

Mp-15533 Batch - 1879

### August 2012 INVOICE

#### AMHERST PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Bangs Community Center 70 Boltwood Walk Amherst, MA 01002

DATE: August 21, 2012

то Tom Blake 396 Middle Street Amherst, MA 01002

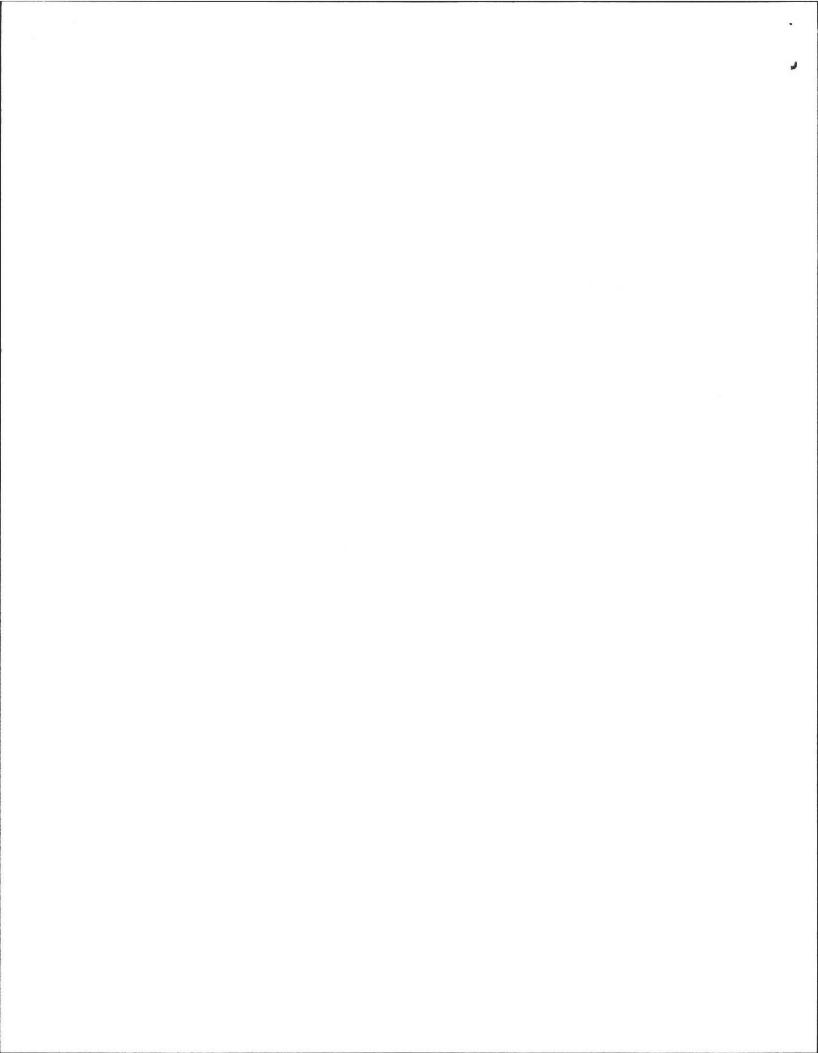
RE: Invoice for Septic Title V witness

Services provided by

Edmund Smith

PAYMENT TERMS: Due Upon Receipt

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UN	IT PRICE	LIN	E TOTAL
1.00	Septic Title V witness	\$	200.00	\$	200.00
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	this invoice is due/thank you				
	(if you will be connecting to the sewer, please remit directly;				
	if submitting a repair septic plan, please remit an additional \$150				
	with that application)				
12			SUBTOTAL	\$	200.00
			SALES TAX		
			TOTAL	\$	200.00



CUST NAME 4 BOLTWOOD AVENUE 10/02/12 CITY, ST, ZIP

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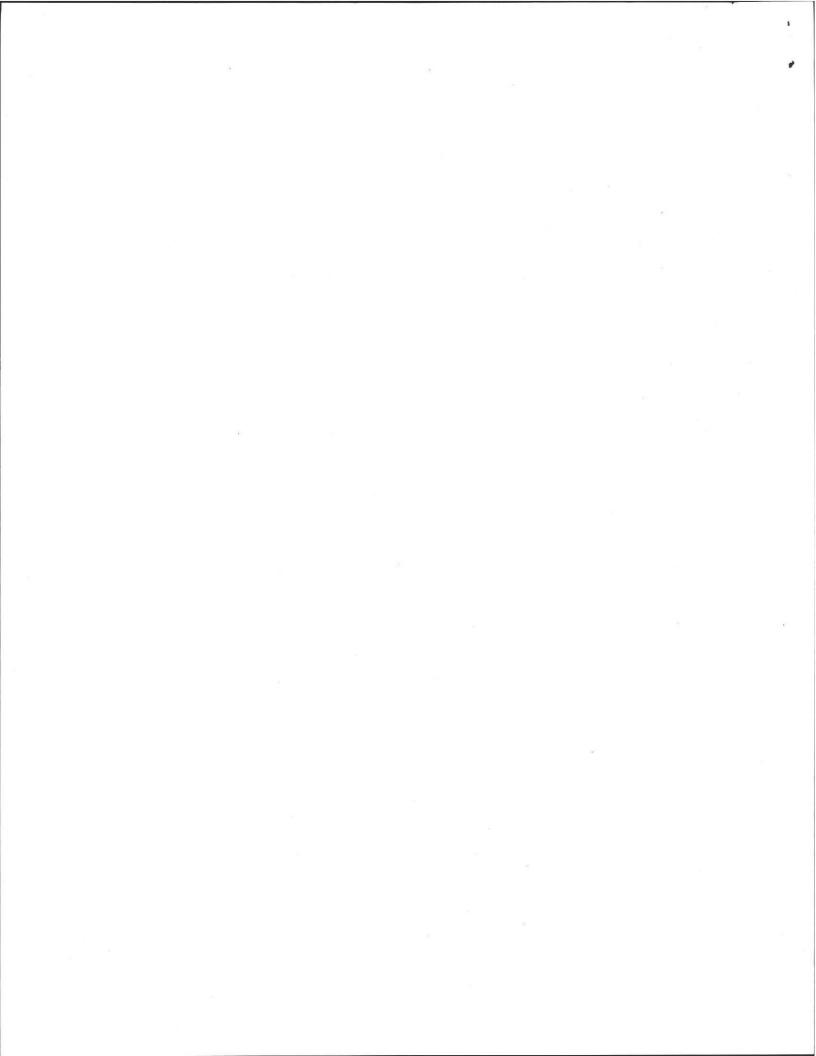
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#### LML Construction, Inc.

