

Group 2: Kitigan Zibi, Quebec (Answer Key)

<https://globalnews.ca/news/202424/when-clean-water-is-a-luxury/>
<https://www.thestar.com/news/canada/2018/08/03/what-if-ottawa-spends-2b-on-water-for-first-nations-and-it-still-isnt-safe-for-everyone-to-drink.html>

1. What is wrong with their drinking water? **Uranium in the wells**
2. How long has their drinking water been unsafe to consume? **1999**
3. How has the government tried to solve this problem? **Bottled water trucked in.**
4. What is the tap water like in the town 10km away from the reserve? **Fine.**
5. How successful was the water purification system built in 2011? **Less than Half of the homes have clean water**
6. Has this problem been resolved? **No**
 - a. Why? **The government fixed “public” water system and says the wells are outside of their jurisdiction**
7. What does Minister Jane Philpott think is the main problem in getting this resolved? **The funding formula**