

From: [Carol Monroe](#)
To: supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: Regarding: Item 20-1642 and 20-1643 of the May 18th agenda
Date: Saturday, May 16, 2020 12:47:14 PM

The opening of all restaurants and small businesses in HB should begin immediately. We citizens respect that the owners of these small businesses can safely open their establishments. Many residence are aware of the over reach that has taken place in this city and other cities as well. We know more about this Virus than we did in the beginning and what is coming to light is that we have been duped.

Huntington Beach and Orange County cities have not seen this impending doom as was expected. Hospitals are not full. In fact many health care workers are being laid off.

If the city council opens Restruants and small businesses now, maybe some of them can still survive. If this goes on any longer the results will be devastating, not only to them but the city as well. I for one would be happy to pay a service charge to help them stay a float. They have been hit hard through no fault of their own.

I would ask that if this does not take place and some businesses have the courage to open anyway to save their business and lively hood, that they would not be forced to close. (no enforcement by HB police or any other Entity) Those that still don't feel safe can continue to stay home if that is what they wish. Why are we, the healthy being quarantined? We have done what was asked of us and we flattened the curve I don't think this was ever supposed to go on this long. Every business is essential.

I have spoken with many Police officers and they do not want to be involved in any unconstitutional arrests of citizens just trying to make a living. This is not what they signed up for. I respect the Huntington Beach Police department.

I am over 65 and considered the vulnerable. I want everyone to know that I will not live in fear of a virus as I could die tomorrow from any of a 100 reasons. Most of my friends and aquintenances of the same age feel the same way.

We must fight against Governor Gavin Newsome's over reach and tyranic rulings. This is America and what he is doing is unconstitutional

I hope you will do the right thing as you seem to be on the right track.

Thank You,
Carol Monroe
Huntington Beach resident for 33 years.
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From: [Janet Bean](#)
To: supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: Agenda item 19 and 20
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 1:24:52 PM

Dear council members,

I am writing regarding the items 19 and 20. I am totally opposed to 19 as it clearly singles out only a few preferential businesses in Huntington Beach. The council needs to take an approach to help ALL Businesses, not just those whom they feel are essential. All businesses are essential not just the ones that some you feel you need to give more preferential treatment to. All businesses are essential because they support local families, you cannot single out a few that have larger wallets than some and possibly handing our money to your campaign in exchange for this preferential treatment.

On the other hand, Agenda item 20 has my full support, it is clearly written by a council member who cares about the whole community, not just a few. It is a common sense approach to decide the best way to get ALL businesses open. Just because you think a business is not essential, you need to understand that to the owners, employees and customers, it is an essential part of their life.

Please do not pick and chose based on pockets getting lined to give preference to whom you deem as essential. Come up with a common sense approach that is for all.

If we can stand in line at CostCo, Sam's, Alberston's, Von's Sprouts, Trader Joes, ect..., why can we not stand in line at any business we choose to. WHY can other businesses have the same opportunity to keep their doors open with the same guidelines?

**Thank you,
Janet Bean**



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From: [Rachel Rolnicki](#)
To: [CITY COUNCIL](#); supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: Comment to Council
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 1:49:31 PM

Good afternoon Members of the City Council,

Orange County Business Council (OCBC), the leading voice of business in Orange County, strongly recommends that you **support** Agenda Item No. 19 at the City Council meeting today, May 18, 2020. OCBC supports the City's efforts to analyze strategies to reinvigorate Huntington Beach's vibrant restaurant industry in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic. While the safety of the public must be prioritized, creative approaches that allow restaurants to increase their revenue while maintaining social distancing guidelines should be explored. Thank you, and please reach out to me if you have any questions.

Best regards,

Rachel Rolnicki

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From: [cruserjon](#)
To: supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: Dining
Date: Saturday, May 16, 2020 8:33:45 AM

If restaurant's will open how about trying to clos off main st to allow them to spread out a little more . Thanks

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

From: [Fikes, Cathy](#)
To: [Agenda Alerts](#)
Subject: FW: Agenda 19 and 20
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 8:22:51 AM

From: Craig Frampton <cframpton143@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2020 7:13 AM
To: CITY COUNCIL <city.council@surfcity-hb.org>
Subject: Agenda 19 and 20

I'm writing I voice my opposition to agenda item 19. I don't believe our city should be discriminating against 90% or more of the buisnesses in our community and using public property. To reward a very select few restaurants. This is no different than our governor. Only closing beaches in orange county. Secondly I highly recommend you support agenda item 20. We need a agreessive plan immediately to get all buisnesses reopened in Huntington Beach. I've seen a massive call to arms from a democratic site to voice opposition to this. Once again. Let's listen to the actual residents of Huntington Beach. Not some politically motivated outsiders. Thank you Craig Frampton

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From: [Fikes, Cathy](#)
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Subject: FW: No on Agenda Item #19 and YES on Agenda #20
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 1:45:50 PM

From: vanessa martinez <rockonbaileybailey@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2020 1:40 PM
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Cc: William Hennerty Jr. <billhennerty@yahoo.com>
Subject: No on Agenda Item #19 and YES on Agenda #20

Mayor Lyn and City Council,

I'm in support of item #20. I think all businesses should be considered in a plan to reopen. Not just restaurants on Main Street.

I'm a **NO** vote for agenda item #19. All of our small businesses deserve the same opportunity and respect.

Thank you,
Vanessa Martinez

From: [Suzanne Hart](#)
To: supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: Item Agenda numbers 19 and 20
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 12:54:06 PM

Dear City Council Members,

My husband and I would like to urge you to make the responsible, intelligent, science based decision: Please support Item Agenda number 19 and reject Item Agenda number 20 as our health and welfare depend upon it.

Thank you,

Chris and Suzanne Hart
419 6th St.
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From: [Sherry Daniels](#)
To: supplementalcomm@surfcity-hb.org
Subject: No on Item 19 ; yes on Item 20
Date: Monday, May 18, 2020 1:53:14 PM

Dear City Council members,

I am adamantly opposed to Item 19 and am in support of Item 20 because we need to focus on opening ALL of our businesses, not just restaurants. Our focus cannot be just on downtown, Bella Terra, or Pacific City but include all areas of our city. Apparently Mr. Posey and Mr. Brendan need to be reminded again, that all of our businesses, not just big money need our support. All of our businesses matter. Our small mom-and-pop businesses, our hair and nail salons, our clothing stores, etc., throughout the city are in dire need and must open before they have to close their doors permanently. Our public spaces need to remain as public space and for public use, especially given socially distancing requirements making those spaces available to less people. If a business is able to follow the CDC guidelines, there is no reason they can't open now, before further economic damage is done.

Thank you,
Sherry Daniels