Portland City Council Members:

Your plan is to put 0.7ppm of toxic fluoride compounds in our water -- thereby dosing the water.

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1. While two years ago what was considered the "optimal dose" of 1ppm was lowered to a new "optimal dose" of 0.7ppm. When will you take seriously the FDA's non-approved fluoride and see there is no such thing as an optimal dose of fluoride ingestion? Furthermore, you are dosing the water, while you are in no way monitoring the dose that individuals receive. How do you rectify this? I find it unconscionable. What gives you the right to dose us as if we are a smear of people?

Q: How do you justify this dose for infants? Will you give infant warnings to caregivers? If not, you are adversely affecting the longterm health of these developing little bodies who are dependent on us to make healthy choices for them.

Q: How do you justify this dose for the increasing chemically sensitive population? How does one detox with toxified water?

Q: How do you justify this dose for people who drink large amounts of water, such as athletes, construction workers and active children?

Q: What of kidney dialysis patients? Cancer patients? Those with thyroid or other endocrine system difficulties? The elderly who, due to their age, have accumulated toxins.

2. Are you intending to test -- as a baseline -- the existing fluoride levels of children -- many already exhibiting excessive amount of fluoride by way of dental fluorosis? If not, why not? And if not, is it conscionable to be exposing them to more of this unapproved drug?

3. How are you going to address other already fluoridated areas such as TVWD and how do you intend to accommodate these systems? How do you know the "dose" is consistent all along the line?

4. People who already use fluoridated toothpaste and mouthwashes -- is topical and a choice, because people like me do not! Once you put these toxic compounds into our water, how do you know they won't be getting too much fluoride?

5. With the exception of Amanda and Dan, why is the City Council so unwilling to hear from and give equal time to the many of us whom know much more about this issue than the supposed experts and professionals you courted and who benefit from the use and sale of fluoride. Water fluoridation is big business. Public-private partnerships moving money around, lobbyists, special treatment for special interests -- are all marketing and promotion schemes that pushes these policies through in city after city, relentlessly. And now Portland?!

Our cultural mindset has been heavily and effectively promoted by the dental groups for over 60 years -- and at great expense of our time, our dollars and most concerning, our health. Gathering signatures has proven to be successful because whether or not the great people of Portland want fluoride toxins in their water, they especially don't like not having a greater voice in a supposed representative government.

If you truly believe these toxic chemicals added to our perfectly good water source are going to improve anything (except a few bank accounts), then let's all marvel at the emperor's beautiful clothes.

This policy is not only shameful. It's criminal!

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Questions regarding dosage of water fluoridation.

Request of Charlie White to address Council regarding dosage of water fluoridation (Communication)

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