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## Water Quality Statement

FORT BELVOIR, Va. – A recent report, stating that a Woodlawn Village sample of tap water allegedly contained bacteria created concern for both Fort Belvoir and American Water, the installation's water supplier. Fort Belvoir takes the responsibility of providing safe drinking water to the community seriously. In light of this responsibility, American Water tested our drinking water and found that all samples indicated there is no issue or concern with water mains to houses. Fort Belvoir purchases wholesale from Fairfax Water and does not treat its drinking water. American Water routinely tests the water in the distribution system, and as recently as Sunday, confirmed sufficient chlorine levels to meet all Federal and State disinfection requirements.

According to American Water, it received no guidance from the Virginia Department of Health for action and it has gone above and beyond regulatory and compliance perspectives.

For questions or concerns, please call the Fort Belvoir Housing Office at 703-805-3018.

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