



"RE-BUILDING THE CITY'S WATER SYSTEMS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY"

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Odor In City's Drinking Water

The Sewerage and Water Board is aware of the slightly unusual odor present in the city's drinking water. Water quality testing performed by our laboratory indicates that the drinking water is safe to drink and that it meets or exceeds all EPA and LA-DHH water quality requirements.

During this time of the year it is not unusual to experience taste and odor issues related to algae from the Mississippi River and some people are more sensitive to these types of events than others. We will continue to monitor the situation.

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