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Impact of Water Pollution Answer Key

1. The river (freshwater resource) was most affected.
2. Pollution harmed fish (they became sick and fewer were found) and harmed people (caused stomach problems).
3. The crops stopped growing well because **polluted water used for irrigation carried harmful chemicals.**
4. The townspeople **organized meetings, contacted officials, and demanded factories treat their waste.**
5. The lesson is that **human actions can damage the environment, but communities can work together to protect and restore it.**
6. b) Water Pollution