d/b/a L&F Construction 608 Long Plain Rd. Leverett, MA 01054 413-665-3788

#### Bill To

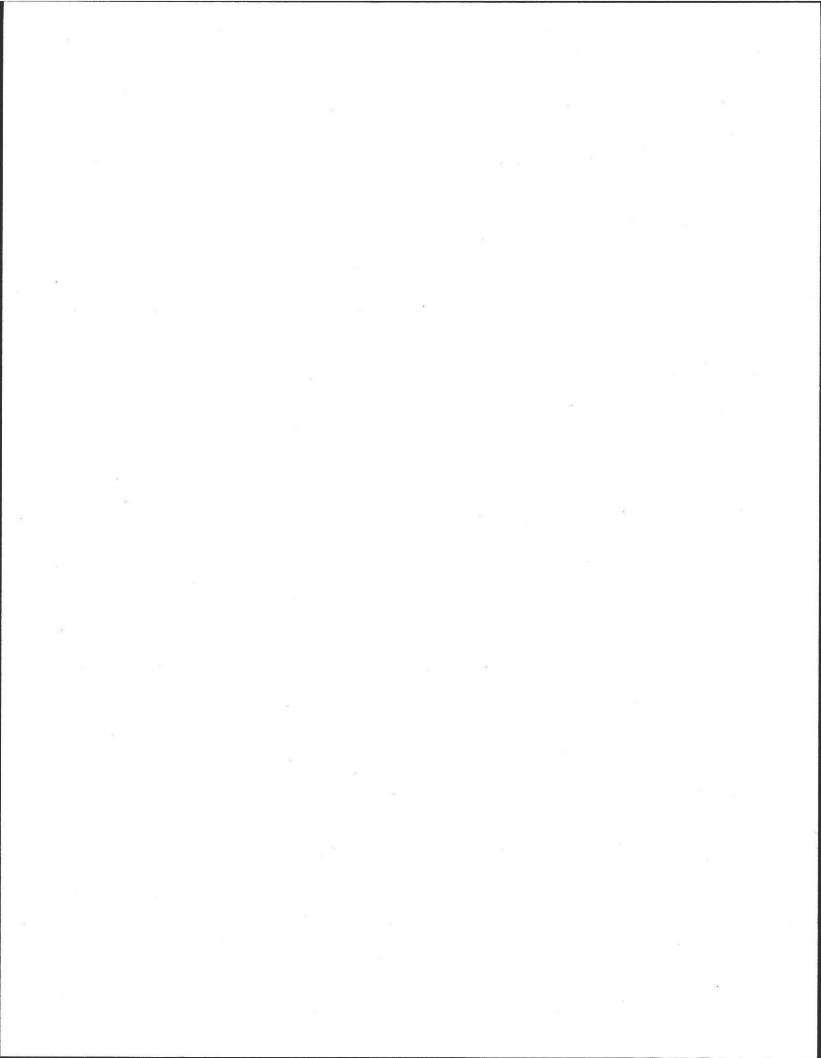
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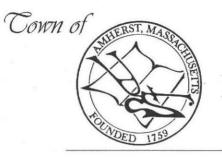
### Invoice

Date Invoice # 9/28/2012 3099

		_	P.O. No.	Terms	s	Project
Description	Est Amt	Prior Amt	Prior %	Curr %	Total %	Amount
Install sewer line from street to house approx. 400ft +/-	18,130.00	9,065.00	50.00%	50.00%	100.00%	9,065.00
Pump existing septic tank. Crush and fill Excavate for sewer line using 4" SDR35 pipe. 4 clean outs Dig down driveway for approx. 100 +/-ft. and repair with TRG loam and seed disturbed areas.		×				
Approx. 1 weeks work with machine and laborers.						
	*					
		×				
1/2 payment before work begins 1/2 payment upon completion				Subtotal		\$9,065.00
	9			Sales Tax	(6.25%)	\$0.00
			Γ	Total	1	\$9,065.00
				Payments/0	Credits	\$-9,065.00
			<i>i</i> t i	Balance	Due	\$0.00

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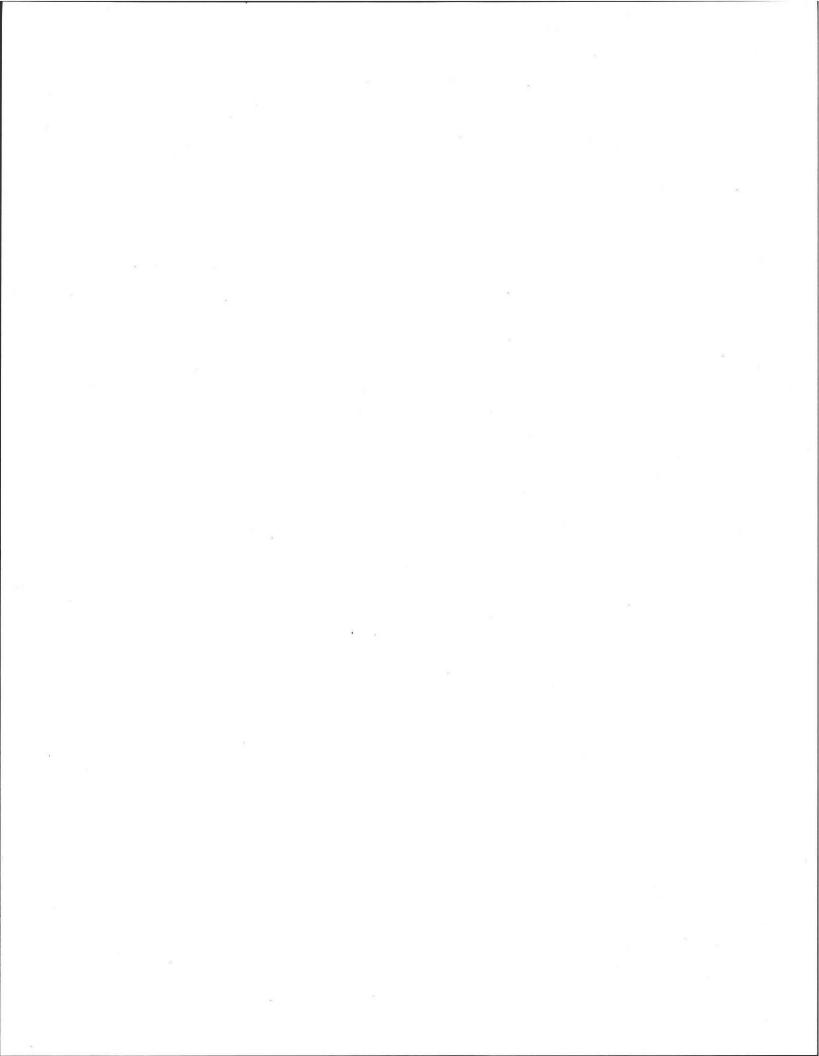
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AMHERST HEALTH DEPARTMENT, 70 BOLTWOOD WALK, AMHERST, MA 01002 (413) 259-3077 (413) 259-2404 - FAX Environmental Health Division (413) 259-3078

### **INSPECTION NOTES**

11/16/2012	Owner of 396 Middle Street (failed Title V) Thomas Blake stated that they have connected to city sewer and discontinued the septic system. L&F Construction confirmed that the old system was pumped, crushed, and filled; they are forwarding us a copy of the pumping bill from Greg's.
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	Owner's Name			
	THOMAS R. & JULIA A. BLAKE			
)	Property Address			
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Inspection results must be submitted on this form. Inspection forms may not be altered in any way. Please see completeness checklist at the end of the form.

