

MEMORANDUM

Date: June 18, 2014 (Update of June 11 version to add Speakers 3 through 8)

To: Members of the VCU Fluoride Commission – Tim Daly, Judith Harrington, Jon Schoer, Kevin Steele, Mark Thiros, Jennifer Waldo

From: Dave Bengs, Chair

CC: Steve Poulos; John Hardwick; Stu Walesh; Mike Langer; Shihua Chen; Times; Post Tribune; Gary Foreman; William Hirzy; Ed Charbonneau; Mary Woodworth; Peggy Busse; James R. Miller, MD; Douglas M. Bush; Terry G. Schechner, DDS; Linda S. Orgain; Hollis Russinof; Ed Popcheff; E. Angeles Martinez Mier, DDS, MSD, PhD; Jim Powers; Michelle Greenhalgh; Jean Caster; Ron Ziolkowski; Eileen Curosh; Isaac Zeckel; Christopher Gall; Robert Corns

Re: Agenda for Meeting 3 on Thursday, June 19, 2014 at 5:00 PM

Notes:

a) This meeting will be held at the City Hall.

b) The purpose of this Commission meeting is to provide an opportunity for individuals to **speak in favor of** the Valparaiso City Utilities Department of Water Works/City of Valparaiso, through its treatment and distribution of the public water supply, being the mechanism to provide fluoride to the general public via systemic fluoridation.

c) The purpose of the next Commission meeting (Wednesday, June 25, 5:00 PM, City Hall) is to provide an opportunity for individuals to **speak in opposition to** the Valparaiso City Utilities Department of Water Works/City of Valparaiso, through its treatment and distribution of the public water supply, being the mechanism to provide fluoride to the general public via systemic fluoridation.

1. **Welcome and Introduction of Commission Members** – Dave Bengs, Commission Chair
2. **Charge to the Commission** – Dave Bengs
3. **Purpose of this and the next meeting** – Dave Bengs
4. **Publicity about the two meetings** – Dave Bengs
5. **Protocol** – Dave Bengs
6. **Speaker 1: James R. Miller, DDS, MSD, PhD** – State Oral Health Director, Indiana State Department of Health

- 7. Speaker 2: E. Angeles Martinez Mier, DDS, MSD, PhD** – Preventive and Community Dentistry, Binational/Cross-Cultural Health Enhancement Center, Oral Health Research Institute, Indiana University School of Dentistry
- 8. Speaker 3: Terry G. Schechner, DDS** – Past President of the Indiana Dental Association; Pediatric Dentistry of Northwest Indiana, Valparaiso and Highland
- 9. Speaker 4: James R. Powers** – Manager, Water Fluoridation Program, Environmental Public Health, Indiana Department of Health
- 10. Speaker 5: Eileen Fitzgerald Curosh, RDH, BS** – Clinical Dental Hygienist, Member of the Board of the Indiana Dental Hygienists Association, Morfas Family Dentistry, Dyer, IN
- 11. Speaker 6: Christopher W. Gall, DDS** – President of the Northwest Indiana Dental Society, Griffith, IN
- 12. Speaker 7: Isaac N. Zeckel, DDS** – Valparaiso, IN
- 13. Speaker 8: Robert A. Corns, DDS** – Endodontist, Endodontics, Inc., Valparaiso, IN
- 14. Other possible scheduled speakers**
- 15. Citizen questions/comments**
- 16. Closing comments** – Dave Bengs
- 16. Adjourn** – Dave Bengs