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Sent: Friday, 9 November 2012 1:28 PM  
To: Finance and Administration Committee  
Subject: fluoride submission re Water Fluoriation Act 2008

## To Whom it may Concern

### Amendment of Water Fluoriation Act 2008

I would just like to lodge my 'NO VOTE' for the addition of fluoride to the water supply in the Bundaberg Regional Council area and thus an exemption sought for fluoridation of this relevant water supply.

I have suffered psoriasis and dermatitis very badly for the last 9 years and find there are a lot of things that irritate and flareup these skin conditions. I am at present managing these problems but am not and never will be completely clear of the conditions.

I feel the addition of fluoride in our water supply would be just another problem to contend with and I, as probably many more people, may have to suffer with if they have allergies or complaints that this could effect.

The biggest percentage of water is used on gardens or other such uses and therefore would be a lost cause. **Probably the people you are trying to save do not even drink water** and therefore would not even get the benefit for such a high cost of the installation of infrastructure and it's continued ongoing cost to run this project.

I am 69 years of age and still have my own teeth. I could probably live with a set of false teeth, but I could not live without my skin though. It is just as expensive medical wise to try to control my conditions as it is to go to the dentist or take care of your teeth along your journey of life.

People have to take responsibility for their own health/life and not expect the Government or other residences of this country to subsidise to all their whims.

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