

# Lead-Free SD

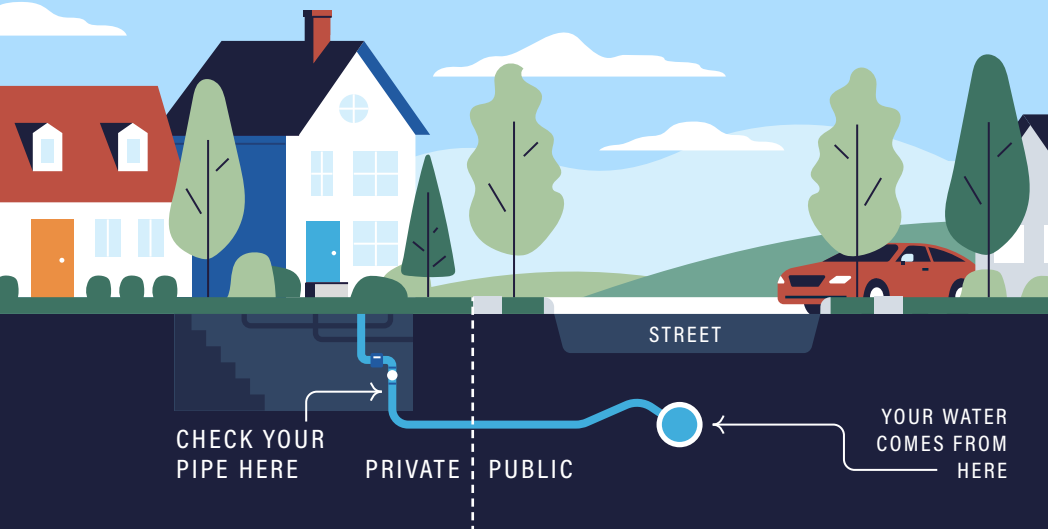
Drinking water is free of lead when it leaves the water treatment plant—however, water can absorb lead if it travels through lead pipes on its way to your faucet. The majority of South Dakota water pipes are free of lead, but we need to find where lead pipes still exist so they can be removed.

## Take this quick survey to help protect your health

Your water system is asking you to help find where the lead pipes are located. It's important and easy to do.



When you have five minutes to spare, visit [survey.SDWaterPipes.com](https://survey.SDWaterPipes.com) to complete a quick assessment of your water pipe. We'll even help you locate the pipe in your home.

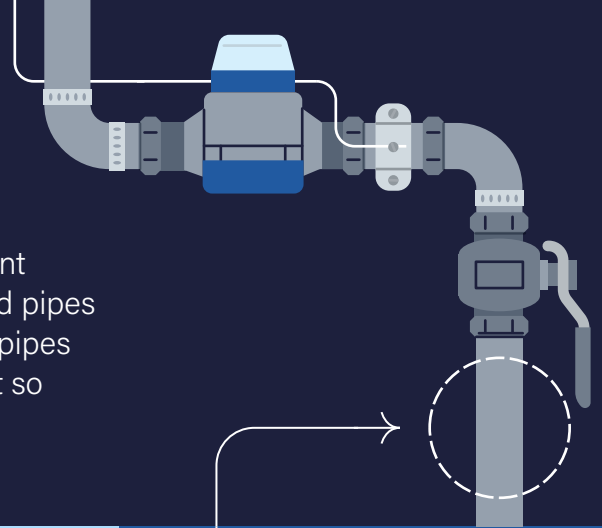


As a part of a nationwide initiative, water systems are asking everyone to check their pipes and report their results, regardless of what they find. Knowing where the lead pipes are is just as important as knowing where they are not.

If you prefer a paper copy of the survey contact:

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Visit [sdwaterpipes.com](https://sdwaterpipes.com) for more information.



- 1 SCRATCH IT.
  - 2 STICK IT.
  - 3 REPORT IT.
- ✓ DONE!

The survey gives you step-by-step instructions to find and test your water pipe.

- ✓ Scratch the water pipe with a coin or key to see if the scraped area is silver-colored and shiny
- ✓ Check to see if a magnet sticks to the pipe—any magnet will do!
- ✓ Report your results



Open the camera app on your smartphone, hover over the QR code below, and tap the link to get to the survey.