



**OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES
FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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Septic System Pump-Out Rebate Program

Instructions:

1. Select a licensed septic pumping company that sends its waste to a Frederick County wastewater treatment plant (WWTP).
2. Complete application.
3. Attach a copy of the invoice.
4. Attach a copy of one of the following accepted proofs of payment:
 - Cancelled check (front and back)
 - Credit card receipt
 - Invoice signed by the septic hauler showing account balance of \$0.00
5. Email to sustainability@frederickcountymd.gov or
6. Mail to: Office of Sustainability and Environmental Resources
Attn: Linda Williamson
30 N. Market Street
Frederick, MD 21701

Please Note:

Our offices are currently closed due to COVID-19. You may still reach us by email or phone.

- Do not staple document
- Rebate processing ~~may take up to 60 days~~, *We appreciate your patience as we work through our backlog of applications. Your application will be reviewed in the order it was received. Please be aware, approved rebates could take up to 90 days to arrive.*
- There will be a delay in processing if required information is missing or incorrect
- Rebates available for pump-out of residential septic systems after January 1, 2019.
- Rebate per pump-out is \$75.00, eligible once every 5 years per address.
- Rebate is subject to funding availability offered on first come, first serve basis.
- Additional costs associated with equipment, parts, upgrades etc. are not eligible for a rebate.

Maintenance Tips:

- Inspect your septic system regularly.
- Pump your septic system every 5 years.
- Do not dispose of hazardous wastes in sinks or toilets.
- Do not drive or park vehicles on top of the drainfield.
- Plant only grass over the drainfield to avoid root damage.





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FrederickCountyMD.gov/septicrebate
Septic Pump-Out Rebate Application

Please include the following:

(Do not staple documents)

Invoice from a licensed pumping company that sends its waste to a Frederick County wastewater treatment plant (WWTP).

Proofs of payment accepted:

- Copy of cancelled check (front and back)

- Copy of credit card receipt

- Copy of invoice signed by the septic hauler showing account balance of \$0.00.

Address of Property (where pump-out occurred):

Applicant Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Address to which rebate should be mailed (if different from above):

Verification Statement: *The information submitted is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, I grant Frederick County the right of enter the property and inspect septic pump-out, if necessary.*

Signature of Property Owner: _____ **Date:** _____

For questions related to this application, please email the Office of Sustainability and Environmental Resources at sustainability@frederickcountymd.gov.

FrederickCountyMD.gov/septicrebate



Public Health
Prevent. Promote. Protect.

Frederick County Health Department

Barbara A. Brookmyer, M.D., M.P.H. ▪ Health Officer

Updated July 17, 2019

Re: Pumping of Septic Tanks From the 6
Inch Inspection Port

Dear Liquid Waste Haulers:

It has been brought to the Frederick County Health Department's (FCHD) attention that some liquid waste haulers are routinely using the 6 inch inspection port to pump septic tanks.

The purpose of the 6 inch inspection port is to provide access to the septic tank when a problem occurs and to determine if the problem is between the facility and the septic tank or between the septic tank and the leach field.

The pipe was intentionally sized so that liquid could be pumped from the tank, but only in the case of an emergency. This would allow occupants to continue using sanitary facilities while the problem was being corrected. The 6 inch inspection port is not to be used for routine maintenance of the septic tank.

Every septic tank has an 18"- 24" manhole for routine pumping of the septic tank. This manhole provides sufficient area so that solids can be removed from all areas of the tank. The 6 inch inspection port does not!

As professionals, the FCHD expects you to advise your clients that to correctly remove the solids from the septic tank requires cleaning it from the large manhole. If the FCHD finds that any waste hauler is telling or implying to their customers that the 6 inch inspection port is to be used for routine removal of solids from the septic tank, your liquid haulers license will be suspended.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 301-600-3155.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Dillman, Program Manager
Well & Septic Branch

Barry Glotfelty ▪ Director

Environmental Health Services ▪ 350 Montevue Lane ▪ Frederick, MD 21702
Phone: 301-600-1715 ▪ Fax: 301-600-3180 ▪ MD TTY: 1-800-735-2258



Frederick County Government		https://www.frederickcountymd.gov/septicrebate		
Haulers Permitted		City / Zip	Phone	Comments
thru 12/31/2021				
Bowman's	H-054	Thurmont MD 21788	443.309.8716	Residential & Commercial
Busy Service	H-076	Gaithersburg MD 20882	410.635.8560	Residential & Commercial
Countywide Septic Service (Westminister)	H-053	Keymar MD 21757	240.415.9800	Residential & Commercial
T.E. Crummitt Jr., Backhoe & Septic Service	H-003	New Market Md 21774	301.898.7064	Residential & Commercial
Frederick Septic Co. A Division of D.A. Sensenig Inc.	H-048	Frederick MD 21702	301.698.1033	Residential & Commercial
Freedom Septic Service, Inc.	H-033	Eldersburg, MD 21784	410.795.2947	Residential & Commercial
Fogle's Septic Services	H-005	Sykesville, MD 21784	877.973.7842	Residential & Commercial
Hatfields Septic Service	H-072	Annapolis Jctn MD 20701	301.490.4289	Residential & Commercial
Rohrbaugh Septic Cleaning	H-010	Emmitsburg MD. 21727	301-447-2286	Residential & Commercial
Jet Septic	H-042	Westmister MD 21157	410.875.2311	Residential & Commercial
Mr. Rooter Plumbing	H-077	Frederick MD 21701	240.435.2304	Residential & Commercial
PM Murphy Septic Services	H-029	Ijamsville MD 21754	301.865.3062	Residential & Commercial
Roelkey's Septic Service	H-009	Knoxville, MD 21758	301.432.5145/ 240.578.1682	Residential & Commercial
Sams Creek	H-089	New Windsor MD 21776	443.821.4932	Residential & Port Toilets
Tri-County Pump Service	H-069	Boonsboro MD 21713	301.432.0330	Residential & Commercial
Tolley Enterprises Inc.	H-085	Monrovia, MD 21770	301.831.6037	Residential Only
WRF & Son Plumbing & Heating Inc.	H-034	Mt Airy MD 21771	301.831.5280	Residential & Commercial
R & E Chiefs Septic LLC	H-068	Mt Airy MD 21771	410.635.3237	Residential
Mayes Septic	H-057	Hagerstown MD 21742	301.791.7977	Residential
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