

How to Shut Off Water Sandy UT Bumble Bee Plumbing Emergency Guide Knowing how to shut off the water in your Sandy home is one of the most valuable pieces of plumbing knowledge a homeowner can have, because in a burst pipe or major leak situation, the time between the water starting to flow and the moment it stops flowing is directly correlated to the amount of water damage that results. Bumble Bee Plumbing shares practical guidance with Sandy homeowners on locating and operating the main water shutoff and individual fixture shutoffs, because homeowners who know how to act in the first moments of a plumbing emergency can limit damage dramatically while help is [Plumber Sandy UT bumblebeeplumbers.com](https://www.bumblebeeplumbers.com) on the way. The main water shutoff for most Sandy homes is located where the water service line enters the home, typically in the mechanical room, utility room, or the basement near the foundation wall on the street-facing side of the home. The shutoff is either a gate valve, which requires multiple turns of a wheel handle to close fully, or a ball valve, which closes with a quarter-turn lever. If the main shutoff has not been operated in years, it may be stiff or partially seized, and Bumble Bee Plumbing can replace a failed main shutoff valve as part of a scheduled service call. Individual fixture shutoffs under sinks and behind toilets allow the homeowner to isolate a specific fixture that is leaking without shutting off water to the entire home. These valves also seize over time in Sandy's mineral-heavy water, and Bumble Bee Plumbing recommends confirming that all fixture shutoffs operate correctly during an annual inspection.

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For plumbing emergency response and shutoff valve replacement in Sandy, UT, Bumble Bee Plumbing is available 24/7. Knowing where your shutoff is and that it works is the first line of defense. Call (385) 205-1833 for plumbing service in Sandy, UT.

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