Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

May 14, 2021

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi Speaker of the House of Representatives U.S. Capitol, H-232 Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Chuck Schumer Majority Leader U.S. Capitol, S-221 Washington, DC 20515

Dear Speaker Pelosi and Leader Schumer:

We are writing to request that you lift COVID-19 restrictions limiting public access to the United States Capitol. With official business visits allowed at the U.S. Capitol as of April 26, 2021, and at the House Office Buildings on April 29, 2021, it seems only natural that the next step would be to open the Capitol, including tours. It is past time to return to pre-COVID normalcy and allow the public to enter the Capitol without being on a preapproved list.

We appreciate your consideration of this matter and urge you to reopen the Capitol soon.

Respectfully,

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Andy Harris, M.D.

Member of Congress

Barry Moore

Member of Congress

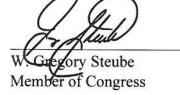
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