://atlantahabitat.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=6bae547c2d29b548d87ee7b07&id=e2e7b575f8&e=9b9b4eea95).**Effective immediately, it will be optional for Jars of Clay employees, volunteers, board of directors, advisory council, and other stakeholders to wear face masks inside our administrative offices, thrift store, warehouse, and tiny home build sites.**In addition to supporting the option for mask-wearing, JOC Atlanta and ministries will continue to encourage frequent hand washing, social distancing as needed, and accept only visitors with appointments.The health and safety of our stakeholders are a priority; therefore, we will continue to monitor updates issued by public health and elected officials and adhere to their guidance during this pandemic. Thank you for your continued support of our mission and organization.Please continue to stay blessed and safe. |

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