



Lead Service Line Inventory

In 2021 the State of New Jersey enacted law A5343 which requires all public water community systems to inventory and replace lead service lines within 10 years. Water providers are to share with consumers the material of the utility owned portion, the customer side portion and identify them by 2031. Lead services now include galvanized services. To maintain a proper inventory, we need customer assistance in identifying the material of the water pipe servicing your home/property. Customers with known lead and galvanized services and unknown materials will receive letters yearly from the MMUA.

There are a few ways you can assist us in identifying your service line material:

1. Fill out our self-reporting form: [Click Here](#)
2. Take a photo of your water service coming through the foundation from inside. You can email this photo to the email address below, along with your property address.
3. Call our office and schedule an appointment for one of our representatives to come out, take a photo and confirm the material.

If the service at your property is confirmed to be lead or galvanized the Monroe MUA will work with you to replace the service at no direct cost to you. There is no timetable when your property would be scheduled for replacement, we will reach out to schedule when necessary.

Meeting and exceeding the drinking water standards is the top priority of the Monroe MUA and developing and launching our Lead Service Line Replacement Program is the next step in the process. Your water meets all NJDEP water quality standards as we treat for corrosion control, and our lead and copper compliance testing continues to meet state drinking water requirements.

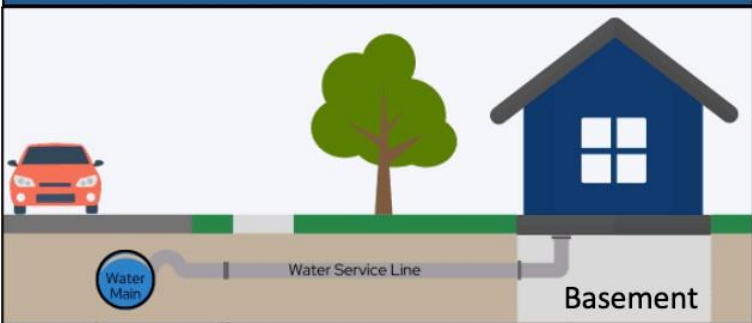
Monroe Municipal Utilities Authority

Email: leadservice@monroemuanj.com

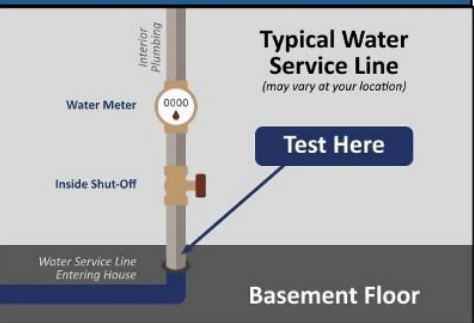
Phone: 856-226-3628

Identify Service Line Material:

1. Find your water service line (typically located in your basement)



2. Scratch the surface of the pipe (typically coming out of floor or wall)



3. Identify your water service line. Test your pipe



Lead

You have a lead pipe if....

Scratch Test - scraped area is shiny & silver.
Magnet Test - magnet will not stick to pipe.
Tapping Test - tapping a coin on the pipe makes dull noise.



Galvanized

You have a galvanized pipe if....

Scratch Test - scraped area remains dull grey.
Magnet Test - magnet will stick to pipe.
Tapping Test - tapping a coin on the pipe makes metallic ringing noise.



Copper

You have a copper pipe if....

Scratch Test - scraped area is copper in color, like a penny.
Magnet Test - magnet will not stick to pipe.
Tapping Test - tapping a coin on the pipe makes metallic ringing noise.



Lead

A dull, silver colored pipe



Copper

Brown colored pipe



Galvanized Iron/Steel

A dull, silver colored pipe



Plastic

Generally, black, white, or blue piping.