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**RESIDENTIAL SEPTIC SYSTEM PERMIT APPLICATION**

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_  New Construction  Repair of Failing System  Addition

<p><b>OWNER INFORMATION</b></p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>City, State, Zip _____</p> <p>Home Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>Work Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>Fax (    ) _____</p> <p>Other Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>E-MAIL _____</p> <p>*Contractor: _____</p> <p><small>*If you have chosen a septic contractor, they may act as your agent in applying and picking up a repair permit. However, you must indicate this is the contractor of your choosing.</small></p>	<p><b>AUTHORIZED AGENT INFORMATION (if other than owner)</b></p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Business Name _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>City, State, Zip _____</p> <p>Home Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>Work Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>Fax (    ) _____</p> <p>Other Phone (    ) _____</p> <p>E-MAIL _____</p>
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**PROPERTY INFORMATION**

Property Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Subdivision \_\_\_\_\_ Lot \_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_

Current # Bedrooms \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed # Bedrooms \_\_\_\_\_ Tax ID \_\_\_\_\_

Garbage Disposal:  Yes  No    Property Water:  Public  Well    Lot Size (Sq. Ft.)\*\* \_\_\_\_\_  
\*\*1 acre = 43,560 square feet

Stub Out Location:  Basement (w/ Plumbing)  Basement (w/o Plumbing)  Crawl Space  Slab

Check all below that are on or within 100' of property and indicate location:

Creeks  Ponds  Well, Spring, Sink Hole  Embankments  Gullies

Locations \_\_\_\_\_

Level 3 Soil Report *(Required for new construction, repair permits, and additions requiring modification to the existing septic system.)*

Type of Structure:  Single Family Residence  Multi-family Residence  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

*Repair or addition please complete this section*

When was tank last pumped? \_\_\_\_\_  O.K. to Enter Yard  Fence with Gate  Dogs in Yard

If applying for a repair permit, check if sewage is:  Backing up in house  Surfacing in yard



DESCRIBE PROJECT (if an addition, list all additions with dimensions)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (if needed)

Once permit is approved to install an on-site sewage management system, the permit expires twelve (12) months from date of issue. Issuance of a construction permit for an on-site sewage management system and subsequent approval by GNR Environmental Health Department (GNR EH) shall not be construed as a guarantee that such system will function satisfactorily for a given period of time. GNR EH does not assume any liability for damages which are caused by the malfunction of such system.

OWNER'S/AUTHORIZED AGENT'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE USE ONLY

APPROVED     DISAPPROVED    Inspector Signature \_\_\_\_\_    Date \_\_\_\_\_

## RESIDENTIAL SEPTIC SYSTEM: REPAIR PERMITTING REQUIREMENTS

For the submission of an application for a residential septic system repair, the following items must be provided:

1. A completed *Residential Septic System Permit Application* and applicable fees paid to the respective county.
2. Provide three (3) copies of the engineered site plan if required (see “Engineered Site Plan Requirements” on the next page).
3. A Level 3 soil report will be required for the review of the application.

If an approved Level 3 soil report is already on record with this department, it may be utilized. If your property does not have an approved Level 3 soil report on file, an original stamped Level 3 soil report from a certified soil classifier recognized by the State of Georgia Environmental Health Office is required. A list of approved soil classifiers can be located at: <http://dph.georgia.gov/wastewater-management>

### When an Engineered Site Plan and Level 4 soil report may be required

Please be advised that after review of the submitted information (items 1 and 3 above) it may be determined that the property will require a residential engineered site plan (see “Residential Engineered Site Plan Requirements” on the next page). Typically, engineered site plans will be required when there are challenging limitations of the lot. You will be notified if an engineered site plan is required for your permit application.

Our staff may require a Level 4 soil report when alternative on-site sewage management systems are proposed and additional soil data is needed to adequately address site suitability and/or system design.

Please allow our office 10 working days to review the plans and conduct a site visit. We will contact you if any questions arise.

### Residential Engineered Site Plan Requirements (when required):

- Scale 1" = 20'
- Lot dimensions
- Ground run topo on 2 foot intervals
- All proposed topo changes on 2 foot intervals (grading plan)
- Transposed soils – minimum Level 3 or higher soil map overlaid on plat
- Outer house dimensions
- House location
- All auxiliary structures to include outer dimension and location
- All existing structures to include outer dimension and location
- All driveways, paved or unpaved parking areas
- Swimming pools proposed or existing
- All walkways, patios, decks, etc.
- Original and repair OSSMS (septic tanks, distribution devices, absorption fields and all other required OSSMS components). Original and repair OSSMS must be shown at 100% length with reductions to be given at time of permit issuance if applicable
- All flood plains or flood hazards
- All bodies of water (streams, ponds, lakes, rivers, etc.) to within 50 feet of the property line
- All potable, non-potable and/or capped wells and all springheads within 100 feet of the property line
- All easements and buffers
- Location of proposed or existing underground utilities.
- All detention ponds and/or drainage or detention structures
- All OSSMS codes must apply to the design and location of the OSSMS systems
- Any other items that may affect the location or design of the OSSMS
- A copy of current in force liability insurance certificate with limits of liability of no less than one million dollars.
- Residential engineered site plans shall bear the seal and signature of the designer and include the following statement: **I certify this on-site sewage management system meets the minimum design requirements established by the Department of Public Health. I have made a site visit to verify the system can be installed as designed in accordance with these regulations.**