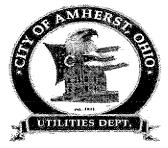
Lead Mapping - City of Amherst CITY OF LORAIN 16" FEEDER FROM CITY OF LORAIN DISCLAIMER NOTES The following information has been obtained from the Lorain County Auditor and other available public records. Lead plumbing material records per City of Amherst Utility Department as of Februrary 2017. Roof footprints are per Lorain County GIS shapefile last updated 2006. The City of Amherst and Bramhall Engineering and Surveying Company does not guarantee the completeness or accuracy thereof. This map should be used for general Parcels with residential and commercial structures with possible lead plumbing materials. ISSUED: purposes only. February 20, 2017 Document Path: J:\AMHERST\031701-203 Amherst Lead Mapping\DRAWINGS\AMHERST Street System for lead water.mxd



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Deborah Nicholas WSRLA District Loan Coordinator Division of Drinking & Ground Waters 2110 East Aurora Road Twinsburg, Ohio 44087

Dear Deborah,

The City of Amherst purchased a private water company in 1964 that supplied water to Amherst and western parts of Lorain. Amherst has seen expansion starting mid-1990 to now. Surrounding are downtown business area and expanding to our city borders. The core of the City of Amherst is marked in marked in yellow on our lead map. This is our historical district and generally our oldest part of the community. In the map provided, the parcels in yellow are likely to have lead services. Lead water services were commonly used prior to the 1940's. The City of Amherst tries to replace the lead services whenever possible.

Therefore, the characteristics of buildings and piping solder or fixtures would be buildings in Ohio built prior to 1998 or that used plumbing material or solder manufactured before 1998 may have materials with greater than 8% lead and are at a higher risk of contributing lead to the drinking water than materials manufactured after 1998. In addition, buildings and plumbing materials manufactured after 2014 were required to have less than 0.25% lead by weight and have the lowest for contributing lead to the drinking water.

Sincerely,

Ron Merthe Superintendent of Utilities