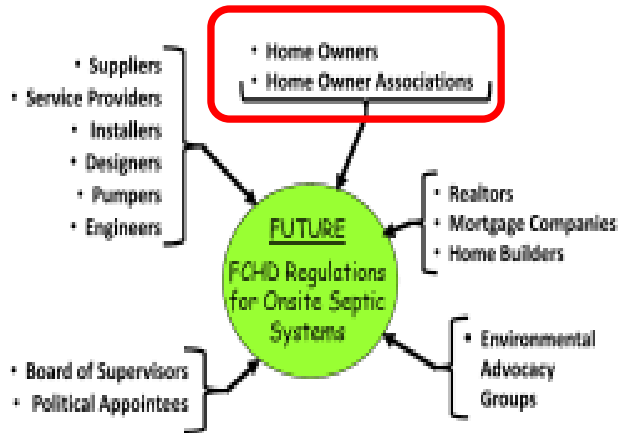


STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS



How You Can Help

In order to develop a maintenance program for septic systems that will benefit all stakeholders, we are seeking your input. The homeowner 'stakeholder' group you are included in will meet on ~~November 13, 2007 at 7:30 pm~~ at the address inside the pamphlet to discuss the following issues:

- Are you concerned that your septic system is not functioning as designed?
- Are you concerned that your septic system may not be maintained in accordance with the manufacture's recommendations?
- Are you interested in what the Fairfax County Health Department – Division of Environmental Health's concerns and goals are for managing septic systems?

**Waste Water Management
2815 Hartland Road, Suite 210
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Reasons To Care About Septic Systems



To Protect Your Health



To Protect Your Wealth

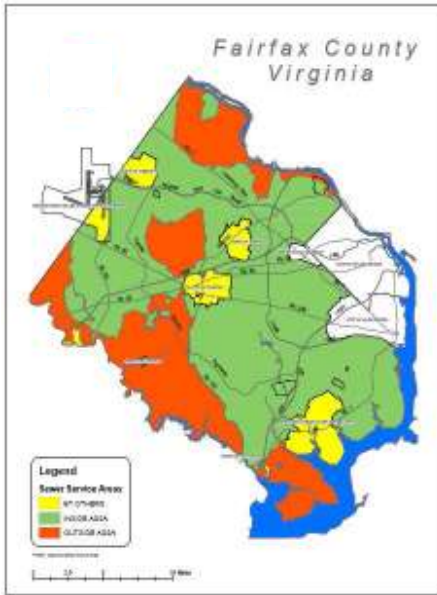


To Protect the Health and Wealth of our Environment

The Purpose

The Fairfax County Septic Consortium has been formed to work with the Fairfax County Health Department - Division of Environmental Health (FCHD-DEH) to consider the development of new regulations regarding the management and operation of 'onsite' wastewater systems. These systems are commonly referred to as septic systems and are recognized as a permanent part of the County infrastructure.

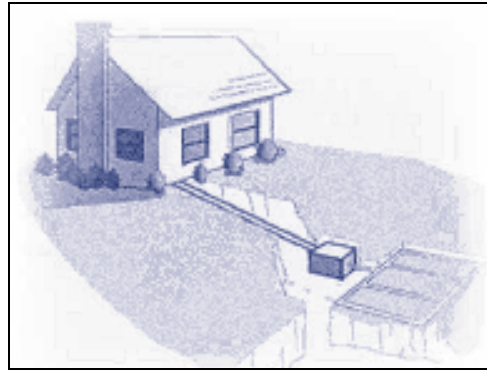
There are approximately 30,000 of these septic system located in the areas in red shown on the map.



As a homeowner, you are responsible for monitoring and maintaining your septic system and ensuring it is functioning satisfactorily. Advancements in septic systems and 'onsite' wastewater treatment technology have resulted in highly complicated treatment and pumping systems possibly making your job extremely complicate. Therefore, the Fairfax County Septic Consortium wants to help you.....

To Protect Your Health

"Out of sight and out of mind" is what happens in most cases with septic systems until problems occur. However, failing septic systems are more than a nuisance; they can be a health hazard. Industry experts agree that ongoing maintenance is necessary.



To Protect Your Wealth

A septic system is a critical component of a home's value. A failing septic system can be bad news for the homeowner's bank account as replacement of these systems can range from \$25,000 - \$40,000. Similar to any mechanical device, routine attention is the best approach to assure a long and healthy service life of the septic system.

To Protect the Health & Wealth of Our Environment

Wastewater treated by septic systems flows into our environment. If these septic systems fail, there is the potential to pollute groundwater, streams, and open water bodies. Ultimately, this can impact the quality of our drinking water.

Stakeholder Meeting Schedule

We want you to participate in this process. One of a series of homeowner 'stakeholder' group meetings will meet on ~~November 13th, 2007~~ at the following location and time:

LOCATION:

Great Falls Grange
~~Great Falls Citizen Association Meeting~~
 Great Falls, Virginia 22066

TIME:

7:30 pm

NOVEMBER 2007						
TO BE DETERMINED						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

If you have additional comments or questions, please contact:

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