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News Release

Board Chairman David T. Woodward issues endorsement to Oakland County school mask mandate

August 24, 2021, OAKLAND COUNTY, MI. – Board Chairman David T. Woodward (D-Royal Oak) issued the following statement on the recently issued emergency health order requiring masks in educational settings.

"This is the right move because masks work. It will protect our kids, especially those too young to be vaccinated. It will reduce the spread of the virus. And it will save lives. I'm proud of the bold leadership of Oakland County health professionals, and I support the mask mandate in schools 100 percent.

We all want our kids back in school. We owe it to them to take every step possible to keep them and their families safe."

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