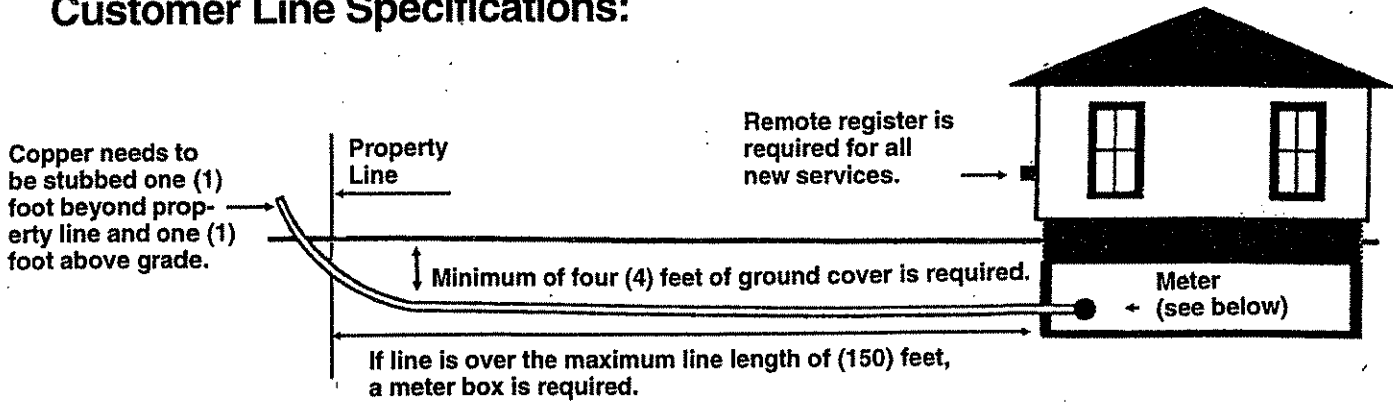


New Water Tap Service Specifications

Toledo Department of Public Utilities (DPU)

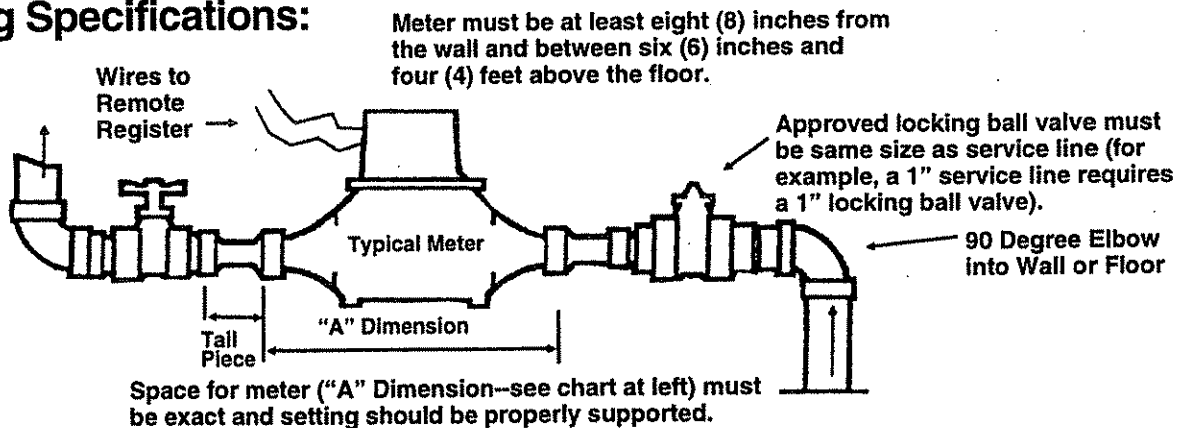
Customer Line Specifications:



- **Line Pre-spotting:** Home owners living on corner lots or major streets must have their taps pre-spotted by Tapping Services before any copper is installed; a Tapping Services representative can be reached by calling 245-1825.
- **Line Size:** Size must be one (1), one and one-half (1½), or two (2) inches; must be the same diameter throughout; and must be the same size as the tap.
- **Line Type:** Line must be type "K" soft copper and be without joints where possible; if there are joints, they must be flared type only.
- **Line Location:** Copper line must be laid a minimum of four (4) feet from gas or sewer lines or a minimum of ten (10) feet from septic tanks and leach fields.
- **Line Position:** Customer line must be at right angles to the water main and must be approved by DPU before a tap will be installed by the tapping department.
- **Line in Crawl Space:** Water line in crawl space must be buried and riser insulated.
- **House Address and Lot Sign:** House address and lot number must be clearly displayed.
- **Tap Request:** Tap request should be made *before* sidewalk or sod is installed.

Meter Setting Specifications:

Laying Length of Meter		
Meter Size	"A" Dimension	Tail Piece
5/8"	7 1/2"	2 3/8"
3/4"	9"	2 1/2"
1"	10 3/4"	2 5/8"
1 1/2"	13 1/4"	NA



- **Meter Installation Request:** Meter setting and remote wiring must be complete *before* a meter will be installed in setting.
- **Meter Setting Material:** Meter setting must be composed of only brass valves and bushings.
- **Meter Position:** Meter must be set in a horizontal position and must be at least eight (8) inches from the wall and between six (6) inches and four (4) feet above the floor.
- **Meter Location:** Meter must not be set in a closet, crawl space or unheated garage or under a sink or cabinet because of insufficient work room and danger of freezing.



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