

No Lead Noank Update

The residents of the Noank Fire District have been asked to help with an EPA requirement to inventory the community's water systems to assure Noank's water is lead free. The project started the first week in January with a request to customers to take a photo of their incoming water service line inside their home. As of February 15th, we have over 330 responses out of about 775 residents. That's great, but we can't stop yet. We need photos from everyone, so here is what you can do to help **(you'll need a flashlight and a smart phone)**:

1. Your water service line, with a valve, comes into your home through your basement wall, up through the slab or out of the ground under your house (see photos on reverse). Find that water supply line.
2. Dust it off and take a picture (up to three) of the pipe between the wall and the shut off valve, close enough for us to identify the material that was used in the incoming pipe. (If you know what the material is, you can tell us in the following email.)
3. Attach your photos to an email. **IMPORTANT - Write the street address of where the photos were taken in the title line of the email** and send to: noleadnoank@gmail.com. Check with your neighbors and offer to help them take a photo. If you have questions or need help, leave a message at 860-501-8305. If we have questions, we'll email you.

Thank you to everyone who has sent in their picture. We could not meet this requirement without your help. If you have not sent your picture, please take a few minutes to photograph your water line and send it in to noleadnoank@gmail.com. If you need help, call us at the number above.