

Example Water Service Line Pipe Materials

LEAD PIPE – not commonly found in Bowling Green. Pipe is dull grey in color but will turn shiny silver when scratched with a metal file. A magnet will not stick to lead pipe.



IRON PIPE or GALVANIZED PIPE – common pipe material in Bowling Green. Pipe will turn a dull grey color when scratched with a file. This pipe may rust after many years of service. A magnet will stick to iron pipe. Typically has threaded ends.



COPPER PIPE – common pipe material in Bowling Green. This pipe will typically be a dull orange color and will turn a shiny copper color, like a new penny, when scratched with a file.

