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To: [Jennifer Alexander](#)
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Dear Mayor McNamara and Council,

I have many friends in the Tecumseh/St. Clair Beach area whose grandchildren are now experiencing dental caries, even to the point of needing restorations done in the hospital under sedation, when their own children had little to no decay because they grew up in the same area when there was fluoride in the water. Their grandchildren's dental problems are not over though as dental fillings need to be replaced with larger restorations and crowns, often requiring root canals, implants, and dentures.

A very tiny amount of fluoride in your community water supply will provide everyone with stronger teeth offering a lifetime of protection. Similar to other vitamin and mineral deficiencies, a fluoride deficiency weakens tooth enamel... given the correct amount, the tooth enamel becomes stronger and tooth decay is decreased significantly.....by as much as 60%, so instead of having 10 cavities, a person would only have 4.....it truly is one of the most successful public health measures known to mankind.

I implore you to vote in support of adding fluoride to your community's water supply.

Sincerely,
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