

# Chugwater water judged among top 10 nationally

Chugwater proved it has some of the best-tasting water in the country when it placed first in Wyoming, then in the top 10 at the Great American Water Taste Test held Feb. 7 in Washington, D.C.

“I told ’em in Washington, ‘I’ll be back,’” Chugwater Utilities Director Steve Kelley said during a recent interview.

Kelley theorized Chugwater’s tap water is so tasty because the town doesn’t do anything with it aside from some chlorination. He said Chugwater does not add fluoride.

“It’s just the natural formation it comes from,” Kelley said. “It’s extremely good water.”

Chugwater was voted best tasting in Wyoming in 2017, which gave it the right to compete nationally.

The Great American Water Taste Test is sponsored by the National Rural Water Association, a nonprofit organization dedicated to training and supporting water professionals who serve small communities across the country, according to [nrwa.org](http://nrwa.org).

