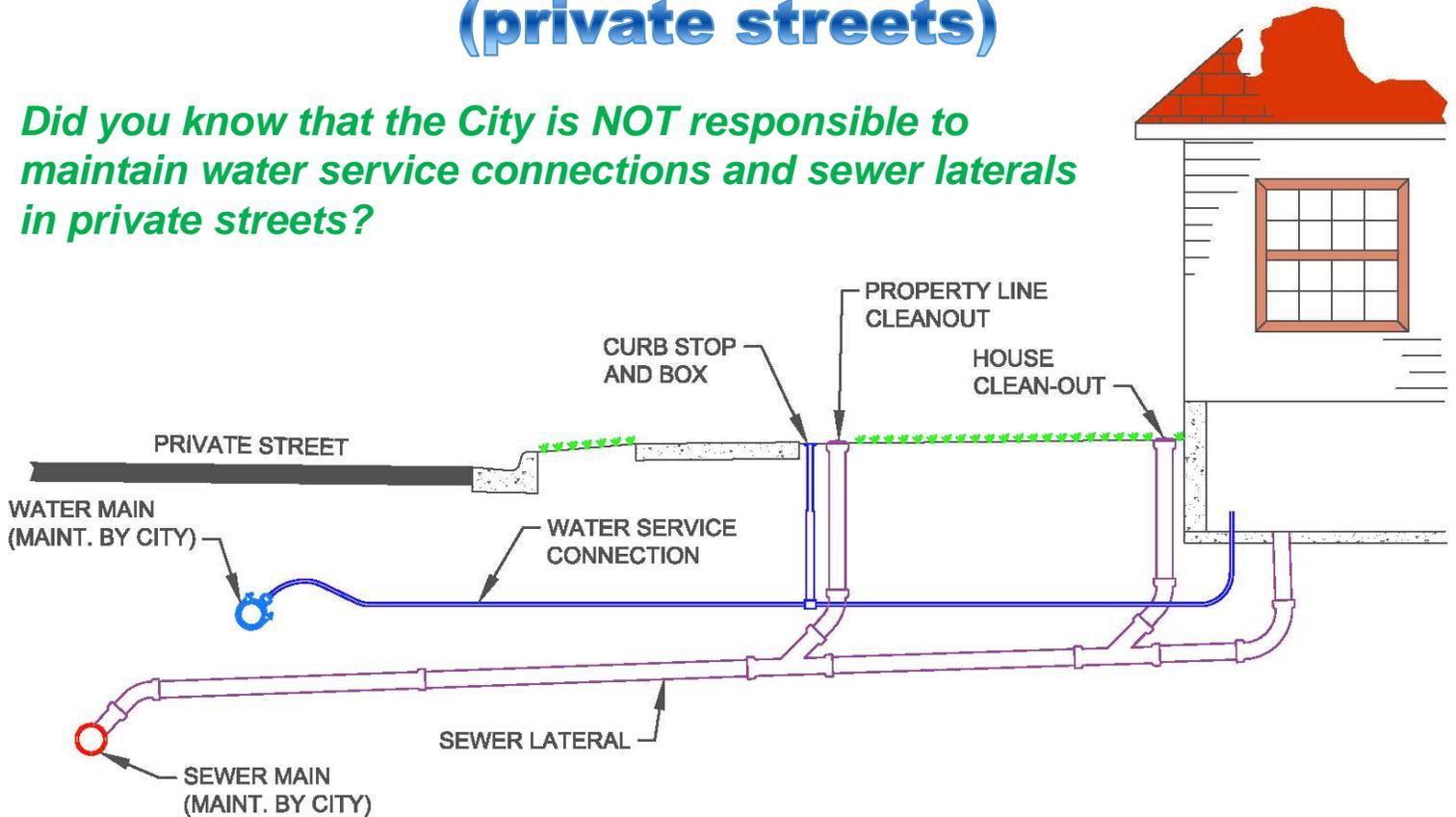


# Water and Sewer Services (private streets)

*Did you know that the City is NOT responsible to maintain water service connections and sewer laterals in private streets?*



## Did you know?

- Property owners on private streets are responsible for maintaining the water and sewer service leads from the main to the building!
  - This includes the portion of the lead under the roadway.
- Water and sewer leads do not last forever, but they can last a long time.
  - Frequent problems may be a sign it is time to replace the lead.

## What can the DPW do for you?

- Assist with temporary water shut-offs to allow for plumbing repairs (internal or external).
- Answer any questions or concerns property owners may have. We are here to help.

## What can YOU do for the DPW?

- Notify the City of suspected problems right away. Water service leaks and sewer blockages don't fix themselves. The longer you wait, the worse it will get and the more it will cost to repair.
- Pay your water bill. Most water leaks are due to a change in pressure on a weak service line. Having your water shutoff, for even a short period of time, may result in a leak when the water is turned back on.
- Keep your curb stop box and cleanouts easily accessible.