

March 3, 2022

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APPROVE CONTINUED MASKING AT PORTLAND  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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APPROVED BY: Mark Mitsui, President

REPORT: Because the COVID-19 pandemic has not been declared as ended;

Because a pulse survey of students and staff indicated approximately 65% of the respondents of each group preferred to keep the mask requirement for the Spring term;

Because we want to have consistency across all College locations;

COLT is recommending to the President that we maintain the PCC masking requirement throughout the Spring term; Requirement to be removed the last date of spring term: June 20, 2022.

Because of the evolving conditions surrounding COVID-19, the President shall have the authority to adjust the mask requirement at his discretion.

RECOMMENDATION: That PCC Board of Directors approve the above recommendation from COLT and grant the President authority to adjust the mask requirement at his discretion as described above. This authority shall include, but is not limited to, removing the mask requirement before June 20, 2022, or extending the mask requirement beyond June 20, 2022.