

City plant doesn't need to increase workload

The town of Westport is better equipped to solve its own sewage disposal problems without relying on tying into the Norwalk treatment plant. The town had hoped to solve its problem by running a sewer line across the border. Norwalk has enough problems keeping its plant running smoothly without placing an added burden on it.

We've been through some unhappy experiences with the plant, now being operated by OMI. The company seems to be getting its act together, and we'd just as soon not disturb that progress.

Westport might be required to expand its plant in order to handle the additional load, but that's the price of progress — and it's a step in the right direction for the environment.

There may be some problems that call out for a regional solution as the best path to follow, but this isn't one of them.