Important: When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.

### A. General Information

Inspector:				
PHILIP J. PASIECNIK				
Name of Inspector				
GREG'S WASTE WATER REMOVAL				
Company Name				
239 GREENFIELD ROAD				
Company Address				
SOUTH DEERFIELD	MA.	01373		
City/Town State		Zip Code		
13-665-3989				
Telephone Number	License Number			

### **B.** Certification

I certify that I have personally inspected the sewage disposal system at this address and that the information reported below is true, accurate and complete as of the time of the inspection. The inspection was performed based on my training and experience in the proper function and maintenance of on site sewage disposal systems. I am a DEP approved system inspector pursuant to Section 15.340 of Title 5 (310 CMR 15.000). The system:



Conditionally Passes

⊠ Fails

Needs Further Evaluation by the Local Approving Authority

h. Pasurul Inspector's Signature

The system inspector shall submit a copy of this inspection report to the Approving Authority (Board of Health or DEP) within 30 days of completing this inspection. If the system is a shared system or has a design flow of 10,000 gpd or greater, the inspector and the system owner shall submit the report to the appropriate regional office of the DEP. The original should be sent to the system owner and copies sent to the buyer, if applicable, and the approving authority.

\*\*\*\*This report only describes conditions at the time of inspection and under the conditions of use at that time. This inspection does not address how the system will perform in the future under the same or different conditions of use.



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### B. Certification (cont.)

Inspection Summary: Check A,B,C,D or E / always complete all of Section D

#### A) System Passes:

I have not found any information which indicates that any of the failure criteria described in 310 CMR 15.303 or in 310 CMR 15.304 exist. Any failure criteria not evaluated are indicated below.

Comments:

#### B) System Conditionally Passes:

One or more system components as described in the "Conditional Pass" section need to be replaced or repaired. The system, upon completion of the replacement or repair, as approved by the Board of Health, will pass.

Check the box for "yes", "no" or "not determined" (Y, N, ND) for the following statements. If "not determined," please explain.

The septic tank is metal and over 20 years old\* **or** the septic tank (whether metal or not) is structurally unsound, exhibits substantial infiltration or exfiltration or tank failure is imminent. System will pass inspection if the existing tank is replaced with a complying septic tank as approved by the Board of Health.

\* A metal septic tank will pass inspection if it is structurally sound, not leaking and if a Certificate of Compliance indicating that the tank is less than 20 years old is available.

Y N N (Explain below):



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3. C	ertifi	cation (cont.)					
B)	Syste	em Conditionally Passes (co	nt.):				
	to bro		ue to a broke	en, settle		level in the distribution box due even distribution box. System v	
		broken pipe(s) are replaced	i	□ Y	🗆 N	ND (Explain below):	
		obstruction is removed		□ Y	🗌 N	ND (Explain below):	
		distribution box is leveled of	r replaced	Υ	🗌 N	ND (Explain below):	
		m will pass inspection if (with a broken pipe(s) are replaced	approval of th			oroken or obstructed pipe(s). T lth):	
		obstruction is removed		□ Y	ΠN	☐ ND (Explain below):	
<b>c)</b>	Cond the sy	stem is failing to protect public stem will pass unless Board	er evaluation c health, safe <b>d of Health c</b>	by the ety or the <b>letermi</b>	Board of e enviroi <b>nes in a</b>		
		y and the environment: Cesspool or privy is within 5	50 feet of a s	urface v	vater		



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### B. Certification (cont.)

2. System will fail unless the Board of Health (and Public Water Supplier, if any) determines that the system is functioning in a manner that protects the public health, safety and environment:

- The system has a septic tank and soil absorption system (SAS) and the SAS is within 100 feet of a surface water supply or tributary to a surface water supply.
- The system has a septic tank and SAS and the SAS is within a Zone 1 of a public water supply.
- The system has a septic tank and SAS and the SAS is within 50 feet of a private water supply well.

The system has a septic tank and SAS and the SAS is less than 100 feet but 50 feet or more from a private water supply well\*\*. Method used to determine distance:

\*\* This system passes if the well water analysis, performed at a DEP certified laboratory, for fecal coliform bacteria indicates absent and the presence of ammonia nitrogen and nitrate nitrogen is equal to or less than 5 ppm, provided that no other failure criteria are triggered. A copy of the analysis must be attached to this form.

3. Other:

#### D) System Failure Criteria Applicable to All Systems:

You must indicate "Yes" or "No" to each of the following for all inspections:

Yes	No	
$\boxtimes$		Backup of sewage into facility or system component due to overloaded or clogged SAS or cesspool
	$\boxtimes$	Discharge or ponding of effluent to the surface of the ground or surface waters due to an overloaded or clogged SAS or cesspool
$\boxtimes$		Static liquid level in the distribution box above outlet invert due to an overloaded or clogged SAS or cesspool
	$\boxtimes$	Liquid depth in cesspool is less than 6" below invert or available volume is less than $\frac{1}{2}$ day flow



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### B. Certification (cont.)

Yes	No	
	$\boxtimes$	Required pumping more than 4 times in the last year <b>NOT</b> due to clogged or obstructed pipe(s). Number of times pumped:
	$\boxtimes$	Any portion of the SAS, cesspool or privy is below high ground water elevation.
	$\boxtimes$	Any portion of cesspool or privy is within 100 feet of a surface water supply or tributary to a surface water supply.
	$\boxtimes$	Any portion of a cesspool or privy is within a Zone 1 of a public well.
	$\boxtimes$	Any portion of a cesspool or privy is within 50 feet of a private water supply well.
		Any portion of a cesspool or privy is less than 100 feet but greater than 50 feet from a private water supply well with no acceptable water quality analysis. [This system passes if the well water analysis, performed at a DEP certified laboratory, for fecal coliform bacteria indicates absent and the presence of ammonia nitrogen and nitrate nitrogen is equal to or less than 5 ppm, provided that no other failure criteria are triggered. A copy of the analysis and chain of custody must be attached to this form.]
	$\boxtimes$	The system is a cesspool serving a facility with a design flow of 2000gpd- 10,000gpd.
		The system <u>fails</u> . I have determined that one or more of the above failure criteria exist as described in 310 CMR 15.303, therefore the system fails. The system owner should contact the Board of Health to determine what will be necessary to correct the failure.

