

**IS IT TRUE** that a member of the Mole Nation recently had a sediment filter installed in the basement on their City water line after a plumber advised that the dishwashing machine leak was likely due to a clogged solenoid from rust from City water pipes? **IS IT TRUE** that Mole No. 4's new sediment filter turned from charcoal black to rust red after their new smart water meter was installed? **IS IT TRUE** that the installation of the smart water meter on pipes that are considered safe may result in the introduction of rust into and causing malfunctions of dishwashing machines? **IS IT TRUE** this could lead to a slew of tort claims against the City? **IS IT TRUE** this may benefit the plumbers and appliance stores? **IS IT TRUE** this will be a hidden expense to the City taxpayers in the \$\_\_\_\_ million Johnson Controls smart meter project? The City-County Observer is requesting our readers to e-mail us digital pictures of the rust/sediment from faucets after installation of the smart meters and for pictures of water filters capturing this rust and sediment entering City homes. We will anonymously post these photographs to gauge the extent of this in-home rust problem with installation of the smart meters.