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# Septic System Installation Requirements

*Contractors shall notify this office at least 2 working days prior to starting the construction of any system to request scheduling of required inspections.*

## INSPECTIONS

### INSPECTIONS WILL TAKE PLACE MONDAY - THURSDAYS

#### Inspections:

1. **Tank hole**, to see stone and tank- with ASTM. Seal, in one inspection.
  2. **Bottom hole** of leaching system prior to application of any fill material, regardless of whether there is a 5' overdig or not.
  3. **Final** inspection of all components prior to backfill. System shall not be backfilled until "As-Built" plan is received or verbal confirmation by the design engineer is acknowledged.
  4. Additional inspection determined by the Agents of the Health Department.
- All work must be completed prior to inspector arrival on site at scheduled time. Any work not completed prior to the arrival of the inspector will require a re-inspection. **Re-inspection fee must be paid to the town prior to re-scheduling of the next inspection.**
  - Agents of the Health Department/Engineer must be notified and approval sought prior to deviation from any portion of the approved septic design plan.

#### **REMINDERS:**

1. A copy of the approved septic plan shall be kept on site.
2. 6" stone base required for tank.
3. All fill material shall be "homogeneous" septic sand, free of any material greater than 2" in diameter. **The sieve analysis report from where it is being purchased shall be submitted to this office.**
4. Backfill material over system must be material which is free of stones and rocks greater than 6" diameter.
5. Final system cover (soil) must be graded so that water sheds away from system and any permanent structures.
6. Pump and crush old tank.
7. Stone under pipe from house to tank.

#### Fees are as follows:

• Disposal Works Construction and Repair Permit	\$200.00
• Septic Component	\$ 50.00
• Percolation Test	\$200.00
• Re-Percolation Test	\$100.00
• <b>Re-inspection Fee</b>	<b>\$100.00</b>
• Penalty for not having approved design plan on site	\$100.00

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