### E) Large Systems: To be considered a large system the system must serve a facility with a design flow of 10,000 gpd to 15,000 gpd.

For large systems, you must indicate either "yes" or "no" to each of the following, in addition to the questions in Section D.

Yes	No	
		the system is within 400 feet of a surface drinking water supply
		the system is within 200 feet of a tributary to a surface drinking water supply
		the system is located in a nitrogen sensitive area (Interim Wellhead Protection Area – IWPA) or a mapped Zone II of a public water supply well

If you have answered "yes" to any question in Section E the system is considered a significant threat, or answered "yes" in Section D above the large system has failed. The owner or operator of any large system considered a significant threat under Section E or failed under Section D shall upgrade the system in accordance with 310 CMR 15.304. The system owner should contact the appropriate regional office of the Department.



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#### C. Checklist

Check if the following have been done. You must indicate "yes" or "no" as to each of the following:

Yes	No	
$\boxtimes$		Pumping information was provided by the owner, occupant, or Board of Health
	$\boxtimes$	Were any of the system components pumped out in the previous two weeks?
$\boxtimes$		Has the system received normal flows in the previous two week period?
	$\boxtimes$	Have large volumes of water been introduced to the system recently or as part of this inspection?
$\boxtimes$		Were as built plans of the system obtained and examined? (If they were not available note as N/A)
$\boxtimes$		Was the facility or dwelling inspected for signs of sewage back up?
$\boxtimes$		Was the site inspected for signs of break out?
$\boxtimes$		Were all system components, excluding the SAS, located on site?
		Were the septic tank manholes uncovered, opened, and the interior of the tank inspected for the condition of the baffles or tees, material of construction, dimensions, depth of liquid, depth of sludge and depth of scum?
		Was the facility owner (and occupants if different from owner) provided with information on the proper maintenance of subsurface sewage disposal systems? The <b>size and location of the Soil Absorption System (SAS)</b> on the site has been determined based on:
$\boxtimes$		Existing information. For example, a plan at the Board of Health.
	$\boxtimes$	Determined in the field (if any of the failure criteria related to Part C is at issue approximation of distance is unacceptable) [310 CMR 15.302(5)]

### **D. System Information**

<b>Residential Flow Conditions:</b>			
Number of bedrooms (design):	4	Number of bedrooms (actual):	4
DESIGN flow based on 310 CMR 1	5.203 (for exar	nple: 110 gpd x # of bedrooms):	440 gpd



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orory page.	D. System Information					
	Description:					
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	Number of current residents:				2	_
	Does residence have a garbage grinder?				🛛 Yes 🗌 No	0
	Is laundry on a separate sewage system? [if y	es sepa	arate inspection	required]	🗌 Yes 🛛 No	0
	Laundry system inspected?				🗌 Yes 🛛 No	0

Seasonal use?

Water meter readings, if available (last 2 years usage (gpd)):	
Detail:	

Sump pump?		🗌 Yes 🛛 No
Last date of occupancy:		Currently Occupied
Commercial/Industrial Flow Conditions:		
Type of Establishment:	N/A	
Design flow (based on 310 CMR 15.203):	Gallons per day (gpd)	
Basis of design flow (seats/persons/sq.ft., etc.):		
Grease trap present?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Industrial waste holding tank present?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Non-sanitary waste discharged to the Title 5 system?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Water meter readings, if available:		

🗌 Yes 🖾 No

N/A



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	D. System in	formation (cont.)			
	Last date of o	ccupancy/use:		Date	
	Other (describ	be below):			
i.		Gene	ral Inform	mation	
	Pumping Rec	ords:			
	Source of info	rmation:	Last	pumped on 07/	02/10
	Was system p	umped as part of the inspection	on?		🗌 Yes 🛛 No
	If yes, volume	pumped:	gallons	S	
	How was quar	tity pumped determined?			1
	Reason for pu	mping:			
	Type of Syste	m:			
	$\boxtimes$	Septic tank, distribution box,	soil abs	orption system	
		Single cesspool			
		Overflow cesspool			
		Privy			
		Shared system (yes or no) (	if yes, at	tach previous ir	aspection records, if any)
		Innovative/Alternative technomia maintenance contract (to be inspection of the I/A system	obtained	d from system of	owner) and a copy of latest
		Tight tank. Attach a copy of	the DEP	approval.	
		Other (describe):			



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all components, data installed (if known) and source of infor

	08/05/81 / As Built	ate installed (il known) a		mation.
Were sewage od	ors detected when a	rriving at the site?	[	🗌 Yes 🛛 No
Building Sewer	(locate on site plan):			
Depth below grad	de:		2 feet	
Material of constr	ruction:			
🗌 cast iron	40 PVC	🛛 other (explain):	4" ABS	
Distance from pri	ivate water supply we	ell or suction line:	Town feet	
Comments (on co	ondition of joints, ver	nting, evidence of leakag	e, etc.):	
No leakage visibl		itering tank appeared to	be good. Venting	was visible on roof.
Septic Tank (loc Depth below grad			1.5	
Material of constr			feet	
	metal	☐ fiberglass	polyethylene	other (explain)
If tank is metal, li	st age:		N/A years	
Is age confirmed	by a Certificate of Co	ompliance? (attach a co	py of certificate)	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Dimensions:			10'6"Lx5'6"W	/x5'4"D
Sludge depth:			6"	



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Distance from to-	of oludao to botto	m of outlat too or hoffle	27"	
Distance from top	o of sludge to botto	m of outlet tee or baffle		
Scum thickness				(
Distance from top	o of scum to top of	outlet tee or baffle	6"	
Distance from bo	ttom of scum to bo	ttom of outlet tee or bat	fle <u>12"</u>	
How were dimens	sions determined?		Tank Size	
		dations, inlet and outlet rt, evidence of leakage,		on, structural integrity,
annually with the	use of a garbage d tlet baffle poor. Tai	lisposal and at least even nk was in fair condition.	Septic tanks ery three years witho	
deterioration visit	he at the outlet end	above now line.		
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Grease Trap (loc		above now ime.		
Grease Trap (loc	ate on site plan):	above now ime.	N/A	
<b>Grease Trap</b> (loc Depth below grac	ate on site plan): le:		N/A feet	
<b>Grease Trap</b> (loc Depth below grac Material of constr	ate on site plan): le: uction:		feet	
<b>Grease Trap</b> (loc Depth below grac	ate on site plan): le:	☐ fiberglass		☐ other (explain):
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<b>Grease Trap</b> (loc Depth below grac Material of constr	ate on site plan): le: uction:		feet	☐ other (explain)

Distance from bottom of scum to bottom of outlet tee or baffle

Date of last pumping:

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#### D. System Information (cont.)

