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MEMORANDUM

To: All CUPE Locals
FROM: Waterloo Regional Health Coalition
Date: March 20, 2023
RE: THE ONTARIO HEALTH COALITION – Referendum on Privatization

The Ontario Health Coalition is holding a referendum on the question of privatization on Friday May 26 and Saturday May 27.

Right now, we are looking for locations to hold the vote for the public and your members. The privatization issue is really a hot issue in Waterloo Region since many documented cases of people being overcharged for mapping of their eyes, upgraded lens, and reviews by the Waterloo Health Services, is raising many eyebrows.

The local Waterloo Region Health Coalition, chair Jim Stewart has asked me to coordinate the local vote by finding suitable locations for conducting the vote on the two days in May.

We provide the ballots, the ballot box, and any other voting materials. My request is to secure a local location so the public and your members can be encouraged to vote.

Leaflets, voting locations, and other advertising is produced by the Ontario Health Coalition. You can supply the two people to conduct the vote, or I can provide two willing volunteers at the location.

The press release will be held April 18, so I need all local locations secured by then. All I need now is permission to use a facility to conduct the vote.

Please reply to c_hertzberg@hotmail.com .

Regards,
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