Despite warnings from health officials, many contenders are still on the ballot.

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I don’t matter if it’s walking into a grocery store, a restaurant, or even a medical office. Josephiotio doesn’t wear a mask.

He knows COVID-19 is out there. He said he con- sisted himself at a fourth of July party last year that became a superspreader event but had only a mild case. The experience made the 27-year-old livestock manager in Woodstock, Georgia, change his ways, and now he is the few among many who are我也如此.

For him, he said, one day ago being quite estimates about how the people live in certain areas of northern Gwinnett County have ditched masks, too.

“I think more and more people are beginning to real-ize that it was foolish to begin with,” Coss said, “and that only sick people or elderly people need to wear masks.”

ANC EXCLUSIVE

CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC

ONE YEAR LATER

Pandemic boredom pushes many Atlantans to take on new hobbies

For some, short-term diversion from lockdown turned into much more.

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As a kid, he noted how good furniture was placed together. But even by the age of 4, he had decided to be a professional woodworker.

Five years ago, during the pandemic, the 10-year-old son asked for a study table. Joseph had planned an overhead shelving unit, but was homed by his father.

He spent the next 2 years thinking about the furniture. He and his family built a table for his father.

And now both Cobb County father and business relationship have decided to move into the furniture business. The company, which was founded in 2018, has since sold a number of pieces, including a cobalt blue table.

And within a few months of the pandemic, the company is working on its first order for a table.

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ECONOMIC RELIEF

The pandemic drastically shifted many business models and society across the state.

The American Rescue Plan Act was passed last month and will provide $1.9 trillion in total relief to individuals, businesses, and states.

The Atlanta Journal-Constitution is publishing several stories chronicling the impact on Atlantans and Georgians —what we’ve lost, how we’ve changed, and what we’ve gained.

Coming Monday: How we spend our money

By AP

AP AJC is at a table for his daughter at the Mountain Top Inn & Resort building, where she’s been working.

AJC COMMUNITY COVERED POLITICS

How to fight to limit voting unfolding

Legislators borrow from legal arguments rejected by courts.

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The Atlanta Journal-Constitution reviewed records from 24 Georgia Republican lawmakers, former President Donald Trump’s campaign, and Republican Party officials, all dismissed the Republican-sponsored election integrity law in the General Assembly. The review found most of the issues addressed in federal and election lawsuits in the laws.

The AJC-Kennedy election experts’ report, the Republican Party, the Georgia secretary of state’s office and academia all found as a whole.

It interviewed party officials with various perspectives on the party’s election practices.

The General Assembly’s election integrity law includes a number of provisions that, if not challenged in the courts, may become a variable in the future.
School aims for top students, faculty in top 100. The Hurt.

**Spelman heightens appeal with new campaign**

Spelman College said Saturday it is raising $10 million for a new technolo-
ygy and innovations building, renovations for its arts facilities and to enhance scholarships and bring in top faculty.

In an hourly event streamed on YouTube and Facebook, the Atlanta-based liberal arts institution launched its $10 million fundraising campaign, called “Spelman Unleashed.”

The goal of the campaign, which the college said is its largest ever, is to raise $10 million for science, technology, engineering, arts and education. It aims to make Spelman a leader in these fields, said college officials.

The school has already reached 96% of its goal with three years to go before the overall campaign ends.

“This campaign is driven by the passion of innovation and globalization and learning community, teaching and creating change,” said Provost Dr. Pauline M. Harris.

The arts and educational alums and men on black women who are the leaders of tomorrow,” said Spelman President Tony Allen.

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“We are so excited about this campaign,” Harris said. “We have 100% participation from our arts faculty, which is a great milestone for us.”

Harris said Spelman College because of the impact it has had on shaping the lives of women of color for decades and for ensuring our right to be free in society for more than 150 years,” said Lash, who is also a princess. “Just the work of our beloved institution in that regard is never done.”

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