Flush for Flint
Take These Steps to Flush Pipes and Aid in Flint Water System Recovery

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Flushing pipes is very important to remove loose lead particles and to coat pipes. Lead line replacement is the long-term goal.

The state will cover this cost.
Residents will receive a credit on their water bill.

Step 1
Run cold water at the highest flow in the bathtub* for 5 minutes.

*If you do not have a bathtub, run cold water at highest flow from a laundry tub or garden hose.

Step 2
Run cold water at the highest flow from the kitchen faucet for 5 minutes.

Flip lever to bypass filter or remove filter first, then reinstall filter.

Step 3
Do this every day for 14 days in May.

Watch the water draining to avoid overflow of sinks or tubs.

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