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Dear Senate Republicans,

We write to emphasize our continued objection to President Biden's tyrannical COVID-19 vaccine mandates.

From the beginning, the House Freedom Caucus has fought against the un-American, job-killing pandemic policies that have undermined the liberty and livelihood of our citizens. For nearly two years, the American People have been the victims of draconian COVID-19 restrictions and mandates that have proven ineffective at mitigating the virus, but have fueled shocking increases in crime, suicide, overdoses, mental health issues, learning difficulties, poverty, and hunger. At long last, many state and local governments are beginning to abandon their tyrannical bureaucratic overreach; it's time for the federal government to do the same.

This week, as the Senate considers legislation to extend government funding through March 11, 2022, we urge our colleagues to join us in opposing all funding for the enforcement of COVID-19 vaccine mandates on American Citizens.

Congress determines how Taxpayer dollars are spent through the "power of the purse" granted us in Article I of the Constitution. We must not abdicate to the Judicial branch our responsibility to decide the supposed constitutionality of the questions just to avoid taking difficult votes.

We owe the American People the certainty that the courts cannot provide. We also must defend them against losing their job or being forced to inject themselves. The question is simple: will we stand with the American People or won't we?

We urge you – and all Senators – not to just seek to "process amendments," but to seek the only resolution a free people deserve: defunding President Biden's harmful vaccine mandates.

It's time to act. The American People are depending on us.

Respectfully,

House Freedom Caucus