

**REPORT/ RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF  
ARAPAHOE COUNTY PUBLIC AIRPORT AUTHORITY AND  
RECORD OF ACTION**

**December 9, 2021**

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**FROM:** Mike Fronapfel, Executive Director/CEO

**SUBJECT:** Legislative Report

**RECOMMENDATION:** Advisory Only

**BACKGROUND:** In order to continue fighting the Delta and Omicron variants, on December 2, 2021 White House announced they will continue to require masking during international or other public travel – as well as in transportation hubs such as airports or indoor bus terminals – through March 18, 2022. The current mask mandate was set to expire on January 18, 2022.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) informed AAAE that the U.S. government is in the process of amending their international air travel requirements to tighten the pre-departure testing timeframe to 24 hours, regardless of the traveler's vaccination status, in response to the omicron variant. The new one-day testing requirement would apply equally to U.S. citizens as well as foreign nationals.

Currently, fully vaccinated international air travelers can present a negative test result obtained within three days from their point of departure. Only unvaccinated U.S. citizens are required to get a negative COVID-19 test within one day.

CDC anticipates that this change will take effect on Monday, December 6, 2021, not earlier.

**FINANCIAL DATA:** N/A

**REVIEW BY OTHERS:** Robert Olislagers

**PRESENTERS:** Mike Fronapfel

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Action of the Board of Commissioners

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