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**Today's Topic**

**Water Resources Management  
and Urban Planning**



# Thanksgiving



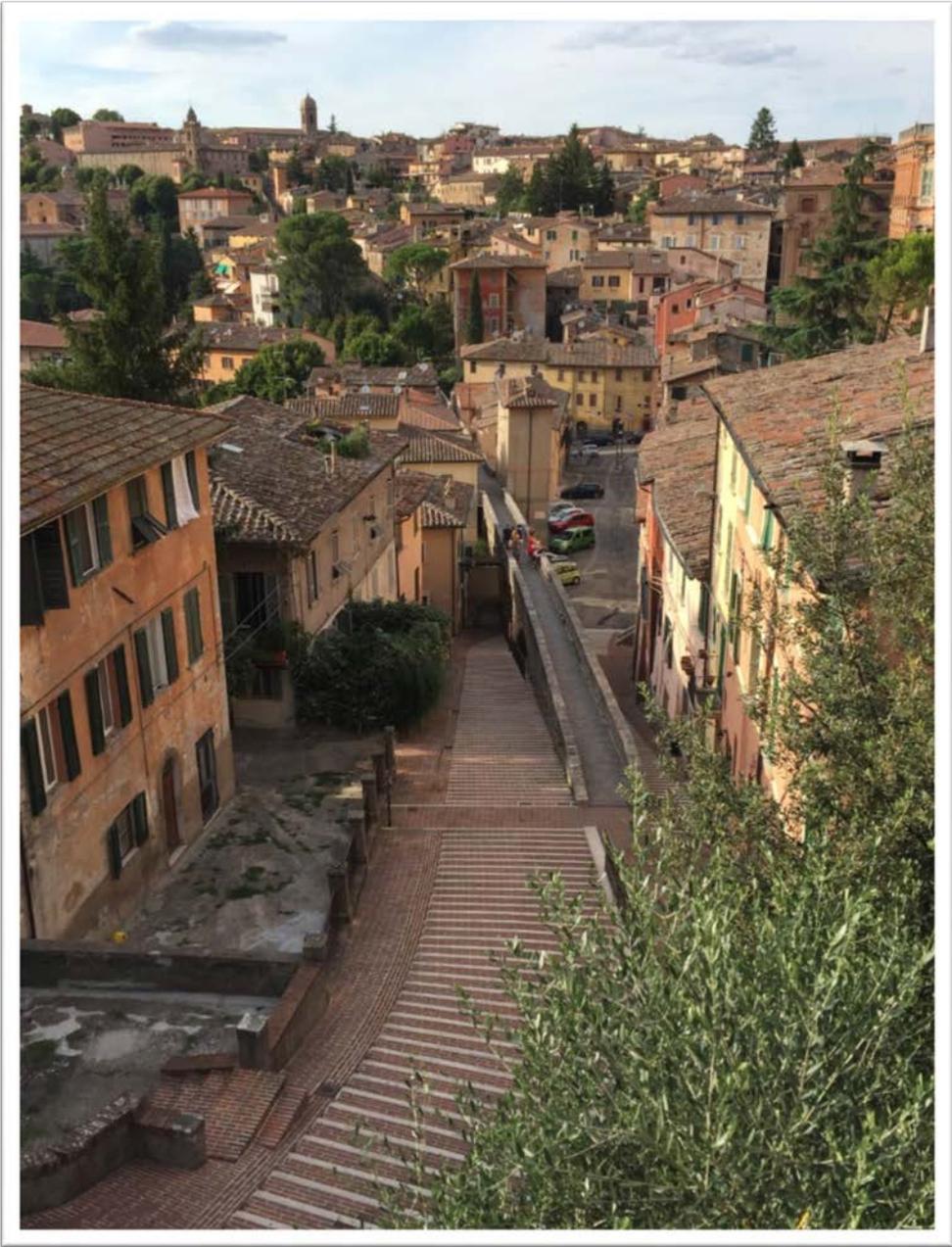
**Turkey, stuffing,  
mashed potatoes  
and gravy,  
cranberries,  
salads,  
and pumpkin pie**





Crossing of two Roman aqueducts in Via Latina southeast of Rome. These aqueducts were described as *Romanae providentiae magnitudinis que primitiae* (“the first fruits of Rome’s foresight and greatness”) by author Raffaele Fabretti in 1680.

This painting, by Zeno Diemer, is on display at the Deutsches Museum, Munich, Germany.





