

SUBJECT: Fluoridation of Water

PREPARED BY: Administration

DATE: December 1, 1999

FOR AGENDA OF: December 13, 1999

SUMMARY:

This proposed advisory ballot question is brought forward for Council consideration based on Council's request for information on fluoridating city water.

Public Works is investigating the cost of fluoride injection into the city water supply. Preliminary findings indicate the cost of the injection system is under \$5,000. The major cost will be construction of an outbuilding at the well site separate from the chlorine system. The total cost including this building should be under \$20,000.

The operation and maintenance costs for a fluoride system is being investigated as well. A meeting with the City of Palmer is arranged to discuss O & M costs for their system.

(Please see additional fluoride information provided you by members of the Dental Society at your last Council meeting.)

FISCAL IMPACT: X No X Yes, amount requested: \$

(eventually)

Fund:

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Council consideration.

Sarah Palin
Reviewed by: SARAH PALIN, Mayor

Presented to Council
Date: 12/13/99
verified by: SK
failed to be introduced w/ Ord 00-01