

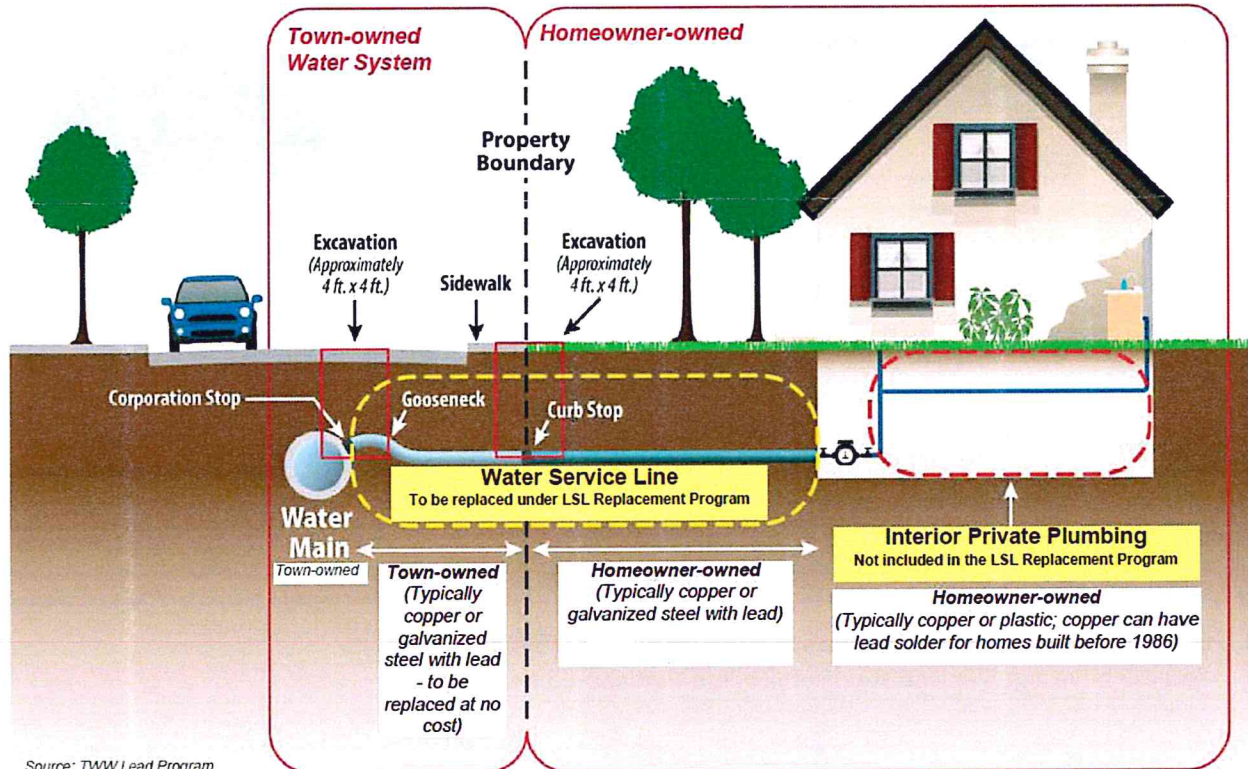


Dear water user:

New Jersey recently passed a law requiring all public community water systems to inventory and replace all lead service lines within 10 years. This includes the entire service line, both the portion owned and maintained by the Town and the portion owned and maintained by the property owner (see diagram below).

Hammonton Water Department

Lead Service Line Replacement Program



The Hammonton Water Department needs your help in creating an inventory of lead and galvanized water service lines.

IMPORTANT: Receiving this letter does not mean that you have a lead service line. All water service connections (residential and commercial) must be assessed.

How can you help? In two simple steps:

1. Follow the steps on the back of this document to identify your service line type. If you are unsure of your service line type, you can call 609-567-4300 ext. 102 to schedule an appointment for a Town representative to perform an in-person inspection.
2. Fill out an online survey using this QR code or <https://arcg.is/iOLLb> to provide the Hammonton Municipal Utilities Department (HMUD) with your service line information.

OR

Fill out the attached paper survey and provide the information to Kelly Vitalo in the Town Clerk's Office by voicemail, email, or mail (609-567-4300 ext. 102, kvitalo@townofhammonton.org, or 100 Central Avenue, Hammonton, NJ 08037).





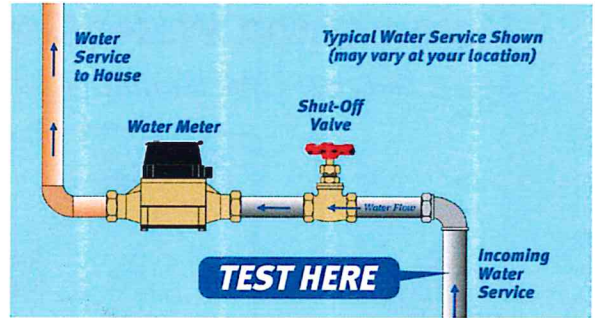
IDENTIFYING YOUR SERVICE LINE TYPE

What you need:

1. House key or coin
2. Strong refrigerator magnet

Steps to check your service line:

1. Find the water meter in your basement or outside your home. Look at the service line that enters the water meter.
2. Use the house key or coin to carefully scratch the pipe surface.



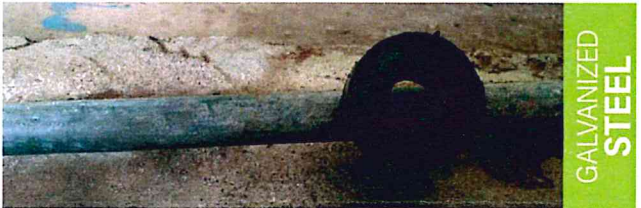
3. Compare the scratched area to the following descriptions and images:

- A. Penny-like, dull brown or greenish: **COPPER**. You **DO NOT** have a lead service line.



✗ Magnet will not stick.

- B. Dull grey or silver, no noticeable scratch: **GALVANIZED STEEL**. You **DO** have a galvanized steel service line that should be replaced.



✓ Magnet will stick.

- C. Grey or shiny silver: **LEAD**. You **DO** have a lead service line that should be replaced.



✗ Magnet will not stick.

- D. Red, blue, black, or white: **PLASTIC**. You **DO NOT** have lead service line.



✗ Magnet will not stick: