

ABOUT SERCAP

Southeast Rural Community Assistance Project, Inc. (SERCAP) is a 501(C)3 nonprofit organization that provides training, technical, and financial assistance to low-to-moderate income (LMI) individuals and rural communities to address water, wastewater, housing, and community development needs. Initially founded in Virginia, the organization has expanded to serve seven southeastern states, including: Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida.

SERCAP'S MISSION

SERCAP'S Mission is to improve the quality of life for low-income individuals by promoting affordable water and wastewater facilities, community development, environmental health, and economic self-sufficiency.

SERCAP's IMPACT

Since the agency's founding in 1969, SERCAP's programs and services have positively impacted rural communities and LMI individuals through the provision of adequate access to clean, safe drinking water, environmentally sound wastewater facilities, improved community infrastructure, and affordable housing that is warm, safe, and dry.

**When accessing SERCAP's services if you need assistance due to language barriers, mobility impairments, visual or hearing impairments, or other disabilities please let SERCAP staff know, so the agency can provide necessary accommodations.*

***SERCAP is an equal opportunity provider and employer.*

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SERCAP Lead Service-Line Replacement Program



PROGRAM GUIDELINES

SERCAP's Residential Lead Service-line Replacement Program provides up to \$2,500.00 toward the costs of replacing the lead service-lines coming into the home. All payments will be made directly to the contracted plumber upon completion of the work, and the submission of all required documentation.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Low-to-Moderate Income (LMI) Homeowners
- Existing Lead Service Line
- Owner Occupied Residence
- Home under going Active Renovation

SERCAP Reserves the Right to Determine Applicant Eligibility

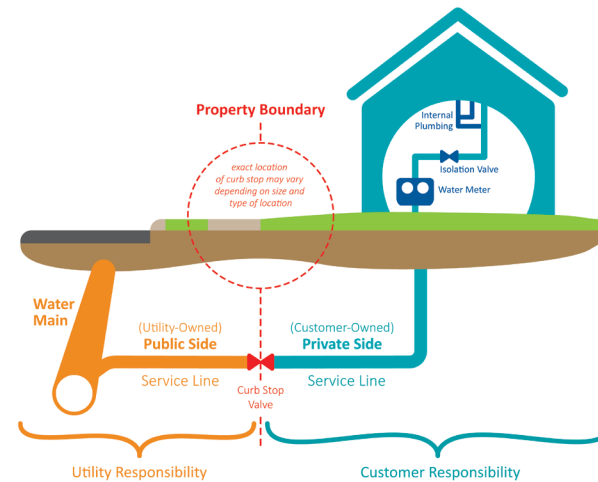
PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Contact a plumber to Determine if you have a Lead Service Line
2. Submit a Completed Application
3. If Approved for grant funds - Secure a Licensed Plumber and Execute an Agreement for the Contracted Work



****SERCAP's Lead Service-line Replacement Program is made possible by Funding from Spring Point Partners.***

RESIDENTIAL LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT PROGRAM



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SERCAP's new Residential Lead Service-Line Replacement Program assists homeowners with replacement of the private side of lead water service-lines. Financial assistance up to \$2,500 is provided for low-to-moderate income (LMI) homeowners to have their water lines replaced. In most cases, the adjoining public side will be replaced simultaneously to ensure the best results in fully removing lead from all water services being supplied to the home. Lead Service Line Replacement must be completed by a licensed plumber.

WHY REPLACE LEAD SERVICE LINES?

While lead solder has been banned in the U.S. since the 1950's, it might still be present in some older homes. The corrosion of lead-based materials can add lead to tap water, particularly if water sits for a long time in the pipes. Replacing lead service lines helps protect the health of residents in the home.

Work must be completed by a licensed plumber. This program is being administered in an effort to reduce the number of water service-lines that are made of lead. Although the water supplied by the public water systems throughout Virginia is safe, homes built prior to the mid-1980s may contain lead piping or other lead components that may lead to small amounts of lead being deposited in the water that comes into your home.

For more information or to apply for the program, contact Andy Crocker at 540-345-1184, or visit the agency on-line at www.sercap.org.