

# New water system

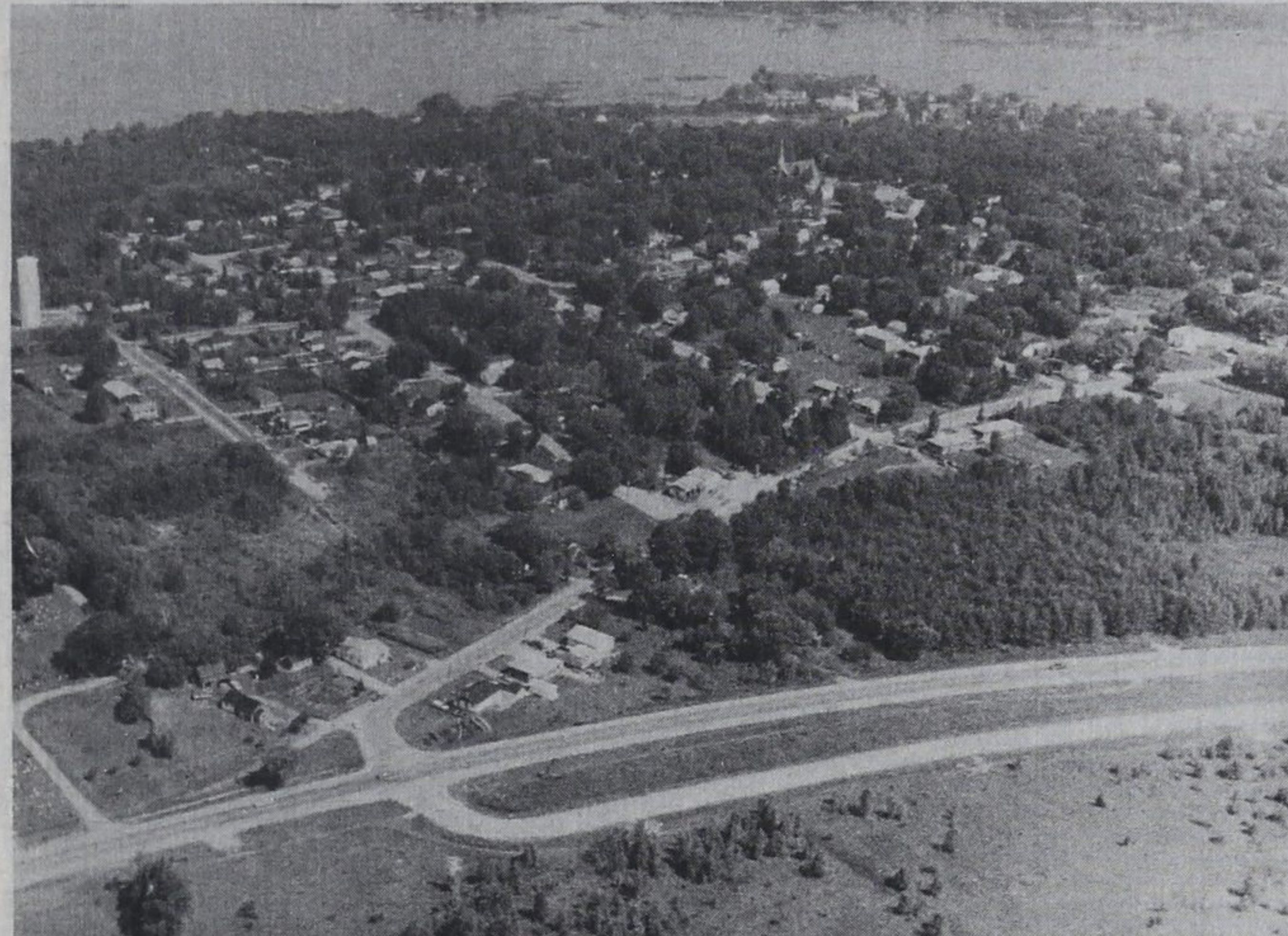
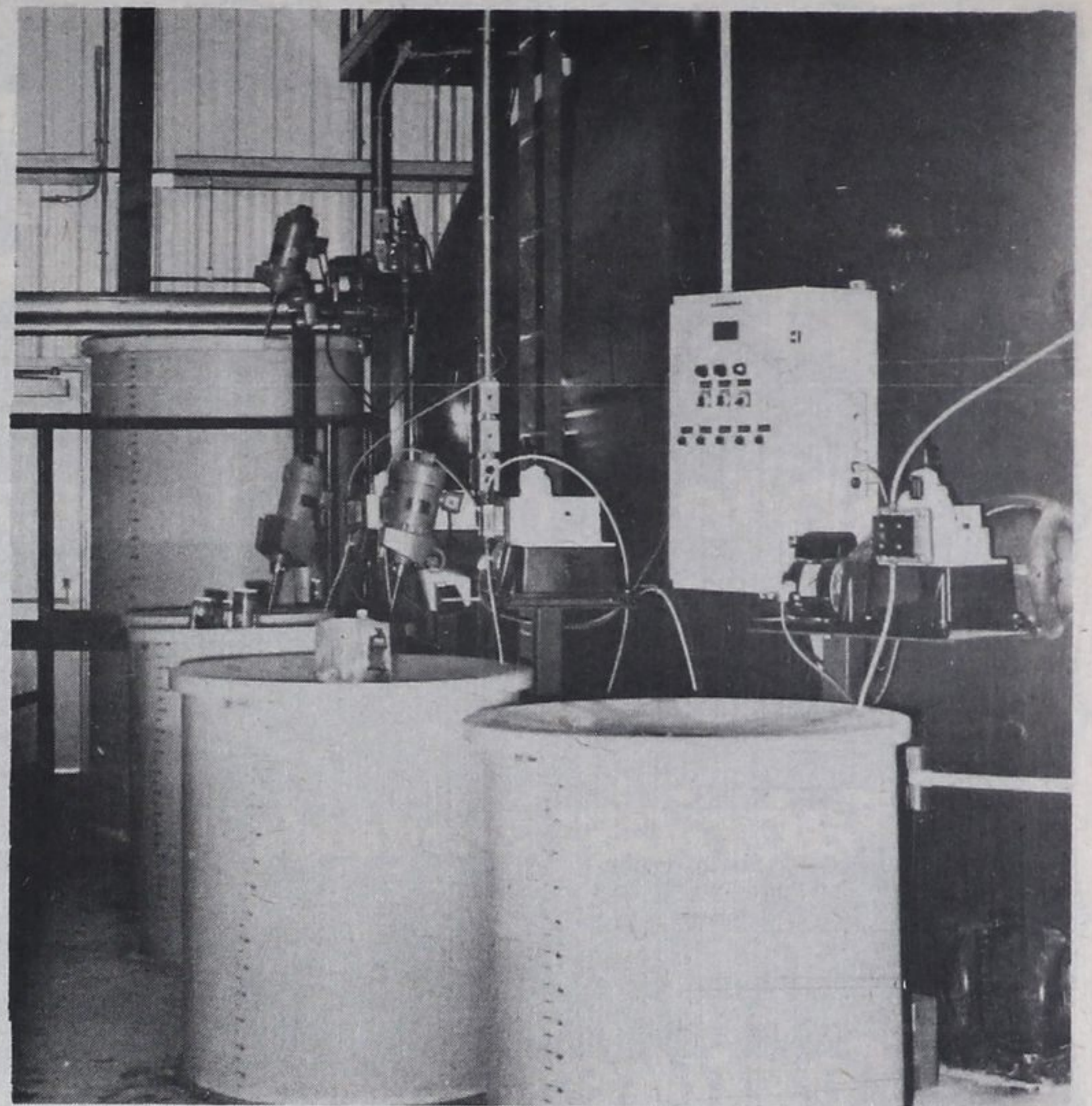
The community of Waubaushene in Tay Township is now enjoying the benefits of a new water system that has replaced an antiquated system originally installed many years ago by a lumbering company.

