



Town of Winchester, Winsted Water Works

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860-379-4101 ▪ townofwinchester.org

PLEASE READ. INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR WATER SERVICE LINE IS PROVIDED



Date:	Property Number	Property Address:	Unit
June 17, 2025	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.

The Town of Winchester Winsted Water Works (either directly or through our construction subcontractor) performed a field investigation of your water service line. The investigation involved excavating the curb box at the property line and exposing the first few feet of the water service line of the Department-owned portion and the property owner portion. The purpose of this inspection is to determine the material the service line is constructed from. The service line can be made from Copper, brass, galvanized iron, plastic or lead.

You are receiving this notice because you are either the owner or a tenant at this address. Tenants should contact the land owner, or, landlord to discuss any concerns they may have after reading this information sheet.

The field investigation we are notifying you that our personnel discovered that the service line is made of the following materials:

System Side of Service Line	Curb Box	Owner Side of Service Line
Piping materials prior to Curb Box (Choose an item.)		Piping materials after Curb Box (Choose an item.)

Curb Box Side of Service	Water Meter	Building Side of Service Line
Piping materials prior to Meter Choose an item. 		Piping materials after Meter Choose an item. 

☐ Both the System side and the portion you own are made of lead/galvanized requiring replacement (GRR)/any material that could have a leaded gooseneck. The Department will not be replacing the portion of the service line that you own. You will receive an official notification that your service line needs to be replaced. Please visit the Department's Webpage at <https://www.townofwinchester.org/subpages/lead-service-line-project> which provides information about replacing the portion you own.

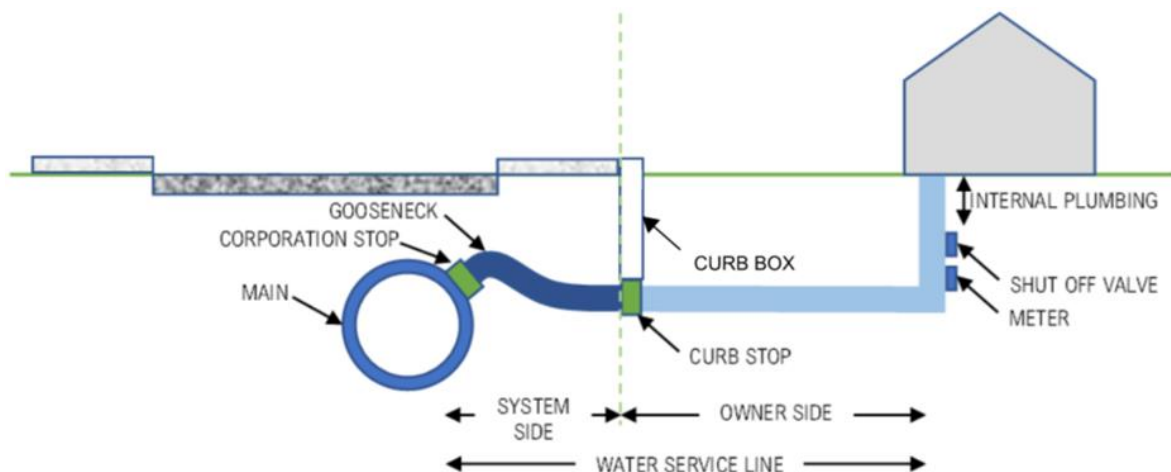
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☐ We did not see lead/GRR/any material that could have a leaded gooseneck on either the Department owned portion or the portion you own. There is no requirement to replace any portion of the service line due to materials.

This information collected is being used to develop the lead service line inventory. That inventory will serve as a basis for a plan to replace and eliminate lead service lines. As previously mentioned, if your service line has any lead components, the Department will send official notification to the property owner and consumers of the water.

The Town of Winchester Water Department owns the section from the water main to the curb shown by the dotted line. The property-owner owns the section from the curb to the home. (See Illustration Below)



Health effects of lead:

**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.* Visit <http://www.epa.gov/lead> or call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD for additional information*

You can further increase your overall awareness of lead in drinking water:

In Connecticut, the Department of Public Health maintains a list of certified drinking water laboratories on its website at <https://portal.ct.gov/dph> call 860-509-8000.

Sources of lead: Lead is a common metal found in the environment. Drinking water is one possible source of lead exposure. Lead enters drinking water primarily as a result of the corrosion, or wearing away, of materials containing lead in the water distribution system and household plumbing.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's Web site at <http://www.epa.gov/lead>, call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD, or contact your health care provider.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

If you have more questions, please contact the Winsted Water Works at 860-379-4101.

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Signature of Person completing form	Printed Name of Person completing form
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Organization person is affiliated with	Date form was completed