

# Alaska State Legislature

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Senator Elvi Gray-Jackson  
Chair, Legislative Council

**FROM:** Jessica Geary   
Executive Director

**DATE:** April 12, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Proposed Amendment to Legislative Council COVID-19 Mitigation Policy

Attached is the Legislative Council COVID-19 Mitigation Policy with proposed amendments for Council's consideration. The goal of this proposal is to continue to maintain a safe workplace for legislators, staff, and visitors in all legislative facilities while removing those parts of the policy that are no longer applicable.

As amended, the policy continues to follow current CDC guidance for individuals who test positive, as well as for close contacts of a known positive and doesn't change the ability for individuals to require masking within their office.

The amendment deletes the following sections:

- Social Distancing
- Cycle Testing/Screening
- Positive Test/Close Contact
- Risk Level Notification
- Updated Policy/Effect

I am happy to answer any questions.

Attachments:

Proposed Amended Mitigation Policy (a track changes copy and a clean copy)