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TAP WATER Vs BOTTLED WATER

WHY BUY BOTTLED WATER, WHEN YOU CAN GET IT FROM THE TAP?

SOME FACTS AS TO WHY TAP WATER IS THE BEST OPTION:

- ✚ Australians spend more than half a billion dollars/year on bottled water (Culligan)
- ✚ Tap water cost- \$0.80/1000L = \$0.0005/600ML (approx RWCC cost)
- ✚ Bottled water cost- \$2/600ML = \$170/1000L (approx cost)
- ✚ No bottle to dispose of to landfill or recycling
- ✚ 200ml of oil is used to make, package, transport and chill a bottle of water (DECC)
- ✚ Producing and delivering a plastic bottle emits many times more greenhouse gases than 1 litre of water
- ✚ Added fluoride to control tooth decay
- ✚ Monitored chlorination to kill bacteria



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