Dear Board of Supervisors and Public Health Officer,

I would like to advocate for the relaxing of restrictions on the use of city, county and state parks during the Shelter-in-Place order. I think our Public Health Officer has done an excellent job in educating the public about the necessary precautions to stay safe and protect our community. I'm confident that my community neighbors and I know how to follow the new rules and we can be trusted to behave appropriately in an outdoor setting. I believe that individuals and families can respect the public health goals of social distancing within our parks. All of us, and especially our children, need access to nature and the outdoors, in this beautiful weather, in order to ensure mental stability and physical wellness. It's time to open all of our parks to all of our residents countywide.

Thank you,

Steve Hahm