

Help Protect Your Drinking Water Resources



On-Site Septic Systems

Become **Better Informed** about Wellhead Protection

On-site sewage treatment systems (septic systems) can contribute to groundwater contamination if they are not operated properly or if not maintained on a regular schedule.

Simple steps to protect your drinking water resources:

- *You can help by making sure your system is compliant with local regulations.
- *Have your system pumped and inspected every 2-3 years.
- *Prevent paint or other hazardous materials from entering the system.
- *Don't use harsh household chemicals or additives.
- *Use liquid soaps for washing dishes and clothes.

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