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# Memo

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Director of Health & Social Services

CC: William Callion, Director of PSH&W  
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**RE: Contaminated Wells**

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Laboratory tests of well water samples recently collected from residences in the vicinity of Scofieldtown Park reveal elevated levels of dieldrin and chlordane. Elevated levels of these chemicals negatively impact the quality of the drinking water. Haviland Road, Sky Meadow Drive, and a portion of High Ridge Road are located in close proximity to homes with wells contaminated with dieldrin and chlordane. In an effort to protect the health and safety of the residents of the homes on these streets, the residences should be connected to the City public water system as soon as possible.

I recommend that the homes on Haviland Road, Sky Meadow Drive, and a portion of High Ridge Road be connected to the public water supply by the extension of water mains.