



BOROUGH OF EAST NEWARK

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On January 27, 2023, I had the honor of attending the Biden-Harris Administration's Summit on Lead Pipe Replacement at The White House with Commissioner Shawn LaTourette of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.

East Newark is pleased to be among the first communities in the nation to participate in the groundbreaking "[Lead Service Line Replacement Accelerator](#)". Participation in this program is an important step in protecting the health of our families and children from the harmful effects of lead.

Proud to support Commissioner LaTourette as his presented on the accelerator program and grateful for his shout out to East Newark!

East Newark is also pleased to be an inaugural member of the "[Biden-Harris Get the Lead Out Partnership](#)". This partnership will provide East Newark additional resources to accelerate the replacements of lead pipes.

These programs will not only support communities who otherwise would face challenges in getting this done, it will also create good paying jobs and clean water for our families and businesses.

Full video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eOPTiIMvIYc&t=7432s>

East Newark mention: 20:44 / 2:43:11

Lead Service Line Accelerators panel: 11:30 / 2:43:11

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