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The attached document rescinds the local Health Officer Order dated January 10, 2022, related to COVID-19 isolation & quarantine protocols. The rescinding of this order aligns Tuolumne County with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH), CalOSHA, and California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 17 COVID-19 guidance.

A link to the local order being rescinded is provided in the attached document. Where the local order **required** isolation and quarantine for COVID-19 cases and exposures in all instances and face coverings for K-12 students in modified quarantine, at the time of this document’s release, CDPH has since relaxed recommendations and Tuolumne County residents should hereon follow the relevant guidance or requirements for their circumstances according to the above-mentioned authorities. As an example:

- General Public- Recommended isolation & quarantine guidelines from CDPH  

- Healthcare workers- All Facilities Letter 21-08.8  
  [https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHCQ/LCP/Pages/AFL-21-08.aspx](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHCQ/LCP/Pages/AFL-21-08.aspx)

- Workplaces subject to Cal OSHA  
  [https://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/coronavirus/ETS.html](https://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/coronavirus/ETS.html)

- Schools- CDPH Public Health Guidance for K-12 Schools and Department of Education  
  [https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/K-12-Guidance-2022-23-School-Year.aspx](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/K-12-Guidance-2022-23-School-Year.aspx)

- Please refer to the attached document and the first link above on CDPH Isolation & Quarantine guidance for additional details and circumstances.
Date: September 2, 2022

RESCISSION OF ORDERS OF THE HEALTH OFFICER OF THE COUNTY OF TUOLUMNE
RESCINDING ALL PREVIOUS COVID-19 ORDERS

WHEREAS, a declaration of emergency was issued by the Governor of the State of California on March 18, 2020, and local emergencies have been declared in Tuolumne County in response to the virus COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, community case rates have declined; and

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2022, California Department of Public Health released an updated COVID-19 State Public Health Officer Order; and

WHEREAS, with this rescission, isolation, quarantine, and school guidance will align with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and individuals should continue to follow guidance released by (CDPH), California Division of Occupational Safety and Health (CalOSHA), and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

NOW, THEREFORE, the Tuolumne County Health Officer HEREBY RESCINDS THE COVID-19 ORDER, issued on January 10, 2022, applicable within the County of Tuolumne, effective 12:01 a.m., September 2, 2022.

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