

## Video Transcript

## **Walter Williams**

It's changed our lives dramatically. I haven't seen my parents in the whole year of 2020 to keep them safe.

And so once I heard the shipyard was getting it, I was encouraging some of my fellow shipbuilders, has probably heard me talk to them about the importance of this. And I know there is some reluctance in the minority communities for various reasons but looking at the effects of the pandemic across the world in our communities. I had one close friend recently lose both of his parents and within two or three months.

And they did not obviously get a chance to take the vaccine. And what if, right? And so the vaccine is so important for all of us so we can move on with our lives and move on to our normal way of doing business and the way we connect with our families and friends, or we will be dealing with this pandemic from years to come.