**Aqueduct in California**

# Los Angeles Aquaduct

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j1WjJTwvUVg>

10.42

<https://vimeo.com/26447600>

2.12

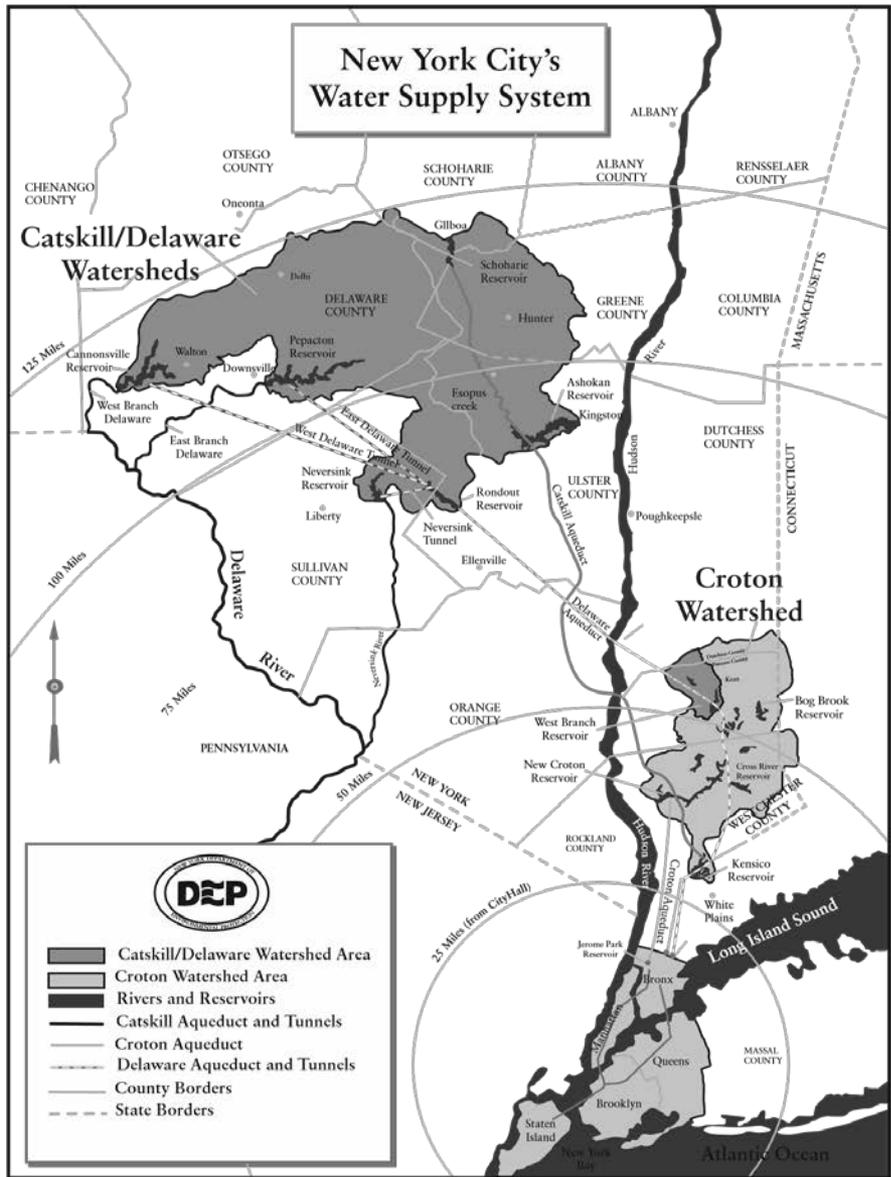
# Las Vegas, Nevada

<https://www.lvvwd.com/water-system/how-water-gets-to-you/index.html>

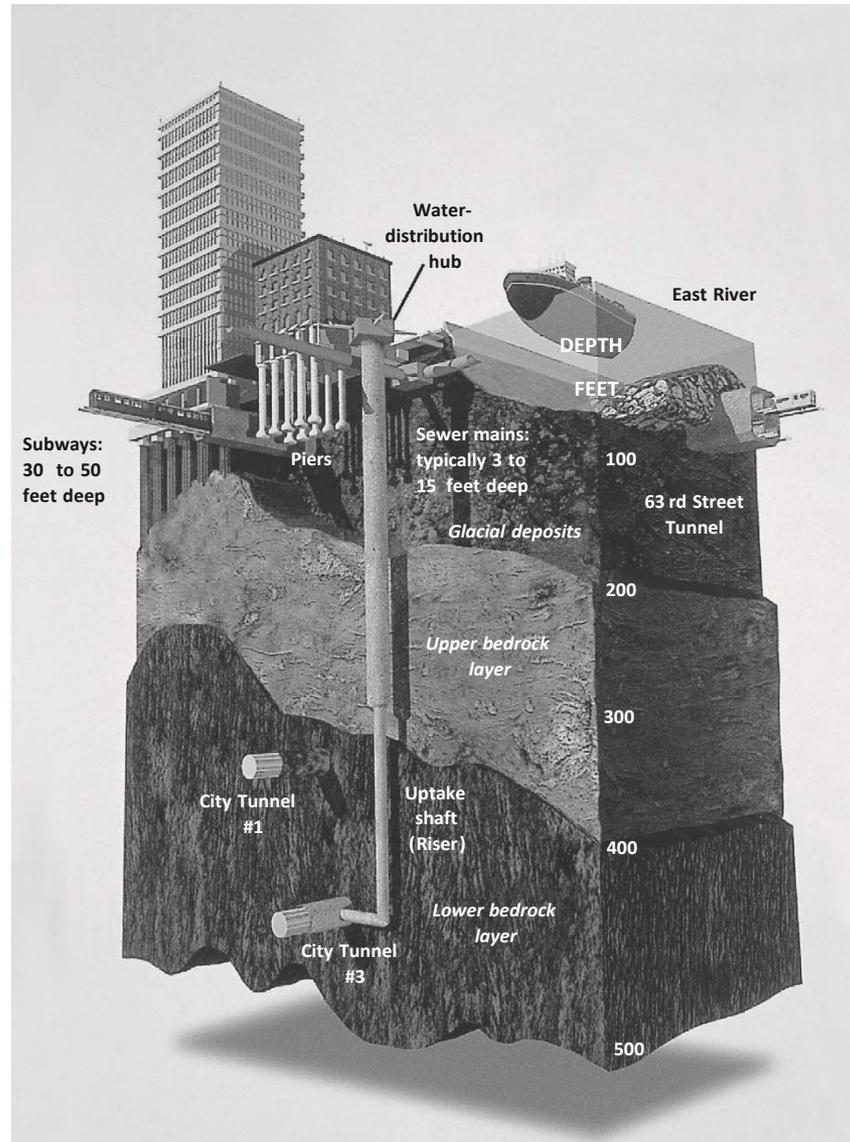
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[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I\\_NQQmUUFQw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I_NQQmUUFQw)

2.30

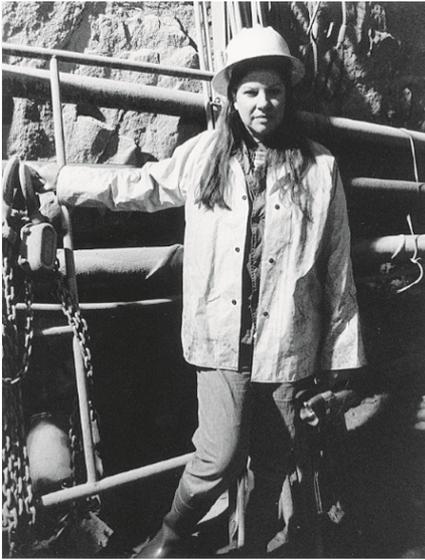


**FIG. 6.7** New York City's Water Supply System Map.



**New York City Underground**

Courtesy of Nancy Cruickshank



**Eileen M. Schnock**  
**Resident Engineer of**  
**Tunnel #3,**  
**New York City**

Eileen Schnock has always been interested in underground projects. She received her bachelor's degree in geology from City University of New York and a master's degree in mining engineering from Columbia University. Eileen has worked on various underground projects in New York City and has been working on City Tunnel #3 for many years.

New York Daily News Archive/Getty Images



# New York City

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YWwgcBodAFo>

5.36

<https://youtu.be/4dNaSH2N3Ww>

4.10

**July 2017**  
**Worst Drought in Italy in over 150 years!**



# July 2017 Drought

## Pope Francis turned off the water fountains in Vatican Square



# April 2018 The Drought is Over



# Rome

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bus2Dp0AfIk>

[1.23](#)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zi2t8Fv72pQ>

6.52



## Washington Post -

**‘Climate change is water change’ —  
why the Colorado River system  
is headed for major trouble**

August 19, 2016

In 2016, Lake Mead — which provides 90 percent of the water supply in Las Vegas, alone — [dropped to its lowest levels](#) since the Hoover Dam was completed in 1936.





Cameras monitoring Illulissat Glacier in western Greenland



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hC3VTgIPoGU>

4.41



James Balog - Photographer



Melting glacier in Greenland

# Water Resources Management and Urban Planning

## Critical Issues

- Population Growth
- Climate Change
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- ?

## Solutions?

\* Get involved!

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