

## **Fluoridation**

Fluoridation of water supplies has been a debated issue for many years. In the 1950's and 60's there was a push to add fluoride to public water supplies across the country. New Jersey made the choice optional for each municipality. At some point early in the Mount Laurel MUA's existence, the matter was brought to Mount Laurel referendum. The vote, fluoridate the municipal water supply in Mount Laurel. As such, the MUA continues to fluoridate our water supply today. Fluoride dosage varies somewhat throughout the year due to water sources and demand; however we continue to maintain an average fluoride level of 0.8 ppm (optimal dosage recommended by dentists and physicians) within the water supply system.