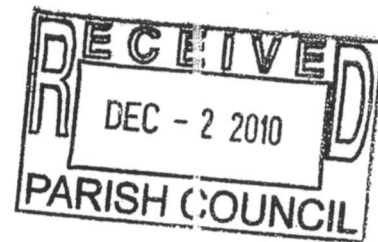




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Mr. Paul J. Hogan, PE
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Dear Mr. Hogan:

Your letter dated November 24, 2010, addressed to Attorney General James D. Caldwell, requesting an opinion of this office was received. The Attorney General's policy requires that before an opinion request by an individual officer of a local governing authority may be processed, the request and the specific question must first be presented to the governing body for approval and a copy of the minutes of the governing body showing that the request and question was presented be attached to your request.

Very truly yours,

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