

NPDES

This type of system is primarily characterized as one where sewage from the home is highly treated and then discharged to the waters of the state.

Due to rule changes effective January 1, 2015 in the state of Ohio, all types of sewage treatment systems are now required to obtain an operational permit from the local health department. These changes are referenced in Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 3701-29, Ohio Revised Code 3718 and additionally Wayne County Health Department Resolution 04-09-2015 (4) (a-j). In addition, as a condition of your NPDES Permit that was obtained through the OEPA you are REQUIRED to have an in effect service contract for the life of your type of septic system. The Wayne County Health Department policy is that this operational permit must be obtained by owners of such sewage treatment systems every June with the required service contract and effluent sampling.

Upon expiration/initial issuance you will be receiving an additional letter explaining options for obtaining the annual permit for your HSTS. In order to obtain a new operational permit a current in- effect copy of your required service contract and proof of maintenance by a service provider shall be provided to the health department each June. In addition, an effluent sample must be provided.

If the required info is not provided an inspection by Wayne County Health Department with a \$225 fee will be assessed in addition to the items stated above. The OEPA will also require you to renew your NPDES permit to discharge during each 5-year cycle. A separate letter will be sent by the OEPA when that is due. Should you sell your property please contact the Wayne County Health Department so we can update our records and send you the NPDES Transfer Form.

Our intent is to assist homeowners in meeting these requirements by providing assistance and answers to questions you may have.

You can contact the EH Unit at:

(330) 264-2426

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NPDES EFFLUENT SAMPLING LABORATORIES

This list includes septic system Service Providers and laboratory that sample NPDES septic systems. Homeowners may have their system sampled by their Service Provider or testing completed at a laboratory. Each Service Provider or lab will have their own sampling procedure and associated cost. Homeowners are encouraged to speak directly to the company for more information.

LABORATORY	PHONE	WEBSITE	ADDRESS
AERATION SEPTIC INC	330-754-2843	https://www.aeration-septic.com/	PO Box 624, Canal Fulton, OH 44614
AMERICAN ANALYTICAL LABS	330-535-1300	www.aal-inc.com	840 South Main St, Akron, OH 44311
CRYSTAL LABORATORIES INC	330-454-4222	http://www.akronenvironmentaltesting.com/	1201 Camden Ave SW, Canton, OH 44706
REAM & HAAGER	330-343-3711	www.rhlab.us	1226 Kaderly St NW, New Philadelphia, OH 44663
QUALITY LABS INC	513-225-8378		4393 HIGHWAY 119, OINEVILLE, KY 40977
SPEEDIE SEPTIC AND SEWER	330-878-5423	https://speedieliquidwasteservices.com/	300 6th ST SW, Strasburg, OH 44680
STARK AERATION	330-494-5095	http://www.starkaeration.com/	PO Box 386, Hartsville, OH 44632

Additional labs beyond this list may be available.