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Septic System Criteria

HOUSE

- Number of Bedrooms
- Number of Fixtures (installed and planned)
- Total Finished Floor Area

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LOT

- Soil type (sand or bedrock)
- Elevations (steep or flat))
- Location of other features
  - lot line
  - well
  - floodplain
  - body of water (river, lake, 100 year floodplain)
  - trees

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TANK

Minimum Size - 3600 litres (850 gallons)

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LEACHING BED

- Type of Bed
- Size of Pipe
- Length of Pipe
- Stone/Sand

TREATMENT UNIT

IF LIMITED BY LOT SIZE/SOIL TYPE

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