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**Subject:** FW: Email - Communication - Joel Van Impe - Environmental Health Business Line Information - CK 430-72 x 1700-1  
**Attachments:** Letter for August 15 Meeting.docx

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**From:** Web NoReply <[web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:web-noreply@Saskatoon.ca)>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 14, 2023 3:17 PM  
**To:** City Council <[City.Council@Saskatoon.ca](mailto:City.Council@Saskatoon.ca)>  
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Submitted on Monday, August 14, 2023 - 15:16

Submitted by user: [REDACTED]

Submitted values are:

**I have read and understand the above statements.:** Yes

**I do not want my comments placed on a public agenda. They will be shared with members of Council through their online repository.:** No

**I only want my comments shared with the Mayor or my Ward Councillor.:** No

**Date:** Monday, August 14, 2023

**To:** His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

**Pronouns:** He/him/his

**First Name:** Joel

**Last Name:** Van Impe

**Email:** [REDACTED]

**Address:** [REDACTED] Willowgrove Lane

**City:** Saskatoon

**Province:** Saskatchewan

**Postal Code:** [REDACTED]

**What do you wish to do ?:** Submit Comments

**What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments ? (if known)::** August 15, 2023

**What agenda item do you wish to comment on?: 4.2.1**

**Comments:**

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**Will you be submitting a video to be vetted prior to council meeting?: No**

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