With climate change, threats to water resources are expected to become more frequent and severe.

**Increased rainfall may cause:**
- sewers & cess pools to overflow
- water contamination
- sedimentation, or dirt getting into water supplies
- leaves & waste to get into water supplies

**Higher seas & severe storms may cause:**
- salt water to get into low-lying wells & other water supplies
- damage to pipes
- increased flooding
- water contamination

**Intense droughts may cause:**
- sources of fresh water to dry up
- communities to run out of fresh water