**Hibbing Public Utilities** 

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# **Subject: STEAM SERVICE MATERIALS**

# **Steam Service Mains and Condensate Return Piping**

- 1. All steam service mains and condensate return piping will be black standard weight, schedule 80, seamless or electric resistance welded pipe, conforming to ASTME 53, Grade B, Type B or S, or ASTME 106, Grade B.
- 2. Pipe ends will be beveled for welded connections.
- 3. All joints will be butt welded on both the steam service main and the condensate main.
- 4. Where the piping enters necessary fittings, socket weld fittings are recommended.

#### **Line Valves**

- Valves used on the steam lines will be Gate Valves 125# WOG pressure rating, with an outside screw, rising stem, and bolted flange yoke bonnet with solid wedge seal.
- 2. End connections will be ASA #150 flanges.
- 3. End connection valves will be Powell 1793 or the approval equal.
- 4. Main tap valves will be installed in the manhole by the HPUC at the current rate charge.
- 5. Shut-off valves inside of the building will be provided and installed by the customer and/or contractor.

### **Standard Steam Service Mains**

Standard steam service mains will be 2-inch carrier pipes for residential service. Other services will be sized by the HPUC on an individual basis as required.

## **Standard Condensate Return Mains**

Standard condensate return mains will 1 ¼-inch carrier pipes for residential service. Other services will be sized by the HPUC on an individual basis as required.

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