

Private Sewage System Repair

Project Intent: To prevent contamination of surface water and groundwater from a faulty private residential septic system; to correct a problem due to a faulty system

Eligible Project Components

Repair or replacement of a faulty septic system adjacent to or in proximity of a waterbody or ground water which is clearly at risk of contamination

Technical Details/Considerations

- ▶ An EFP (3rd edition) and FBR number or a Healthy Home Guide (for non-farm rural landowners) is required
- ▶ Project must demonstrate a potential to protect/improve surface water and/or groundwater quality
- ▶ Applicable approvals must be obtained prior to funding under the RVRCWP
- ▶ System upgrades to add plumbing fixtures, as in the case of home renovation/addition, are not eligible for funding
- ▶ Communal systems are not eligible for funding
- ▶ Funding is contingent upon confirmation of a sewage system permit from the local authority under Section 8 of the *Ontario Building Code Act*.

Eligible Costs

- ▶ Required permits and approvals
- ▶ Purchased materials
- ▶ Contract and professional labour/design

Ineligible Costs

- ▶ Applicant labour (including dependents)
- ▶ Applicant equipment
- ▶ Upgrades related to added fixtures/house additions
- ▶ Tax (HST)

It is the applicant's responsibility to meet all municipal, provincial and/or federal regulatory or legal requirements

Questions? Call the LandOwner Resource Centre 613 692 2390 or 1 800 387-5304, fax: 692-2806

Rideau Valley Rural Clean Water Program

Maximum Cost Share Available:

50%

Maximum Grant:

\$1,000

