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Resident and Corporate neighbor:

You may have seen recent news reports regarding cybersecurity incidents affecting the water systems across our country. It is confirmed that 12 States were impacted and two municipal water districts in NJ were briefly impacted.

We want to reassure our residents that these incidents have no impact whatsoever on the water supply in Englewood Cliffs.

Like most communities in Bergen County, Englewood Cliffs receives its drinking water through **Veolia (formerly SUEZ)**, a large regional water utility. The two municipalities affected by these incidents operate small, independent municipal water systems.

According to the New Jersey Cybersecurity and Communications Integration Cell (NJCCIC), the incidents involved internet-exposed control systems. In both cases, utility personnel immediately transitioned to manual operations. There was no interruption in water service or compromise to the safety of the drinking water. Affected systems have since implemented enhanced security measures. The water utilities throughout New Jersey continue to strengthen cybersecurity protections.

At this time, **there is no threat to the Englewood Cliffs water supply**, and residents can remain confident in the safety and reliability of our drinking water.

As always, the Borough will continue to monitor information from our state and federal partners and will promptly share any information that may affect our community.

James C. Tracy
Acting Chief of Police
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