YOUR WATER SERVICE LINE HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS BEING MADE OF LEAD.



Let’s get the lead out together!

UTILITY NAME is working to identify all the service lines serving customers in our system. The material providing water to your home has been identified as lead and you are at risk from exposure through your drinking water. If you decide to replace your service line, notify us. With new regulations, we can only replace the portion we own at the same time your line is replaced. For more information about why we are doing this and how to identify the material on your own, check out bit.ly/checkyourpipesky or epa.gov/lead.

**Health Effects**

Exposure to lead in drinking water can cause serious health effects in all age groups. Infants and children can have decreases in IQ and attention span. Lead exposure can lead to new learning and behavior problems or exacerbate existing learning and behavior problems. The children of women who are exposed to lead before or during pregnancy can have increased risk of these adverse health effects. Adults can have increased risks of heart disease, high blood pressure, kidney or nervous system problems.

**Steps to reduce potential exposure to lead include:**

Flushing lines for several minutes before use.

Using water filters certified to reduce lead.

Regular cleaning of faucet aerators.

Using cold water only for consumption.

Having your water tested for lead.