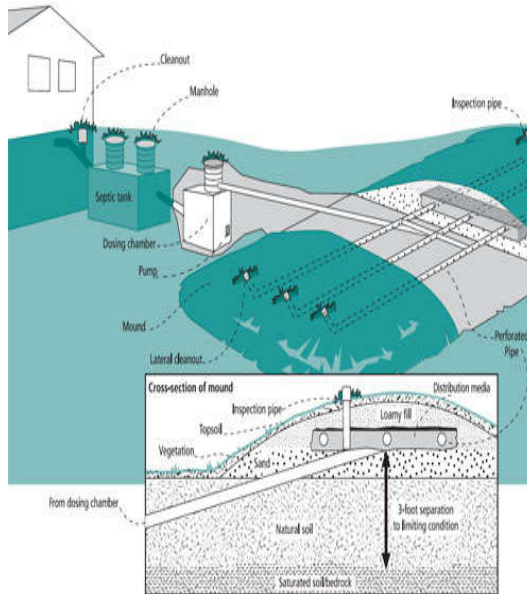


Compliance Inspection Required When:

- Transferring property
- Adding living space and/ or bedroom(s) to a dwelling
- Expansion or replacement of a building being serviced by a septic system
- Change in use of the property being served by an SSTS
- Complaint filed with the Department
- Anytime a permit or variance of any type is required for any improvement on, or use of, the property in the Shoreland Overlay District, where any portion of the septic system serving the dwelling or structure are located within the Shoreland boundary, or when the proposed structure is located within the Shoreland boundary.
- Prior to the installation and connection of the solid sewer pipe (building sewer) or other mains and collection systems installed in front of the septic or holding tanks.

The inspection must be completed by a state licensed inspector.

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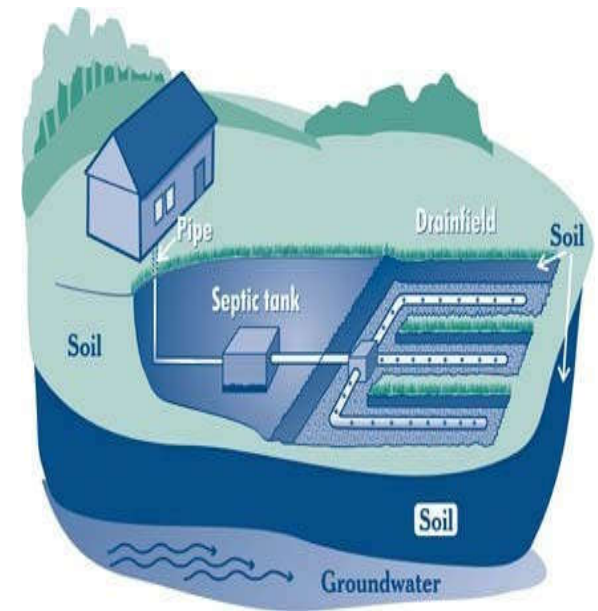


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On-Site Septic System Construction Procedure in Dodge County



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PROCESS

Steps to obtain a Dodge County Septic System permit include:

1. Site evaluation report, performed and signed by a state licensed professional .*
2. Design of the proposed system, performed and signed by a state licensed professional .*
3. Choose a state licensed professional who will install your system. If the installer is different from the designer they must follow the design as approved by the County.
4. Submit a permit application on the county permit form. Attach all required forms. Professional and homeowner signatures are required.
5. Permit will be reviewed and approved by a County qualified employee. The installer will receive a copy of the permit approval.
6. When approved, the installer may proceed with construction. The installer is responsible for notifying the Environmental Services Department 24 hours in advance for an inspection of the proposed system.
7. After an inspection is completed and the installer submits the As-Build, the report is filed.
8. A "Certificate of Compliance" will be mailed to the homeowner and installer.
9. Your septic system data will be kept on file at the Dodge County Environmental Services Department.

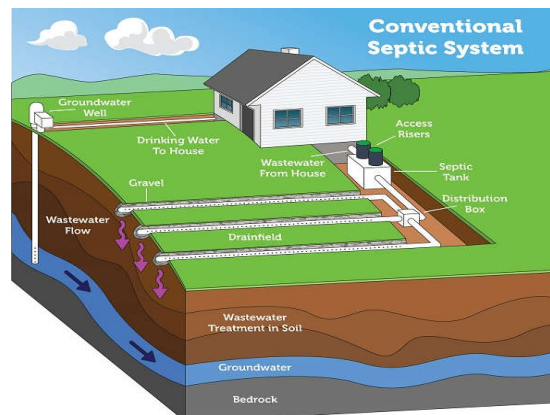
FEES FOR SEPTIC SYSTEM PERMITS:

- ♦ \$220.00 Tank Only
- ♦ \$470.00 for a Standard Septic System-<2500gpd
- ♦ \$0.50/gpd design for Community or Commercial Systems with a design flow of greater than 2500 gpd*
- ♦ \$700.00 with up to 2 inspections—Type IV system*
- ♦ \$150.00 Additional Site Evaluation
- ♦ \$150.00 Additional Inspection Fee
- ♦ Operating Permit \$85/year
- ♦ Community System & Systems over 2500gpd \$135.00/year

Fees are subject to change annually.

* Requires Operating Permit for life of system

*Forms and a list of licensed professionals are available on the Dodge County website: <http://www.co.dodge.mn.us>



Permits Required For:

- New Construction
- Replacement
- Repair
- Alteration, Extension, or reconstruction of an Individual Sewage Treatment System
- Installation or replacement of a Septic Tank or a Holding Tank
- Change in capacity of system (example: bedroom addition, increased number of employees)
- Installation of the solid sewer pipe (building sewer) or other mains and collection systems installed in front of the septic or holding tanks.

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