

Board of Health - My comments for 2011.HL1.6 on January 6, 2011 Board of Health

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To the City Clerk:

Please add my comments to the agenda for the January 6, 2011 Board of Health meeting on item 2011.HL1.6, 2011 Budget Request for Strengthening Student Nutrition Programs in Toronto: Year Two of a Five-Year Plan

I understand that my comments and the personal information in this email will form part of the public record and that my name will be listed as a correspondent on agendas and minutes of City Council or its committees. Also, I understand that agendas and minutes are posted online and my name may be indexed by search engines like Google.

Comments:

The responsibility for strengthening a student's personal nutrition is first and foremost the direct responsibility of the parent of said students and Secondly each individual student.

It is not the responsibility of the taxpaying public but rather that of the parent and student.

This program should not be allowed to continue to grow at taxpayers' expense as the direct responsibility for the health and nutrition needs of all children and youth under our civil and criminal law is that of the parents not the non parent taxpayers within the community.

This item should be deferred until such time as the Members have in front of them a detailed and full status update for the previous two years of this program.

Warmest regards,

Peter Clarke