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Greetings

It would be good if we could institute a mask mandate that was complied with painlessly. We know that won't happen. If I heard the KFSK story correct this morning, Wrangell, Juneau and Ketchikan have a mask mandate in effect at this time. A Wrangell assemblyman complained bitterly that our governor should call for a statewide mask mandate and take the heat off local governments. The assemblyman said he dreads having people yell at him about the mask mandate. Wrangell's low case count is similar to Petersburg's for probably the same reasons. A Wrangell beauty shop owner said that if a stay at home lock down order is called for, she would be out of business. This morning we learned that there are now 3 new cases in Petersburg. When to call for a mask mandate is a difficult decision. I'm glad I'm not on the assembly. Keep your options open and be ready to institute a mask mandate quickly.

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