



Locate the water service coming into the building/house. Identify a test area on the pipe between the point where it comes into the building/house. If the pipe is covered or wrapped, expose a small area of the pipe. Use a flat edge screwdriver or other tool to scratch through any corrosion that may have built up on the outside of the pipe.



**Lead Pipe**

*Scratch Test*

If the area is shiny and silver, the line is likely lead

*Magnet Test*

A magnet will not stick to a lead pipe

*Tapping Test*

Tapping a lead pipe will produce a dull noise



**Copper Pipe**

*Scratch Test*

If the area is copper (like a penny), the line is likely copper

*Magnet Test*

A magnet will not stick to a copper pipe

*Tapping Test*

Tapping a copper pipe will produce a metallic ringing



**Galvanized Pipe**

*Scratch Test*

If the area is a dull gray, the line is likely galvanized

*Magnet Test*

A magnet will stick to a galvanized pipe

*Tapping Test*

Tapping a galvanized pipe will produce a metallic ringing

Please return to City of Willard Utilities Department at PO Box 187 Willard Mo or drop off at City Hall located at 224 W Jackson St Willard MO.