Comments (on pumping recommendations, inlet and outlet tee or baffle condition, structural integrity, liquid levels as related to outlet invert, evidence of leakage, etc.):

Tight or Holding	Tank (tank must b	e pumped at tin	ne of ins	pection) (locate on	site plan):	
Depth below grade	e:			N/A		
Material of constru	uction:					
	🗌 metal	fibergl	ass	polyethylene	🗌 oth	er (explain):
Dimensions:				1		
Capacity:			gallons			
Design Flow:			gallons p	er day		
Alarm present:			☐ Yes	s 🗌 No		
Alarm level:			Alarm in	working order:	Yes	🗌 No
Date of last pumpi	ing:		Date			
Comments (condit	tion of alarm and fl	loat switches, et	c.):			
* Attach copy of cu	urrent pumping cor	ntract (required)	Is copy	attached?	🗌 Yes	🗌 No



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	D. System Information	(cont.)				
	Distribution Box (if present m	nust be opened) (locate				
	Depth of liquid level above out	let invert	8"			
	Comments (note if box is level evidence of leakage into or our	t of box, etc.):	ets equal, any en box cover w			
	carryover was coming over the pressure.					
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	Pump Chamber (locate on site plan):					
	Fump chamber (locate of sit					
	Pumps in working order:			🗌 Yes	🗌 No	
	Alarms in working order:			☐ Yes	🗌 No	
	Comments (note condition of pump chamber, condition of pumps and appurtenances, etc.):					
	N/A					
				11101		
	Soil Absorption System (SAS) (locate on site plan, excavation not required):					
	If SAS not located, explain why	<i>[</i> .				
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### D. System Information (cont.)

Гуре:			
	leaching pits	number:	
	leaching chambers	number:	
	leaching galleries	number:	
	leaching trenches	number, length:	
$\boxtimes$	leaching fields	number, dimensions:	1 45' L x 20' W Per As Built
	overflow cesspool	number:	
	innovative/alternative system		
	Type/name of technology:		

Comments (note condition of soil, signs of hydraulic failure, level of ponding, damp soil, condition of vegetation, etc.):

Soil clogging evident with backup of liquid into d-box due to a clogged and overloaded SAS. Hydraulic failure evident. No ponding to surface. Soil at surface over SAS wasn't damp. Vegetation appeared to be uniform in growth over SAS.

Cesspools (cesspool must be pumped as part of inspection) (locate on site pl
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Number and configuration	<u>N/A</u>
Depth – top of liquid to inlet invert	
Depth of solids layer	
Depth of scum layer	
Dimensions of cesspool	
Materials of construction	
Indication of groundwater inflow	🗌 Yes 🗌 No

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Comments (note condition of soil, signs of hydraulic failure, level of ponding, condition of vegetation, etc.):

Privy	(locate	on	site	plan):
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Materials of construction:

Dimensions

Depth of solids

Comments (note condition of soil, signs of hydraulic failure, level of ponding, condition of vegetation, etc.):

N/A



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Sketch Of Sewage Disposal System: Provide a view of the sewage disposal system, including ties to at least two permanent reference landmarks or benchmarks. Locate all wells within 100 feet. Locate where public water supply enters the building. Check one of the boxes below:

☐ hand-sketch in the area below
 ☑ drawing attached separately

See "As Built" Attached



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	Site Exa	am:			
	🛛 Che	ck Slope			
	🛛 Surl	ace water			
	🛛 Che	ck cellar			
	🗌 Sha	llow wells			
	Estimate	ed depth to high ground water:		4+ feet	
	Please i	ndicate all methods used to deter	mine the high	gh ground wate	er elevation:
		Obtained from system design	n plans on re	ecord	
		If checked, date of design pla	an reviewed	Date	
	$\boxtimes$	Observed site (abutting prop	erty/observa	ation hole withir	150 feet of SAS)
	$\boxtimes$	Checked with local Board of	Health - exp	plain:	
		Present at Inspection			
		Checked with local excavato	rs, installers	- (attach docu	mentation)
		Accessed USGS database -	explain:		
	You mu	st describe how you established	the high gro	und water elev	ation:
		I.T. Will be established by a soil of Town sewer line at street.	evaluator for	r system repair	if owners decide not to hook up to

Before filing this Inspection Report, please see Report Completeness Checklist on next page.

