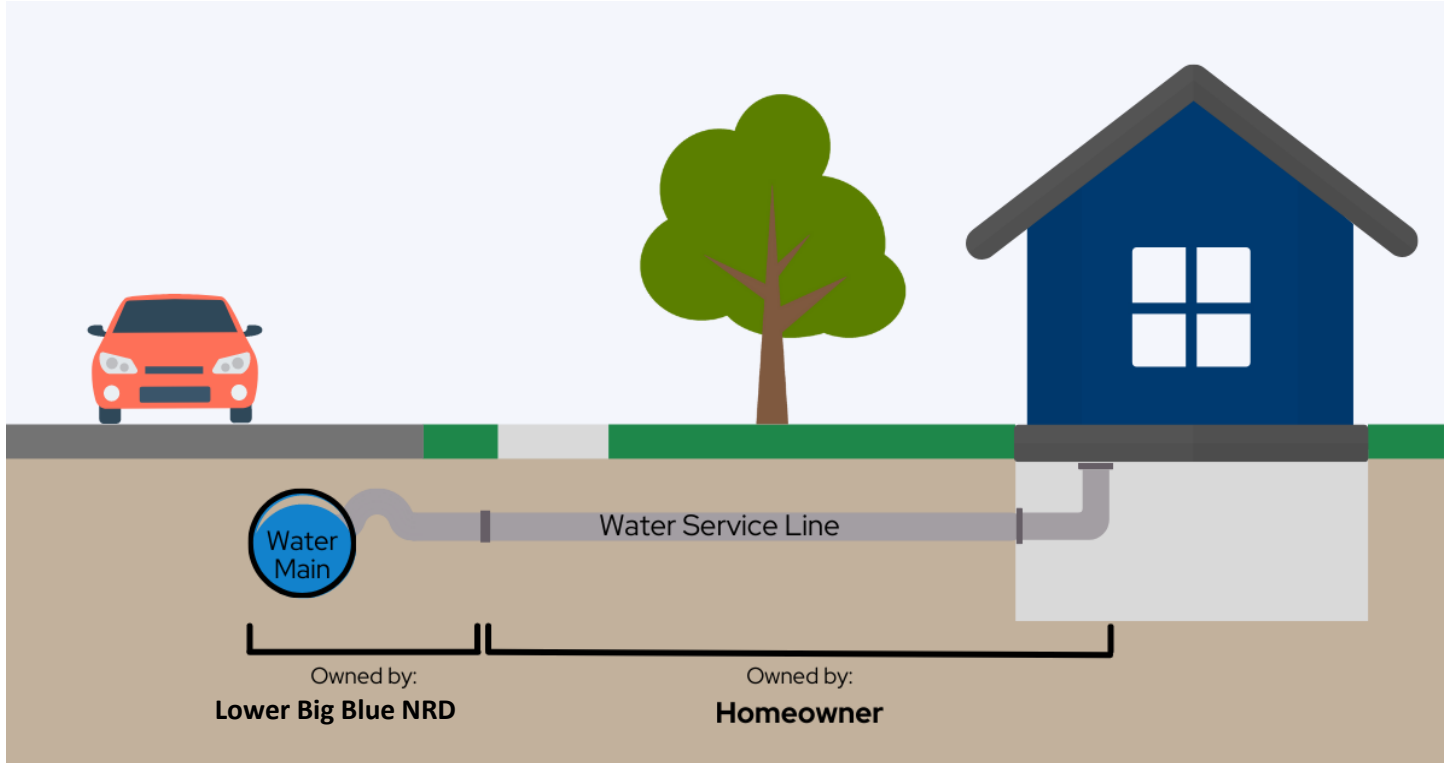
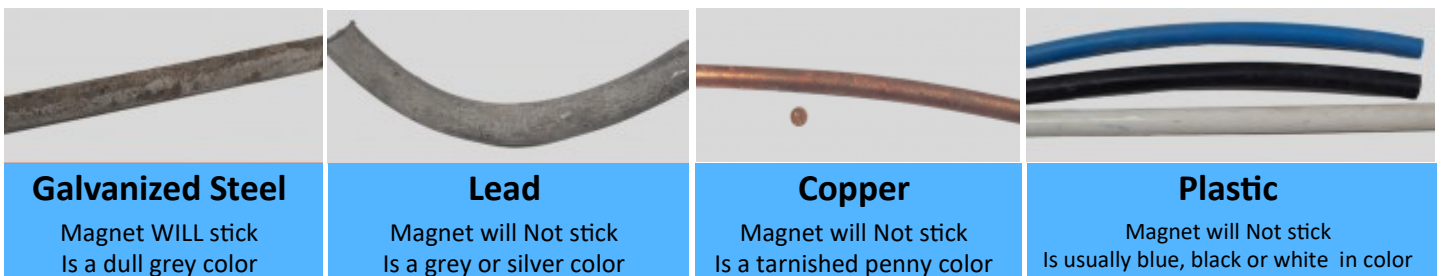


Ensuring Safe Drinking Water for All Users.

To comply with the Federal Lead and Copper Rule requirements, all suppliers of potable water are required to determine if any lead water pipes exist and create a plan to replace them. The Lower Big Blue NRD's water infrastructure does **not** contain lead. However, your private line might. LBBNRD must verify the materials used in private service lines in every home and business on the water line

What is a water service line?

It is your pipe that connects the water main to your home or business. It can be made out of copper, lead, galvanized steel, or plastic.



Test Your Service Line

To find out if you have a copper, lead, galvanized steel, or plastic service line on your property, you (or your landlord) can perform a Materials Verification Test on the water service line where it comes into your home or building.

Please follow the steps below.

WHAT YOU NEED:

- A house key
- A strong refrigerator magnet

STEPS TO CHECK YOUR SERVICE LINE:

1. Find the water shutoff valve on your property located in the basement or utility closet.
2. Look for the pipe that comes through the outside wall or floor of your home.
3. If the pipe is painted, use sandpaper or a key to expose a small section of the metal.
4. Determine your pipe material using the reference pictures on the reverse of this page.
5. Send us your results using the Materials Survey Form below, visit lbbnrd.net/rural-water, or scan the QR code above with your smartphone.



Scan for Survey!

****Even If you are not currently hooked up or have a pasture pit, you must return this survey. Mark N/A for material and note the type of pit below.****

Still not sure about your service line material?

If you performed the steps outlined above and are still unsure of your service line material, the NRD will visit your home to inspect your service line at no cost to you. To request an inspection, **complete the Materials Survey Form below** and select "Yes" on "Please send a representative to verify".

Service Line Material Survey Form

Name: _____

Property Address: _____

NRD Water Account Number: _____

Service Line Material (Circle One):

Lead Galvanized Steel Copper PVC/Plastic Unknown N/A

Pit Type (Circle One):

House Pasture Business/Commercial Not currently hooked up

Send a representative to verify: NO YES

Phone Number: _____