

## Lead and Copper testing

Every three years, Winchester Utility System takes water samples from 30 older locations and have them tested for lead and copper. The results in July 2020 are as follows: (based on 90<sup>th</sup> percentile)

Lead	.00226	Action level: 0.015 mg/l
Copper	.13100	Action level: 1.3 mg/l

\*\*If action level is reached by a sample, the customer is notified

The lead and copper found has to do with the plumbing at the locations that are tested.

If you want more information on how to reduce your risk concerning lead and copper, the following EPA website offers some information.

<https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/basic-information-about-lead-drinking-water>