CBJ FLUORIDE STUDY COMMISSION

CBJ Fluoride Study Commission Created.

There is created within the City and Borough of Juneau a Fluoride Study Commission to be composed initially of at least seven, but no more than eleven, members appointed by the Mayor to serve for six months.

Purpose.

The purpose of the commission is:

1. To research and evaluate the scientific literature regarding the use of fluoride in municipal drinking water.

2. To research and evaluate the process used by other municipalities in making decisions regarding fluoridation of municipal drinking water.

3. To perform a cost/benefit and risk analysis regarding the use of fluoride in municipal drinking water.

4. To make recommendations to the Mayor, City Manager, and Assembly, regarding the use of fluoride in CBJ drinking water.

The commission shall submit a report on its activities and its recommendations to the Mayor and Assembly on or before November 1, 2004.

Meetings, Officers, Records, and Quorum.

The commission shall hold regular meetings at least once each month. All meetings shall be open to the public and advertised through the Municipal Clerk’s office.

The Mayor shall appoint the commission chair and vice-chair.

The commission shall follow the procedures used by the Assembly and other CBJ boards and commissions for transaction of its business, as interpreted by the City Attorney as necessary. The commission shall keep a record of its meetings, resolutions, transactions, findings, and determinations, which shall filed with the Municipal Clerk and be open to public inspection at reasonable times.

A majority of the appointed membership of the commission shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.