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Honorable Supervisors,

I don't want people to be required to show papers to prove that they got a vaccine. I don't care if it's a passport, a certificate, a digital image — or whatever. For one thing, I think it's discriminatory to provide different levels of services to those who were vaccinated vs those who weren't. There isn't an emergency situation now, so no one should be denied shopping or employment because they weren't vaccinated.

Secondly, there are numerous reasons why people might not want to be vaccinated. People have allergies, medical conditions; and some have already recovered from Covid-19 and have natural immunity. There are folks who don't want to take it because it is an EXPERIMENTAL vaccine, not yet completely tested, with the data not yet analyzed, nor fully approved. Others don't like the idea of using fetal cell lines as part of creating the vaccines. Some don't want to put foreign chemicals into their body unnecessarily. Some are very healthy and if they get sick, they will ask for some of the treatments now available.

Ultimately, it should be a person's free choice whether to receive this particular vaccine, and they should not have their personal rights violated. California Civil Code 51 states that all persons are equal not matter what their disability or medical condition and are "entitled to full and equal accommodations, advantages, facilities, privileges or services in all business establishments of every kind whatsoever."

Thank you for your time.

-Karen