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FACT plans water plant tour

For those interested in how they receive their water, a tour of Westerville's Water Treatment Plant will be held Saturday, Jan. 12.

Sponsored by Friends of Alum Creek & Tributaries (FACT), the free tour will let visitors see first hand how Alum Creek river water is processed for public consumption.

Westerville is unique in Central Ohio because it is one of the few municipalities that operates its own Water Division.

The City's Water Treatment Plant is in operation 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, and processes 7.5 million gallons a day. More than 15,000 homes and businesses rely on the service.

Water quality from the plant not only meets all water quality regulations, but has received the Outstanding Public Water System award from the Ohio EPA.

A tour of Westerville's Water Treatment Plant will be held from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Jan. 12 at 312 W. Main St. The plant's entrance is at Collegeview Road, behind the COTA Park & Ride Lot. Visitors should meet in the office.

To RSVP or find out more information, contact Kimberly Williams, FACT watershed coordinator, at kwilliams@friendsofalumcreek.org or 614-409-0511.

For additional information about FACT activities and watershed environmental volunteer efforts, visit friendsofalumcreek.org.
