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"The Standard Practice of the Fairhaven Water Department"

As the facility upgrades have been constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications and are in compliance with the State's regulations, guidance, and policies and as the facilities and equipment to be placed into service are fully operational, tested, and ready to be placed on-line, Monday, September 25, 2025, the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District received the official approval from the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection to move forward with using the newly installed filter technology as the means of water treatment.

Now that the new technology is treating the water and the results yielded have demonstrated the greatest percent of iron and manganese removal the plant has ever achieved, the water department will be adding small amounts of chlorine to the distribution system, as part of the flushing and scouring process, conducted to remove any remaining existing sediment. This work is scheduled to take place at the month's end, and as always notices will go out,

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