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I have been meaning to raise this for a while: the water quality in my building has been inconsistent for nearly thirty years. The smell of chlorine is strongest in the early morning, and it lingers on my hands after washing dishes. The water runs cloudy for a few minutes after heavy rain, and the haze takes a while to settle in a glass. Dishes come out of the dishwasher with a film on them no matter which detergent we use. Nitrate levels from nearby farm runoff are a worry, especially for households with infants. I would like to see regular testing for manganese and iron, since they seem to cause most of our staining. Our family doctor asked whether we drink from the tap, which made me realize this is a real health question. Storage tanks should be inspected and cleaned on a regular schedule, with the results shared with the public. Independent third-party testing, at least once a year, would build much more trust in the numbers. Clear explanations of what each limit means and how close our results come to it would help enormously. I requested a copy of our latest water quality report and found it full of jargon that no ordinary resident can interpret. Affordable access to safe water ought to be treated as a basic public service, not a luxury. I installed a reverse osmosis system under the sink, but I resent paying for a fix that the utility should have handled. Our local library hosted a talk about water safety, and it was packed, which shows how much people care. Clean, safe, and good-tasting water is a reasonable expectation, and I hope we can meet it soon.