

SUBMISSION – DIRK JEEBE

ITEM 1 - REPORT OF THE STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON WATER, WASTE AND ENVIRONMENT DATED OCTOBER 30, 2023 - ADVANCED WATER METERING SOLUTION BUSINESS CASE

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Committee - council: N/A

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Agenda item (number and title): REPORT OF THE STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON WATER, WASTE AND ENVIRONMENT DATED OCTOBER 30, 2023 Advanced Water Metering Solution Business Case

Service inquiry: Submit Comments in writing

Participation preference: N/A

Comments in writing: I am opposed to this passing of this motion!

-I ask for the Council to defer the vote until there is a full public consultation on this \$ 135 million project which would include the opportunity to examine and comment on the Diameter Services report mentioned in the public service report. This is the report the public service will likely use to "guide" the implementation of the Advanced Metering Infrastructure -AMI (2 way microwave transmitters) Note: one feature is that your water supply can be turned off remotely. Also, this system is more vulnerable to hacking.

The potential for adverse health effects has not been studied by Health Canada although there have been many reports of harm from exposures to emissions from wireless smart meters

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Public engagement preference: Yes

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Regards,

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