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HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill: House File 876 (HF 442)
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Floor Manager: Representative Jeneary

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Disclosure of Lead Service Lines

• Requires the presence of lead service lines to be included in real estate disclosures.

Section by Section Analysis

Section 1 - Definitions (Iowa Code 558A.1(3A))

Defines "downstream" as a service line between a lead service line and the water meter, "Service line" includes the pipe from the water main to the water meter and does not include interior plumbing, "lead service line" as a service line made of lead of a galvanized service line that has ever been downstream of any lead service line.

Section 2 – Required information (Iowa Code 558A.4(1)(a))

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Section 3 – EFFECTIVE DATE

Takes effect January 1, 2026