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Dear Alan,

I hope that this letter finds you in good health and spirits. I was given a copy of your recent letter to Jan and the accompanying report. I think that your comments on our weaknesses around the water and your analysis of the report are right on target. In this context, I have the following proposal to make.

For the next several months, CEML will be concentrating on getting the water source for Marion changed. We have a collection of activities tentatively planned and will be able to send you a detailed description of these activities in a couple of weeks, as soon as they are approved by the relevant people. Our main pieces of lit in this campaign are Tim's article on health issues at Marion, the piece that the Progressive ran, and the water petition. (I am enclosing all three in case you don't have copies of them.) I think that it would be great if you or you and Dick would write up a current analysis of the water situation, along the lines of your letter to Jan but hopefully with more details, if they could be found. CEML would then be able to use such a document as a central part of our propaganda during the upcoming campaign, and beyond that if necessary.

Tim's article has been invaluable in bringing the truth to the people who will listen. If you are able to write something about the same length and in the same popular manner, that would great. How does this sound to you? I know how busy you must be, so please don't feel bad if you have to say no. Needless to say, if you do say yes, then we will need the piece ASAP since we are just about to slide into the campaign.

Please take good care and give my regards to all.

For Freedom,

Steve