

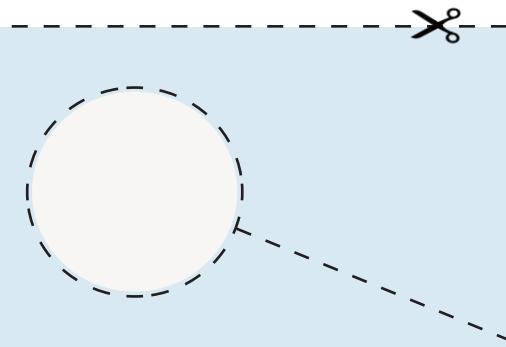


KNOW WHERE YOUR WATER SHUT-OFF VALVE IS LOCATED

With thawing temperatures comes the shifting of the ground – and the potential for messy leaks or breaks in a water line.

Here are some helpful notes to help locate and properly shut off a valve in the event of an emergency.

Clip the tag below and hang on the nearest valve - just in case!

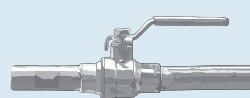


WATER SHUT-OFF VALVE

NOTE: Test the valve to ensure it is working properly. To test it, find the main shut-off valve and slowly close it.

- **Ball Valve:** Closing a ball valve only requires a quarter turn so the handle is perpendicular to the waterline.
- **Gate Valve:** Gate valves are generally closed by turning the handle clockwise. If the valve does not turn easily, do not force it and consider having the valve repaired so that it does turn easily.

Once the main shut-off valve is completely closed, check sinks and other fixtures to be sure it is the main valve and that it is working properly. To turn water back on, slowly turn the valve until fully re-opened.



BALL VALVE SHUT-OFF



GATE VALVE SHUT-OFF



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