

F.A.Q.

- **I recently had my tank pumped (purchased property or regular maintenance); do I have to get it pumped again?**

No. You will be given a waiver for pumping if you can show proof (cancelled check, receipt, etc.) that your septic tank has been pumped within the last year.

- **I recently had my tank pumped by a person NOT on the approved haulers list; do I have to pump the tank again?**

No. However this waiver will only be granted for the first cycle of the program.

- **I have an abandoned house (and system); do I have to pump it?**

Yes. It is recommended that the tank be crushed so then you will not need to pump the next cycle.

- **I just put in a new system (or repaired) which had the tank pumped; do I have to pump again?**

No. You will be given a waiver for pumping if you can show proof (permit, cancelled check, receipt, etc.) that your septic tank has been pumped within the last year.

- **My system is only used part time during the year; do I have to pump it?**

Yes. DEP does not recognize part time usage of a system.

- **I am the only one living at the house; do I have to pump it?**

Yes. The number of people living at the house does not change when you need to have your tank pumped.

- **Do I pump every three years or do I have to follow the Township's scheduled year?**

You need to follow the TOWNSHIP'S SCHEDULE. Waivers will be provided for the FIRST CYCLE, but very limited in all other cycles that follow.

- **I have a holding tank, outhouse, cesspool, etc.; do I have to pump it?**

Yes. Any system within the Township is required to be pumped.

- **I have vacant land (no buildings or septic systems); what do I do?**

An excusal form will be provided. You will need to state the property and that no systems are present and send it back. You will be given a waiver for the cycle.