



WATER IS NOT AN INFINITE RESOURCE - by Lonwabo Mfenguza

Natural resources are the basic things for living things as know no livings things can survive without water in planet earth.

But in our days water will be scarce because of ways we use water such as washing cars irrigating plants in order to grow food. Also the industries that cause climate change by producing lots of carbon dioxide will also make an imbalance that will stop us from getting clean water that come from rain. There will be acid rain in the future if they keep on producing lots of carbon dioxide.

Corporates companies are busy draining oils from underground. This is poisoning our underground water because after that process our land is degraded such that we are not able to grow plants and get pure underground water.

All these problems will affect poor people because they don't have resources to protect themselves in order to have other options of getting water. Now in my county South Africa low income locations are having water management devices (WMD) installed. They have a certain allowance of water per day, if they exceed that then the devices cut off their lines of getting water. This is a new thing to us. We used to use water freely, without restricted access for a day.

Why does government not stop these corporate companies who have huge influence in polluting our water and climate? Instead of dealing with problems, they accept an innovation of reducing wastage of water.

But what I know is that everyone must have access to natural resources without paying any amount to fulfill them.