



Murray County Environmental Health

REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION TO INSTALL A NEW INDIVIDUAL ONSITE SEWAGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- Obtain approval from the Murray County Land Use Office. (706) 517-1400, extension 208.
- Obtain a Level III Soil Study done by a Registered Soil Classifier (Must be approved by the State of Georgia to perform soil studies).
- Fill out application for on-site sewage management system permit.
- Provide this office with a copy of the floor plan for the residence or business.
- Provide a copy of plat, if available.
- Mark specific house location and driveway.
- Pay appropriate fee.

Fees are based on square footage of the residence (square footage is measured by calculating length times width of the residence and includes basements and garages, current fees as of 03-01-13 are as follows:

- 1000 square ft or less= \$150**
- 1001 to 2000 square ft= \$250**
- 2001 to 3000 square ft= \$350**
- 3001 to 4000 square ft= \$450**
- 4001 square ft and up= \$550**

This office is not set up to process credit or debit cards.

- Allow up to 20 days for issuance of permit (in most situations a permit can be issued within one week).

The application does not guarantee approval. An inspector from this office will make a site visit to your property to consider issuance of a permit. Additional information and/or studies may be required for difficult sites with issues such as poor soil conditions, drainage issues, steep slope, etc.

