

Cold Weather Water Tips

- Locate the water cut-off valve at the meter. The meter is usually located in your front yard.
- Insulated covers for your outside faucets are a good idea.
- Disconnect all garden hoses and attachments from outside faucets.
- Leave cold water dripping on interior faucets that are on exterior walls.
- If you plan on being away from home for an extended period of time, consider shutting off your water or having someone check your home periodically.
- Keep kitchen and bath cabinets open to allow warm air inside your home to circulate around the pipes.
- Be prepared with emergency contact numbers:
 - City of Madison Public Works Department 601-856-8958, calls are answered 24 hours a day