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# Water Supply Update Serving the Community of Millbury

#### Weather Trends

Precipitation for January was 2.27 inches, which is 1.24 inches below the 10-year average precipitation for the month of January. February was also slightly below average at 3.17 inches.





### Water Supply and Demand

Water demands through the months of January and February were normal for this time of year. The average amount of water delivered to our system to meet demands in January was 1.47 million gallons per day (MGD) and 1.42 MGD in February.



# Recent and Upcoming Water Main Upgrades

Aquarion crews have been busy upgrading water mains serving local customers. It's all part of our ongoing program of distribution system improvements needed to reduce water main breaks that can interrupt service.

Though this work can briefly disrupt water service, such as when we make connections to individual customers, in the long run the disruption (and the investment) is well worth it due to the improved service and reliability that result. Projects include:

- Elmwood Street Paving will be finished in spring 2021.
- Captain Peter Simpson Road and Aldrich Avenue Designs and bids are complete. The project will begin this spring in coordination with the Millbury DPW paving plan.

## Millbury New Water Source Investigation

We are evaluating the Jacques wellfield for a new source of supply as well as a site on McCracken Road. A new source will help ensure an adequate water supply for future growth in the Town of Milbury.

## **Community Involvement and Donations**

We recently donated to the Millbury Town Hall food drive, the Millbury Firefighters Relief Association, and we will be sponsoring a team in the Millbury Girls Softball League this spring.









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