

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my dismay and disgust with the proposed water rate increase for Litchfield residents. We have always paid a high price for water. The first water bill we received when we moved to our house 13 years ago caused me to call Pennichuck with concerns that there must be a leak causing the bill to be so high. I was mistaken, our water rate was just abnormally high and it has continued to increase.

In addition to extraordinarily high rates, we often have miserable water conditions. We have a house water filter which needs frequent changes, and then another filter on the fridge to ensure that the water is drinkable.

The idea they I should pay an additional 20% for sub par water is infuriating.

At a time when so many of my neighbors are struggling financially due to the pandemic, I can't fathom why they would even propose such an increase. Please don't allow this rate hike.

Sincerely,  
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