

## **Water Service Line Specifications**

1. The portion of the service line from the Water Company main to the curb stop (including the curb stop and box) is owned and maintained at the expense of the Water Company.
2. The portion of the service line on the customer's property, from the curb stop to the premise being served including the meter pit (installed at the Twp. expense on this project) will be installed, owned, and maintained by and at the expense of the customer or owner.
3. All water used through service lines will be metered. The Water Company will furnish and install for each customer without charge, a meter and will keep the same in repair. In case of misuse or damage in outside meter pit settings by frost, hot water or other external causes, the expense of repair must be borne by the customer.
4. Water service lines must have a minimum of 48 inches (4 feet) of ground cover.
5. Customer service pipes shall not be less than  $\frac{3}{4}$  inches in size and shall be "K" copper. (No galvanized is permitted.) Plastic pipe designed for working pressures of 160 psi or greater will be permitted after the meter pit. Service shall be a continuous run - no joints wherever possible. When joints are necessary due to distance only flared couplings or approved compression couplings will be accepted. No solder or glued joints underground.
6. Every service line must have a stop and waste valve on the inside of the cellar or foundation wall of the premises, immediately inside where the line enters the building.
7. No water will be furnished to any premises where the possibility exists of intermixing or combining of the water furnished by the Company with water or pollutants from any other source, including private wells. All cross connections or potential cross connections must be removed before the meter will be set and service rendered.