

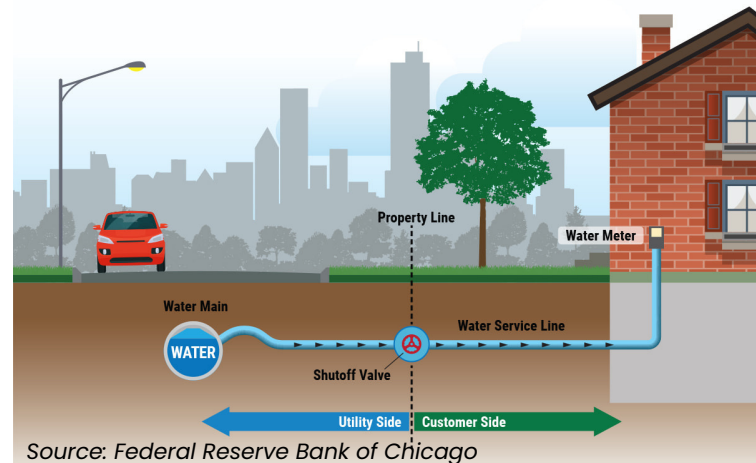
Water Service Line Inventory

The Federal Government, through its Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), is requiring all drinking water systems to inventory their water service line material to understand where lead pipes exist in the system. A water service line is the pipe that connects the water main to a building's internal plumbing.

While lead is cheap to produce/mine and was used in many products including paint, gasoline, and pipes for many years, it has now been proven harmful to humans, especially children. Lead can permanently affect the brain, bones, kidneys, and heart. Lead poisoning impacts on children include lower IQs, learning disabilities, attention deficit and hyperactivity, other behavioral issues, impaired hearing, anemia, and decreased growth.

The EPA has determined that no amount of lead in water is safe.

Please help Carlisle Borough comply with EPA requirements by reporting your water service line material. Water service lines are separated into two sections, from the water main to the curb is owned by the Borough, and from the curb to the building is owned by the property owner. We have records for our lines, but we do not have complete records for property owners' lines.



There are several ways to submit your water service line information to us.

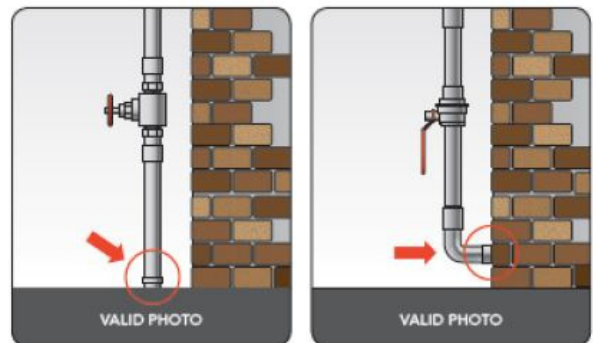
1. Scan the QR Code and fill out the information online.
2. Go to www.carlislepa.org/lead and follow the online instructions.
3. Fill out the information located on the back of this page and then mail or deliver this form to:
WSL Material Type
ATTN: Jeff Bergsten
53 West South Street
Carlisle, PA 17013
4. Call Jeff Bergsten at (717) 240-6908 with questions or to request that someone from the Borough arrange for a time to come to your property to determine the WSL material.

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You may need a magnet and a coin to identify the material.

1. What is your property's address? _____
2. Locate the Water Service Line (WSL). The WSL is where the water pipe comes through the wall or floor. The pipe is typically located in the lowest building level and is connected to the water meter. The inventory is only for the portion of pipe between the exterior wall or floor and the water meter.
3. Is the WSL plastic? If yes, please skip to step 6. If no, continue to step 4.
4. Does a magnet stick to your WSL? If yes, your material is steel. Proceed to step 6. If no, proceed to step 5.
5. Use a coin to gently scratch the surface of the pipe. Is the color of the scratch copper or silver? If it is copper, your WSL is copper. If it is silver, your WSL is lead.*
6. Your Water Service Line material is _____

7. Take a photo of the WSL material using this graphic as an example. E-mail the photo to jbergsten@carlislepa.org.



Use this space to provide any additional notes you think could be helpful.

**If you believe your WSL is lead, please call or e-mail Jeff Bergsten (717-240-6908, jbergsten@carlislepa.org) so he can discuss the steps to help mitigate lead exposure.*