Friends,

This week a Trump appointed judge in Florida struck down the CDC’s unconstitutional mask mandate for public transportation.

As I’m sure you’ve seen, passengers learned of the ruling during flights in midair, spurring viral videos of cheers and tears of joy from travelers, flight attendants, and pilots alike.

**TWEET:** *The mask madness is over, thank you President Trump*

Americans are done with the mask mandates. Whether it’s on a plane, in a classroom, or a place of work. The masks never worked. There was no science behind the mask mandates, they were merely a tool to increase government’s power over our lives.

The Biden Administration, of course, cannot stand that Americans are cheering the mandate’s demise. President Biden’s Department of Justice already announced it will appeal the federal court ruling to. It’s incredible to see the stark contrast between Biden and the American people right now.

On the one hand, Americans are relieved that the last relic of the of mask mandates has come to an end. On the other hand, the Biden Administration is outwardly showing its disdain for citizens rejecting the administration’s power grab.

**WATCH:** *White House in disarray over mask mandates*
The reality is that it doesn’t matter how the administration, the media, and the progressive left feel because the CDC never had any authority to issue these mandates over your lives. The Executive branch, and all its agencies, cannot write its own laws. That is Congress’ job.

I have a Congressional Review Act resolution awaiting action the House, which will end the CDC’s travel mandate for good. For a while, it worked out perfectly for Democrats. They were happy to see the Biden Administration enforce the mandate for them without having to put their name on this unscientific, massively unpopular policy. My legislation will force the regime's hand.

Attempts to uphold the mask mandate won’t work, and they are merely about maintaining the government's unlawful authority over our lives. Remember that the next time you go to an airport and fly on a plane mask-free. The Biden Administration wishes it could force you back in a mask, but the country has turned the chapter and Americans are done with this saga for good.

MORE: Good riddance to the mask mandates

Service Academy

This week, Rep. Dan Bishop announced he will host his annual Service Academy Day on Saturday, April 30th, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The application process opens on May 16, 2022, and the deadline to submit applications is Friday, September 30, 2022. Applications must be mailed to the Monroe District office at 300 N Main St, Monroe, NC 28112.

Additional information on the nomination process for the service academies is available on the Congressman’s website at danbishop.house.gov. You may also email caroline.winchester@mail.house.gov with any questions about this event.
The 2022 Congressional Art Competition

NC-09 students, the 2022 Congressional Art competition is here! This year’s theme is: “An Artistic Discovery”. Tell us through your art!

The Artistic Discovery Contest is open to all high school students in the District. The over-all winner of our District’s competition will be displayed for one year in the U.S. Capitol. The exhibit in Washington will also include artwork from other contest winners nation-wide.

If anyone has a student who is interested, the deadline to submit your art is May 16th. To learn more and apply, please visit my website here.