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I have been meaning to raise this for a while: the water quality in our apartment complex has been inconsistent for seven years.
The smell of chlorine is strongest in the early morning, and it lingers on my hands after washing dishes.
I have stopped cooking rice and pasta with tap water because the flavor of the food changes.
I worry about microplastics and pharmaceutical traces that standard treatment may not remove.
News about PFAS, the so-called forever chemicals, has made me wonder what is actually in our water.
Chlorine is necessary, but I think the amount used every spring is higher than it needs to be.
I have watched crews dig up the same street three times in fifteen years, and each repair seems to stir up the water again.
Clear explanations of what each limit means and how close our results come to it would help enormously.
The boil-water notice last year arrived after we had already been drinking the water for nearly a day.
When a violation occurs, notifications must reach residents immediately by text, phone, and mail, not days later.
A whole-house filtration system quoted at several thousand dollars is out of reach for most people around me.
I would be glad to help organize a neighborhood meeting with the utility to discuss water quality concerns.
I am willing to participate in any pilot program, survey, or focus group related to water quality.