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I found this link in an article in ***The Stranger*** and felt compelled to write.

I don't even LIKE shellfish, but even I'm smart enough to know that we cannot keep polluting our ground water without eventually feeling the ramifications, whether it be in land animals such as cows or fish or shellfish.

Sadly, I'm afraid that our wanton ignorance on such a simple concept as 'garbage in, garbage out' may have led us to a point where we are now past the not-so-mythical tipping-point of no return. Still, I encourage you and all empowered individuals and agencies to do whatever is still possible to protect our drinking water, rivers, estuaries, and any regulations applicable to them.

I'm 62 and don't have kids or grandchildren. Maybe you do. If so, you should be concerned about protecting the world we are leaving them.

Most sincerely,

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