

ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT, ANALYSIS, AND INVESTIGATION ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

SUBJECT: Lead Service Line Replacement Programs

<u>PURPOSE</u>: To examine New York's lead service line replacement programs

Thursday
November 20, 2025
12:00 pm
Legislative Office Building, Hearing Room B
Albany, New York 12248

ORAL TESTIMONY WILL BE BY INVITATION ONLY

The Federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) estimates that there are approximately 500,000 lead-contaminated water service lines in New York State. In 2024, the EPA adopted new lead rules that require such service lines to be replaced by 2037. With this deadline in mind, New York has several existing programs designed to facilitate the replacement of lead-contaminated water service lines, including the Lead Service Line Replacement Program established by the Clean Water Infrastructure Act of 2017 and the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. The purpose of this hearing is to explore any potential barriers to the 2037 replacement deadline, assess the use and availability of funding for lead service line removal programs, and review the progress of municipal participation and fund distribution across the state.

Persons invited to present pertinent testimony to the Committees at the above hearing should complete and return the enclosed reply form as soon as possible. It is important that the reply form be fully completed and returned so that persons may be notified in the event of emergency postponement or cancellation.

Oral testimony will be limited to five (5) minutes' duration. In preparing the order of witnesses, the Committees will attempt to accommodate individual requests to speak at particular times in view of special circumstances. These requests should be made on the attached reply form or communicated to Committee staff as early as possible.

Ten copies of any prepared testimony should be submitted at the hearing registration desk. The Committees would appreciate advance receipt of prepared statements.

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