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Dear Heather,

Please include the following note with the agenda for the "Built And Natural Environment Committee" on Nov. 28th, 2011.

Thank you,

Shannon Kamins  
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Dear "Built and Natural Environment Committee" members:

Consent Item "UPDATE REGARDING WATER FLUORIDATION IN LONDON", agenda item 2 of 9 for closure is premature and inappropriate. There has not been a proper public consultation of this item to date and many questions posed to the City have not been answered.

My concerns on the safety of the products used (Hexafluorosilicic acid and Sodium silicofluoride) for water fluoridation are very high and there is no evidence that these products are safe.

Dan Huggins from the city water department has often been cited by the Middlesex-London Health Unit when questioned on the scientific and legal determination of safety of fluoridation products used is questioned. He is unable to provide any animal studies (toxicology studies) and human studies (randomized, controlled clinical trials). But claims that the city conforms to NSF/ANSI 60 standards, which upon further investigation also do not have any such safety studies.

From the above it is clear that the city has not done its due diligence on water fluoridation.

As elected representatives, it is necessary to do your due diligence and provide evidence of safety for hydrofluorosilicic acid or cease water fluoridation until such evidence is provided.

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