

Water Industry

Water is an essential part of everyday human life. Unfortunately, it is taken for granted by many people around the world and even in my community. The water industry plays a crucial role in ensuring that communities have access to clean and safe drinking water every day. Without it, the rural areas would not have access to better quality water, as they would have to use private wells.

It is easy for people to take advantage of water when they do not understand the extent of how much work goes into making sure it is ample and reliable. The water industry makes certain the water that we do have access to is clean in order to prevent any diseases that were present in it before. The water treatment that is done ensures that the water is disinfected and clarified. By going through many treatments, it then becomes safe to consume.

One thing that is important to take into consideration is how it affects agriculture. Without the help of the water industry in making the water of consistent quality, farmers and livestock producers would not be able to rely on it to use for crops and/or animals. In addition, lacking filtered water will result in food shortages, because without water, crops are unable to grow and livestock are not able to imbibe.

Not only does the water industry help drastically with purified water and agriculture, but it is also notably useful for economic growth. Many businesses depend on the quality water that is being produced from water industries such as the North Dakota Rural Water System Association. Consistent and dependable water is essential to supporting economics such as our own and helps to stabilize our populations and increase property values.

Affordable water all around North Dakota makes everyday jobs like cleaning, drinking, and cooking sustainable, not only for the present, but the future generations as well. Furthermore,

firefighters are also in dire need of sufficient amounts of water. Without it, they would not be able to complete their jobs to the fullest of their ability. If it wasn't for the water industry, our daily lives would be changed significantly.

In conclusion, the water industry plays a vital role in maintaining the health of our society. By providing clean drinking water, our agriculture, businesses, and economy are all protected. Without reliable water industries, the water would be unsafe to drink causing many health risks. Recognizing these reasons is important in order to continue supporting our own rural water industries.