NOTICE TO BOYERTOWN WATER CUSTOMERS

EPA LEAD AND COPPER RULE

In accordance with the EPA Lead and Copper Rule, the Boyertown Water Authority is required to identify and maintain an inventory of locations within our service area where lead service lines are present.

Over the next several weeks personnel from our contract operator, Inframark LLC, will begin conducting home inspections of water service lines to develop an inventory of existing lead service lines.

Lead is not typically found in reservoirs that serve as water supplies or in the main water lines that carry water from the treatment plant to your homes and businesses. However, the chemical properties of water can cause lead and other metals to leach into drinking water. The main source of lead in drinking water is from lead service lines, and from typical household plumbing that contain lead.

As part of the EPA Lead and Copper Rule, notifications will be sent out to all homes that have or are thought to have lead service lines. After completion of the study all homes with lead service lines will have to begin planning to replace their line with copper service lines. If you have any questions or concerns you can reach out directly to Inframark at 610-369-3041.