



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT  
COMMITTEE ON MDC GOVERNMENT  
PROPOSED REVISIONS & ADDITIONS TO WATER ORDINANCES**

**The Metropolitan District  
555 Main Street  
Hartford, Connecticut**

Pursuant to Special Act 01-3, as adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut, and Section 2-14 of the Charter of The Metropolitan District, The Metropolitan District Committee on MDC Government will hold a public hearing on proposed revisions to The District's Water Ordinances. The hearing will be held at The Metropolitan District Board Room, 555 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut, on **Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 P.M.** Remote attendance is available via phone (415-655-0001; Access code: 2306 456 9653#) or [Meeting Video Link](#).

Proposed changes to the following sections of the Water Ordinances will be considered:

**SEC. W5e METER SETTINGS**

**SEC. W5k LEAD & COPPER RULE SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT (NEW ORDINANCE)**

The proposed ordinance revisions are available for inspection at the Office of the District Clerk of The Metropolitan District, 555 Main Street, Hartford and [www.themdc.org](http://www.themdc.org).

All interested parties from The Metropolitan District's member municipalities may appear to be heard.

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District Clerk



## **SEC. W5e METER SETTING**

Plumbers shall install a meter setting, furnished by the Water Bureau, in a horizontal position within a District approved meter box or meter pit, after the service shut-off where the meter will be accessible for reading and repairing. For meters permitted to be installed inside a building, the property owner shall furnish and maintain an approved location in the house piping immediately after the main shut-off and as near to where the service pipe enters the building as practicable.

## **(NEW) SEC. W5k LEAD & COPPER RULE SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT**

The District, upon written permission of the property owner, shall replace, at the District's cost, any existing water service pipe discovered to contain lead, lead lining or galvanized piping installed downstream of lead pipes, including the private property portion of the service pipe, as prescribed by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's 1991 Lead and Copper Rule (LCR), 2021 Lead and Copper Rule Revisions (LCRR) and the 2023 Lead and Copper Rule Improvements (LCRI) or any subsequent amendments, revisions or improvements. The District's replacement of the private portion of the service pipe shall not include replacement of internal plumbing except it may include replacement through the foundation wall with reconnection to piping immediately inside the foundation wall and shall not extend beyond the meter setting or further than three feet from the foundation pipe penetration.