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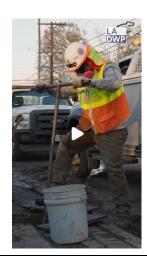






LADWP on Instagram: "LADWP remains committed to providing safe and reliable water and power and ACCURATE information about its water system to keep customers informed and assured. Link in bio."

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LADWP on Instagram: "Our crews have fanned out across the Palisades area to restore water pressure. They must first manually shut off services destroyed by fire to restore system pressure by fixing system leaks and closing hydrants that were left open. Over 4,200 residential/commercial connections have been shut off. This requires multiple steps at various elevations to charge the pipes with water, identify leaks, and then repair/cap services. Over 2000 remain. Once enough repairs are made, pressure will be strong enough to refill the tanks with water from LADWP and other regional sources coming in through our large pipes."

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CBS News Confirmed on Instagram: "As the California fires continue to spread, misinformation about the disaster has also spread online. This includes confusion surrounding why water hydrants ran dry for several hours during the firefighting efforts in the Palisades early last week. @cbsnewsconfirmed breaks down how these fire hydrants work and how extreme demand caused them to run empty."

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LADWP on Instagram: "Cal Fire speaking @lacountyfd Palisades Incident Virtual Townhall Meeting (1/9/2025) | Thank you @calfire!"

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cbsmornings on Instagram: When the life-threatening winds started building across Los Angeles, Fire Chief Anthony Marrone told @60minutes that he called up extra crews and engines.

But the fires grew too big, too fast. Demand for water overburdened the system, water pressure dropped and fire hoses ran dry while the fires raged.

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L.A. in a Minute on Instagram: I want to find out the answers to two questions that continue to arise after what is now a full week of unprecedented fire devastation in Los Angeles,

1) why DID the fire hydrants run dry on some firefighters in Pacific Palisades

and

2) Why was the 117-million gallon Santa Ynez Reservoir empty before and during these fires? Let's get into it.

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LADWP on X: LADWP in the news on how it is reinforcing its commitment to delivering accurate information along with safe and reliable water and power:

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