

# Water Forum Part 1

02 - 03 May 2022

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- Does bottled water have to meet the same water quality standards as tap water in Portsmouth?
- Which contaminant(s) are you particularly concerned about? Check all that apply
- Where do you get information about local drinking water quality?

## Are you a City of Portsmouth Water Customer

0 2 3

Yes



No



**What beverage do you drink the most every day? (pick one)**  
(1/2)

0 2 3

Coffee



Tea



Soda



Bottled Water



Tap Water



**What beverage do you drink the most every day? (pick one)**  
(2/2)

0 2 3

Juice

0 %

Other

0 %

## Do you drink water from the tap?

0 2 2

Never

5 %

Sometimes

41 %

Always

55 %

## Do you filter your tap water

0 2 2

No



Yes - Carafe filter (Brita-like)



Yes - Refrigerator filter



Yes - Under sink filter



Yes - Whole house filter



**Does Portsmouth's water system have to test the water?**

0 2 3

Yes



No



Not Sure





**Does bottled water have to meet the same water quality standards as tap water in Portsmouth?**

0 2 3

Yes



No



Don't know



**Which contaminant(s) are you particularly concerned about? Check all that apply**  
(1/2)

0 2 3

Arsenic



Bacteria



Lead



PFAS



Radon



**Which contaminant(s) are you particularly concerned about? Check all that apply**  
(2/2)

0 2 3

Other



# Where do you get information about local drinking water quality?

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# Water Forum Part 2

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Poll results

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- Did you learn new information about Portsmouth's drinking water today?
- Will you take new steps to filter or test your water after what you have learned tonight?
- Will you take new steps to conserve water and/or protect drinking water sources?
- Do you feel more confident about the City's drinking water after tonight?
- Did you find this forum useful?
- Would you like to attend additional meetings in the future on drinking water or environmental topics that pertain to the city?

**Did you learn new information about Portsmouth's drinking water today?**

0 2 0

Yes



100 %

No



0 %

## Will you take new steps to filter or test your water after what you have learned tonight?

0 2 0

Yes - filter



Yes - do additional testing



No





## Will you take new steps to conserve water and/or protect drinking water sources?

0 2 1

Yes - will consider the city's rebates when I purchase new appliances



Yes - I will participate in household hazardous waste day events



No, I'm already doing these steps



No



# Do you feel more confident about the City's drinking water after tonight?

0 2 0

Yes



Somewhat



No



## Did you find this forum useful?

0 1 9

Some

5 %

Yes

95 %

No

0 %

**Would you like to attend additional meetings in the future on drinking water or environmental topics that pertain to the city?**

0 2 0

Yes



No



Maybe