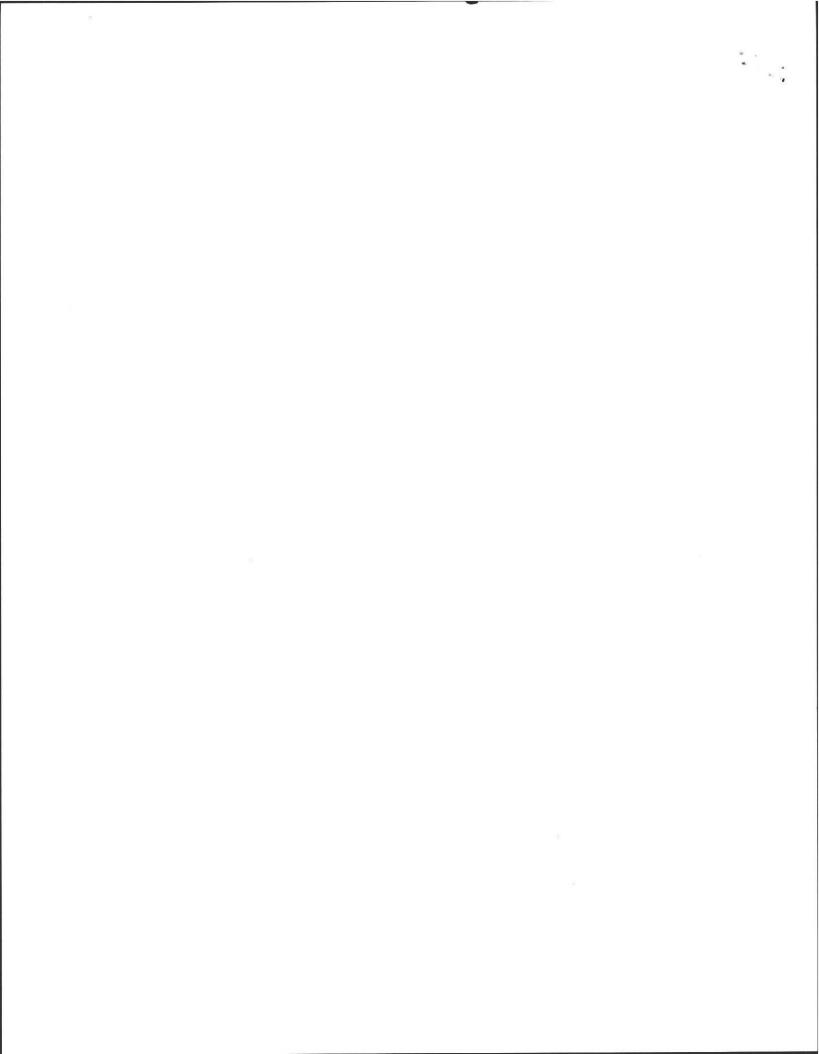


### **Commonwealth of Massachusetts** Title 5 Official Inspection Form Subsurface Sewage Disposal System Form - Not for Voluntary Assessments

Property Address			
THOMAS R. & JULIA A. BLAKE			
Owner's Name			
AMHERST	MA.	01002	AUGUST 7, 2012
City/Town	State	Zip Code	Date of Inspection

### E. Report Completeness Checklist

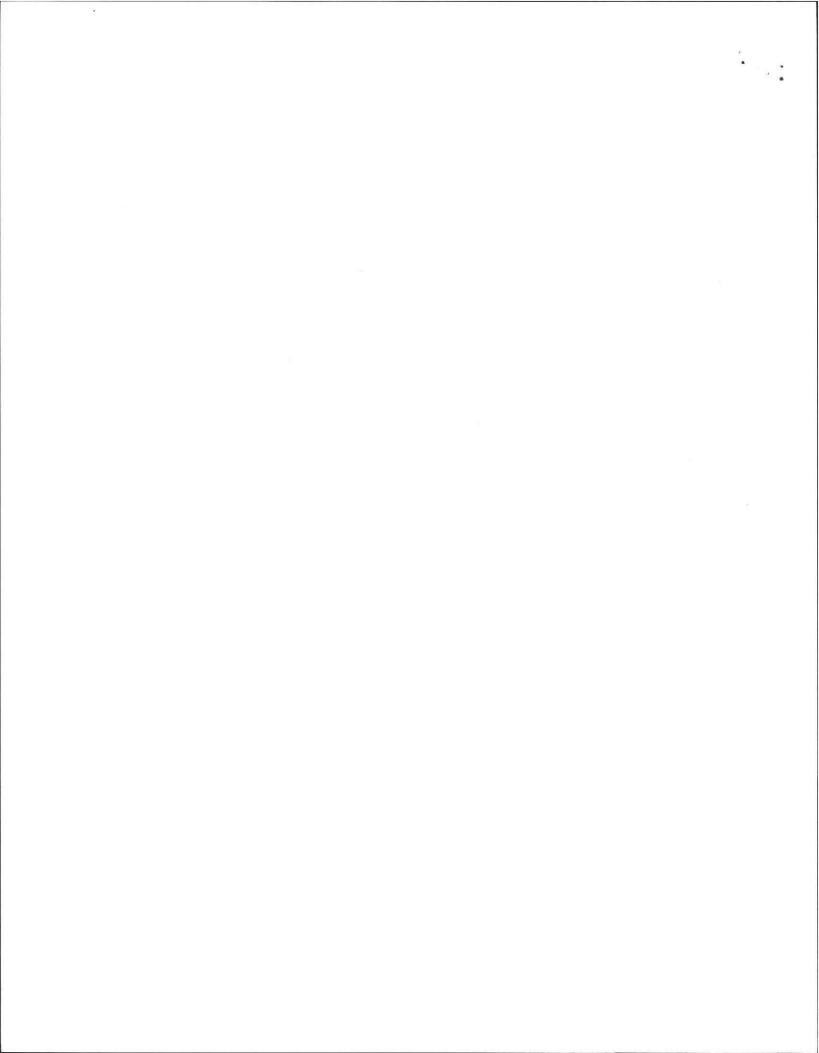
- Inspection Summary: A, B, C, D, or E checked
- Inspection Summary D (System Failure Criteria Applicable to All Systems) completed
- System Information Estimated depth to high groundwater
- Sketch of Sewage Disposal System either drawn on page 15 or attached in separate file



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Ed: Northampton Full Day	Ed: Amherst Full Day	Ed: Northampton Full Day	Ed: Amherst 12 - 4:30 p.m.	Ed: Amherst Full Day
Jen: Amherst Full Day	Jen: Amherst Full Day	Jen: FLIP DAY Amherst: 2nd and 4th week	Jen: Northampton Full Day	Jen: Northampton Full Day
	Casa Latina: 1-4 p.m. (Rm. 316)	Immunization Clinic	HHC: 1-4 p.m. (Nurse's Office)	





Massachusetts

#### AMHERST HEALTH DEPARTMENT, 70 BOLTWOOD WALK, AMHERST, MA 01002 (413) 259-3077 (413) 259-2404 - FAX health@amherstma.gov

AMHERST

August 21, 2012

Tom Blake 396 Middle Street Amherst, MA 01002

RE: Title V Septic Inspection

Dear Mr. Blake:

The Amherst Board of Health, represented by myself, witnessed the failed Title V inspection performed by Phil Poscieneck performed at your property on 8/7/2012, and is in anticipation of receiving his written report to that effect. . That inspection report will indicate that the subsurface sewage disposal system at that address fails to protect the public health and the environment as defined in Section 15.303 of CMR 15.000, State Environmental Code, Title 5.

Therefore, in accordance with the provisions of 310 CMR 15.000 of the State Environmental Code, Title 5, and under authority of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 21A, Section 13, you (or the subsequent owners of the property) are hereby ordered to repair the subsurface sewage disposal system at 396 Middle St., within two (2) years of the date of the inspection, (by August 7, 2012). If further degradation of the sewage disposal system occurs (e.g. sewage flowing to the surface of the ground), you may be required to complete the repairs sooner.

All work to repair/upgrade the subsurface sewage disposal system must be performed by a licensed sewage disposal system installer, in accordance with the requirements of 310 CMR 15.000, and with plans prepared by a Registered Sanitarian or Registered Professional Engineer and approved by the Northampton Board of Health.

