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Mandatory Water Restriction Issued for the City of Petersburg

Water main break causing shortage in the City of Petersburg

(Petersburg, Virginia) – October 31, 2016. Due to a major water main break in the Battersesa area, Petersburg Interim City Manager Tom Tyrrell, has issued a mandatory restriction of water consumption for utility customers in the City of Petersburg. Customers are asked to restrict water usage to those purposes that maintain the public health, safety and welfare of human and animal life. Utility customers shall prohibit using water for purposes such as watering lawns and/or landscapes, non-commercial car washing, filling swimming pools etc. This mandatory restriction is in effect for at least the next 24 hours or until crews can repair the water main. The City will provide an update once this restriction has been lifted.

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