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Dear fellow NASSCO Shipbuilders,

The Department of Defense (DOD) now requires all U.S. military service members be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. Although this requirement has not yet been applied to contractors like NASSCO, there is a possibility that this may be a requirement in the future. However, with the recent FDA approval of the Pfizer vaccine for COVID-19, NASSCO is urging all unvaccinated employees to get vaccinated now. Fully vaccinated means two weeks past the final vaccine, which is the second immunization for Pfizer/Moderna and the single dose of Johnson & Johnson.

Over the course of this pandemic, NASSCO has remained open and maintained our commitment to our customers while following safety protocols and complying with state and local regulatory agencies. With that in mind, we continue to implement measures with safety at the forefront of every decision we make.

The COVID-19 vaccine is the best tool we all have to further fight the pandemic and prevent the spread and significant illness caused by the virus. Free vaccines are readily available throughout the San Diego area through county health clinics, pharmacies, medical providers, and community centers. Please see the Vaccine Resource page on the NASSCO website for more detailed information <https://nassco.com/covid-19/resources/>.

Kaiser Permanente will also be onsite at NASSCO on October 6, 2021, to administer the Pfizer vaccine to members and non-members. Individuals seeking to participate should contact the Medical Department at extension 8861 to preregister and receive an appointment time.

I recognize the last 18 months have been challenging for us and our families. I want to thank each of you for your dedication, resiliency and steadfast commitment in overcoming these challenging times as we move forward together.

Sincerely,



David J. Carver
President