Please be advised that you are entitled to a hearing on this order to upgrade your subsurface sewage disposal system, provided that you file a **written petition** requesting such a hearing in the Board of health office within **seven** (7) **days** of the receipt of this notice.

Please feel free to contact the Board of Health office, at 259-3077, if you have any questions concerning this notice.

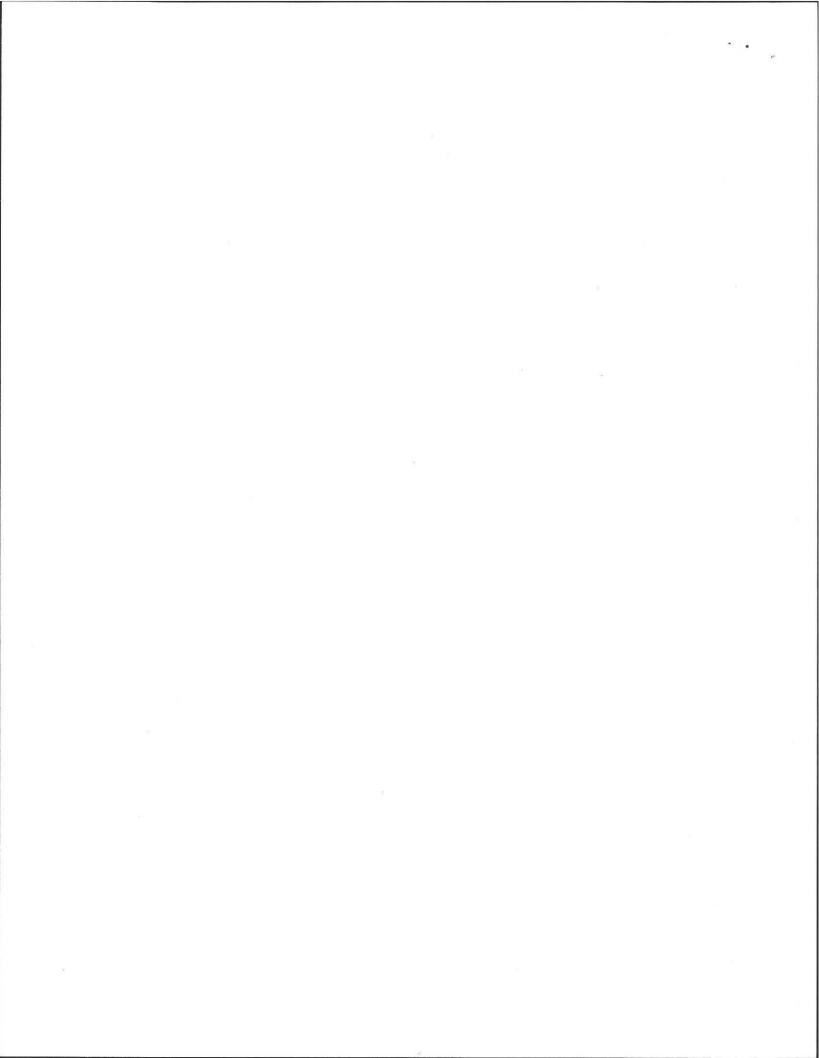
Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

OR Shith

Edmund Smith Assistant Sanitarian

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#### AMHERST PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

August 2012 INVOICE

Bangs Community Center 70 Boltwood Walk Amherst, MA 01002

DATE: August 21, 2012

TOTAL \$

200.00

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Tom Blake 396 Middle Street Amherst, MA 01002

