

As Mayor of Earley I want to encourage you in our continued fight against the Covid virus. We are now in a second wave and, although we are better prepared, it will still not be easy. Please listen for directives and abide by the law. At the moment for most of us that will mean our only contact with one other will be out exercising (yes that includes walking!) or out shopping.

When this lockdown is finished please keep abreast of the continued restrictions to keep safe. It is for your own good and for your neighbours good. I know many of us are tired of the Coronavirus and of the added strain from laws that so restrict our lives. Please, as I know many of you have been, be mindful of others you know, especially if they are older or vulnerable. Even if we can't visit our friends there is always the phone or text to give encouragement to the lonely and isolated.

Thank you for caring enough to keep the law and care about others. If you feel ill follow procedure, if you think you have Covid please get tested and speak to your GP. If you think you have other health problems don't wait until it's more convenient but see a pharmacist or your GP as soon as you can. Keep safe by social distancing from others, washing your hands, not touching your face and wearing a mask when needed.

Kind regards

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