Citizen’s Handbook Assignment

One of the Required Assignments for this course is a Citizen’s Handbook.

**Handbook Entries**

Throughout the term you will be asked to comment on and reflect on a variety of topics/issues pertaining to the course. There will be 8 topics chosen and they will be compiled to complete this assignment. These entries are designed to help you identify your current opinion on issues and also to help you see other people’s opinions on the same issue. You may even find that after looking at the issue in class and researching it with time provided and at home, that your opinions may in fact change. Try to account for opinions that may be counter to yours and rationalize why you believe, what you do. Often these issues will be related to how governing bodies such as Boards of Education, Provincial, Municipal and Federal Governments and so on, make decisions that affect all of us and if you were in that position, what decision would you make and why.

I expect that you research each response BEFORE writing them out. Your first entry will be handed in separately, so that I can give you feedback. Please resubmit it with the final assignment with any changes.

**Entry Length**:

Each entry should be at least 3/4 of a page long and some with be a full page long. You should use 12 pt font, and double spaced.

**Title Page:**

The assignment requires a title page which is colourful and properly introduces the entries that we have completed this term. Remember, all proper title pages should also include the following:

1. The name of the assignment.

2. Your name.

3. The Course Code

4. The Teacher’s name.

5. The Due Date/date handed in.

**Marking:** Please see the Rubric attached.

**Entries for 2017**

1. There is Something About Earl \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Pet Laws and Liability Act \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Fighting in Hockey \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. Snow Tires in Ontario\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. Arrest Procedures, and Search Warrants \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. Funding of Professional Sports Arenas by Governments \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. Canada. Do we have a National Identity? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. Syrian Refugees\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
9. Legal Drinking Age BonusTopic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (we may change one of the topics above)

**Due Date:** Tuesday Oct. 31, 2017