

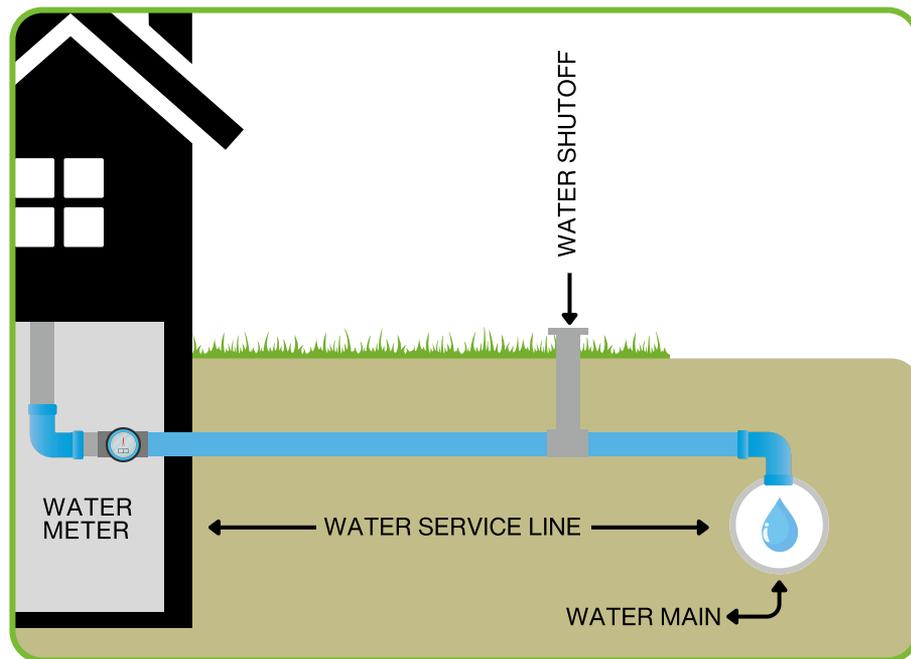
WATER SERVICE LINE INVENTORY

Get the Lead Out



The City of South St. Paul is working to complete an inventory of all service lines within the water system. The goal of the inventory is to identify the material type of each service line, with the ultimate goal to remove all lead service lines. This inventory is required by the US Environmental Protection Agency and is scheduled to be completed by August 2024.

What is a service line? A service line is the pipe connecting the water main to the interior plumbing in a building. A lead service line is a service line made entirely or partially from lead.



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are asking residents to perform a water service line material survey to ensure the most accurate inventory. Please scan the QR code or follow the link on the back for more information:

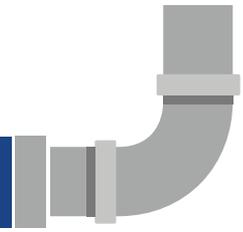


While South St. Paul tests water to make sure that it is lead-free when it travels through the water mains, some older homes in our community may have lead in service lines, household plumbing materials and faucets.

Lead presents health concerns for people of all ages, particularly pregnant women, infants and young children. Ultimately, the best way to protect your household is by removing all potential sources of lead in your water service line and home. For more information about lead drinking water visit:

www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/contaminants/lead.html

Type of Water Pipes



You can identify your pipe material by checking your household water service connections inside your home, typically located in your basement. Use the guide below to determine your water pipe material.

Once you determine your pipe material, complete the online version by scanning the QR code OR take the survey found below and return to city hall (125 3rd Ave N, South St. Paul, MN 55075)

LEAD

A dull, silver-gray color that is easily scratched with a coin. Use a magnet to detect the material - strong magnets will not cling to lead pipes.



GALVANIZED

A dull, silver-gray color. Use a magnet to detect the material - strong magnets will typically cling to galvanized pipes.



PLASTIC

Blue pipe.



COPPER

The color of a penny.



RESIDENT INFORMATION

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Property Address: _____

Account Number: _____

Please write the account number found on your water bill.

Type of Occupancy: Owner Renter/Tenant

PIPE INFORMATION

Based on the appearance, testing, or existing records, please select the appropriate material of your service line.

Material: Lead Galvanized Plastic Copper Unknown

How did you determine the material of your service line?

Source Information: Visual Inspection Plumbing Records Scratch Test



Scan here or visit: <https://bit.ly/WaterServiceLineInventory> to submit

