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I am not an expert, but as an ordinary user of our community water supply I have a number of observations to share.

My dog sniffs at the water bowl and walks away when I fill it from the tap, which tells me something is off.

I once filled a clear glass and found tiny particles floating in it, which really worried me.

News about PFAS, the so-called forever chemicals, has made me wonder what is actually in our water.

Arsenic and other naturally occurring minerals concern me because I depend on the water coming out of our taps.

I have watched crews dig up the same street three times in seven years, and each repair seems to stir up the water again.

Many of the water mains in the downtown district are more than seventy years old and break far too often.

Treatment plant upgrades have been delayed repeatedly, and residents are left to cope with the consequences.

Residents deserve to see trends over many years, not only a single snapshot of the current results.

Clear explanations of what each limit means and how close our results come to it would help enormously.

I would welcome volunteer citizen sampling programs that work together with the utility and local scientists.

We spend more than I would like on bottled water and filter cartridges every month.

Clean, safe, and good-tasting water is a reasonable expectation, and I hope we can meet it soon.