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Electrical Problem Causes Water Pressure to Drop

Several areas on the East Bank of New Orleans experienced lower-than normal water pressure last night as a result of a problem at the electrical generating plant at the East Bank Water Treatment Plant.

The problem has been identified as the failure of the generator connected to Turbine No. 3.

According to Marcia St. Martin, Executive Director, "efforts were immediately undertaken to correct the problem, and because of the quick action, training and expertise of employees, water pressure has been restored to normal."