



July 11, 2017

Portland Utility Board
c/o City Budget Office
Attn: Melissa Merrell
1120 SW 5th Ave., Room 1300
Portland, OR 97204-1912

Dear PUB Members:

I submitted a bibliography of documentation of infectious *Cryptosporidium parvum* detected in the Bull Run surface source water in the watershed, Portland's waterborne giardiasis outbreak of October 1954-March 1955 centered around what is now OH & SU, and the effect of ultraviolet light on infectious *Cryptosporidium parvum* from the Bull Run watershed.

Since the Oregon Health Authority is revoking the Portland Water Bureau's variance for treating Bull Run surface source water for *Cryptosporidium parvum*, by August 11, 2017 or September 22, 2017, once they sign a compliance schedule and interim control measures agreement with the Portland Water Bureau, then there is no option for the Portland Water Bureau but to move forward and fully comply with LT2ESWTR.

Much time, energy, and money wasted on delaying stall tactics between May 29, 2002 and the end of 2015 at the behest of a few Portland residents, just for the sake of fighting against the 1996 amendment to the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974 and LT2ESWTR. The Portland Water Bureau and the City Council must move forward quickly toward full compliance with LT2ESWTR.

I support the Portland Water Bureau's proposed idea to build an ultraviolet light treatment plant within the next five years in the Bull Run watershed and set aside monies in the ratepayer's stabilization fund yearly to construct a direct filtration plant at Lusted Hill in the future.

Sincerely,

Kathryn M. Notson