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Please accept this comment about water quality; I have been collecting notes on it for twenty years.

The water often has a noticeable chlorine smell on some days but not others, which makes it unpleasant to drink straight from the tap.

Dishes come out of the dishwasher with a film on them no matter which detergent we use.

The water in our toilet tank has a visible layer of grit that I have to scrub out regularly.

I have sensitive skin, and my dermatologist suggested that the chlorine and hardness may be contributing.

Our family doctor asked whether we drink from the tap, which made me realize this is a real health question.

Stormwater and sewer overflows near the intake worry me, and I would like to see separation projects accelerated.

The boil-water notice last year arrived after we had already been drinking the water for nearly a day.

Affordable access to safe water ought to be treated as a basic public service, not a luxury.

A whole-house filtration system quoted at several thousand dollars is out of reach for most people around me.

Our local library hosted a talk about water safety, and it was packed, which shows how much people care.

I look forward to seeing a clear timeline and measurable targets for better water quality.