The five year long project commenced at a special meeting held at the Tay Township offices on April 28, 1977.

A large delegation of Waubaushene ratepayers, Tay Township council and representatives from the Ministry of the

Environment decided at that time that the need for a new water system was long overdue in so much as the old system had been patched and "bandaged" many times, the quality of the water was rapidly deteriorating and pressure was dropping off.

It was said that a person could turn the taps on in the bathtub, drive to Coldwater and back before there would be enough water in the tub to take a bath.



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## They saw the need and acted

With the April '77 decision to go ahead with construction of a new water treatment and distribution system made, a chain of events was set into motion to bring the new system into reality.

Meeting after meeting was held by council. Trips to Toronto were made to meet with government officials.

It was finally agreed between Tay Township and Ministry of the Environment officials that the new system would be built, owned and maintained by the ministry.

In August '78, a change in government policy occurred, dropping the

whole issue back in Tay's lap. The Ministry would no longer be undertaking such projects and it would be up to Tay Township to be responsible for the undertaking on its own.

It was now up to Tay Township to start from scratch.

With the project now resting firmly on Township Council's shoulders, the first priority was to hire an engineering firm to design the system.

The task went to Reid and Associates of Barrie.

*It was our pleasure to install the Water Supply facilities in the Tay Township Waubaushene Waterworks Project*

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We were pleased to act as Project Engineers in the installation of the Tiny-Waubushene Waterworks Project

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*We are pleased to have contributed to the new Waterworks system by designing and building the new standpipe reservoir*

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