Edmund Smith

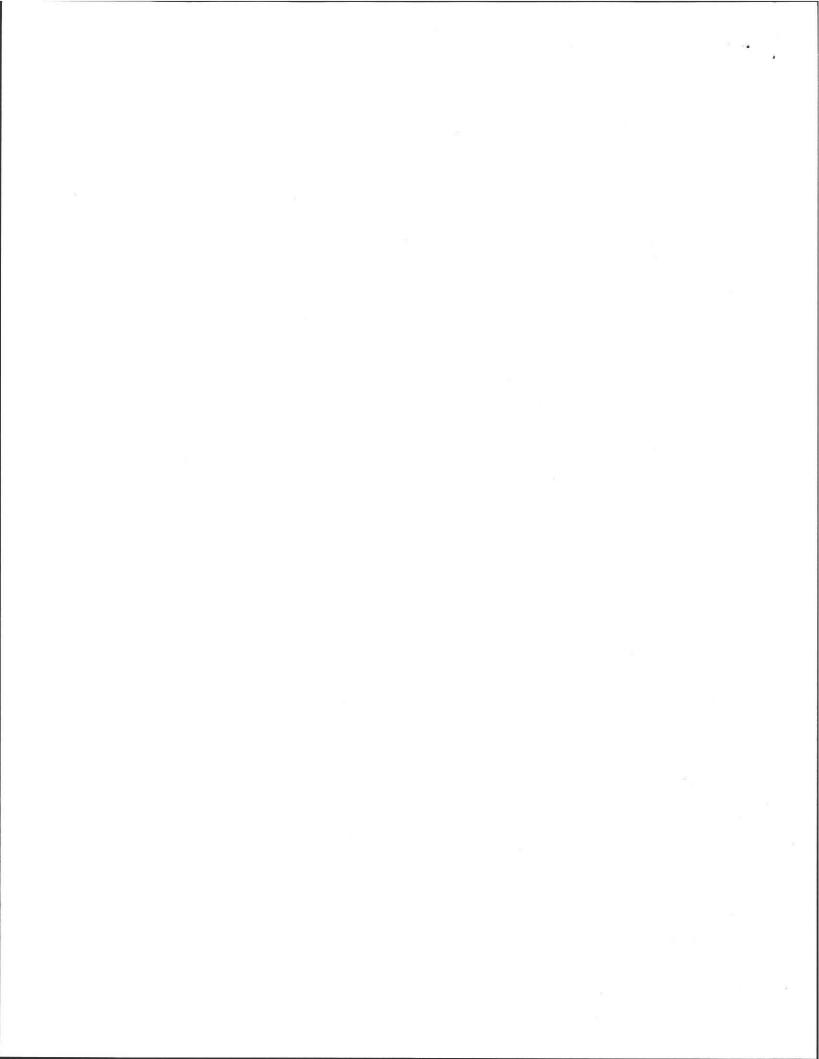
RE: Invoice for Septic Title V witness

Services provided by

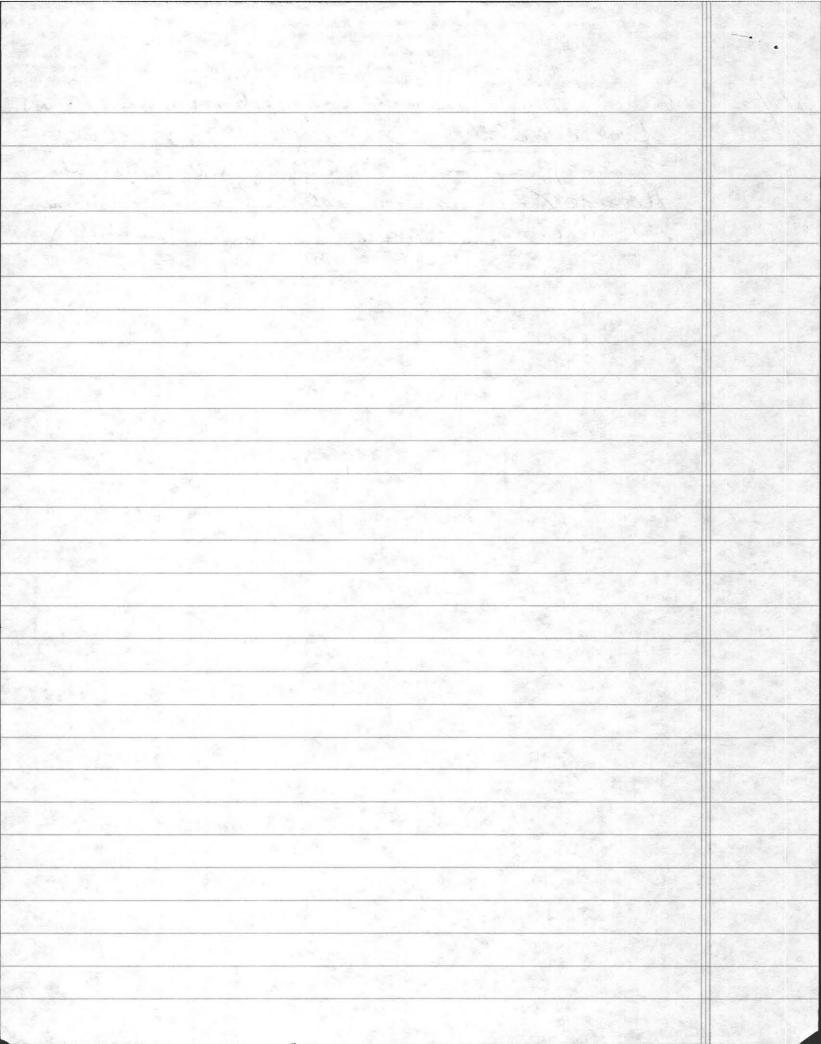
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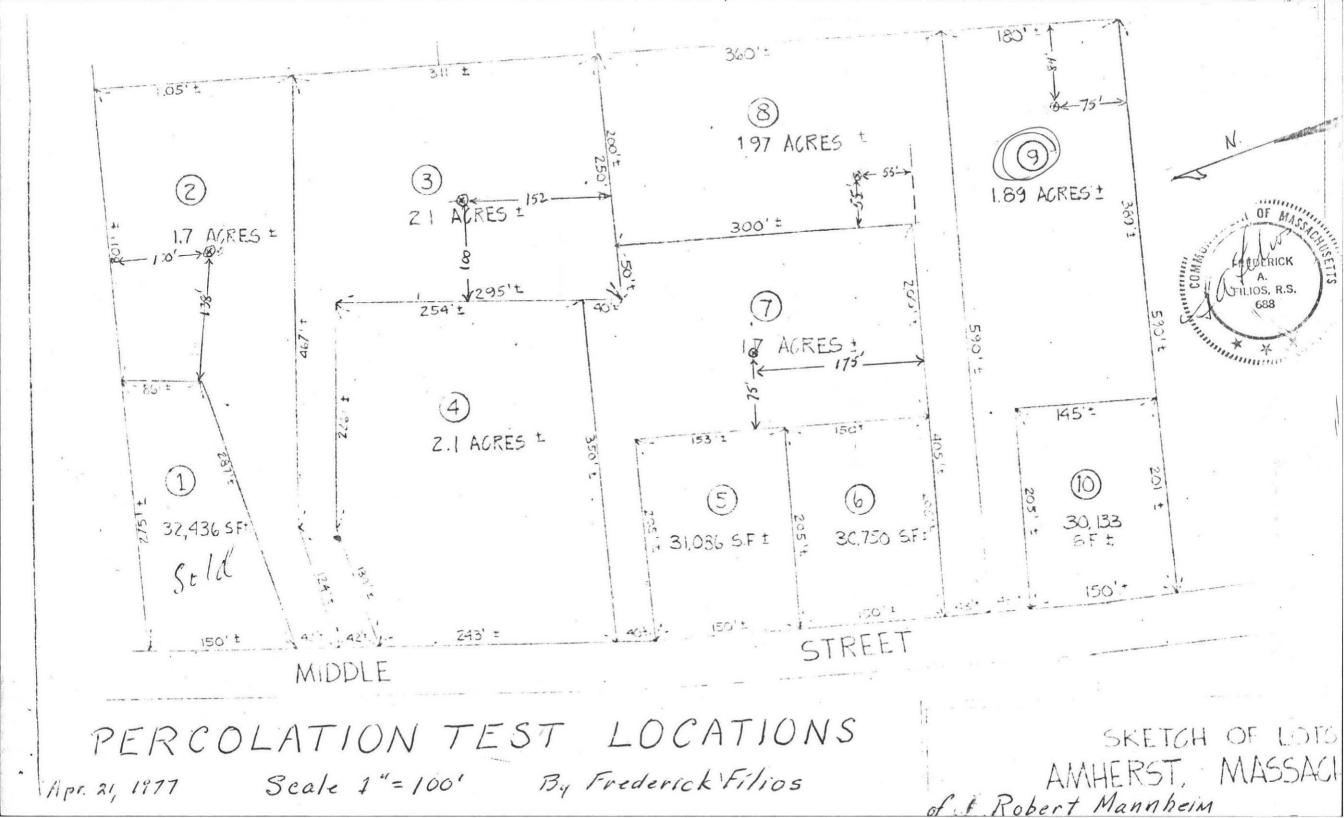
QUANTITY 1.00	DESCRIPTION Septic Title V witness	UNIT PRICE		LINE TOTAL	
		\$	200.00	\$	200.00
aj fin	this invoice is due/thank you	_			
	(if you will be connecting to the sewer, please remit directly;				
	if submitting a repair septic plan, please remit an additional \$150				
	with that application)				
			SUBTOTAL	\$	200.00
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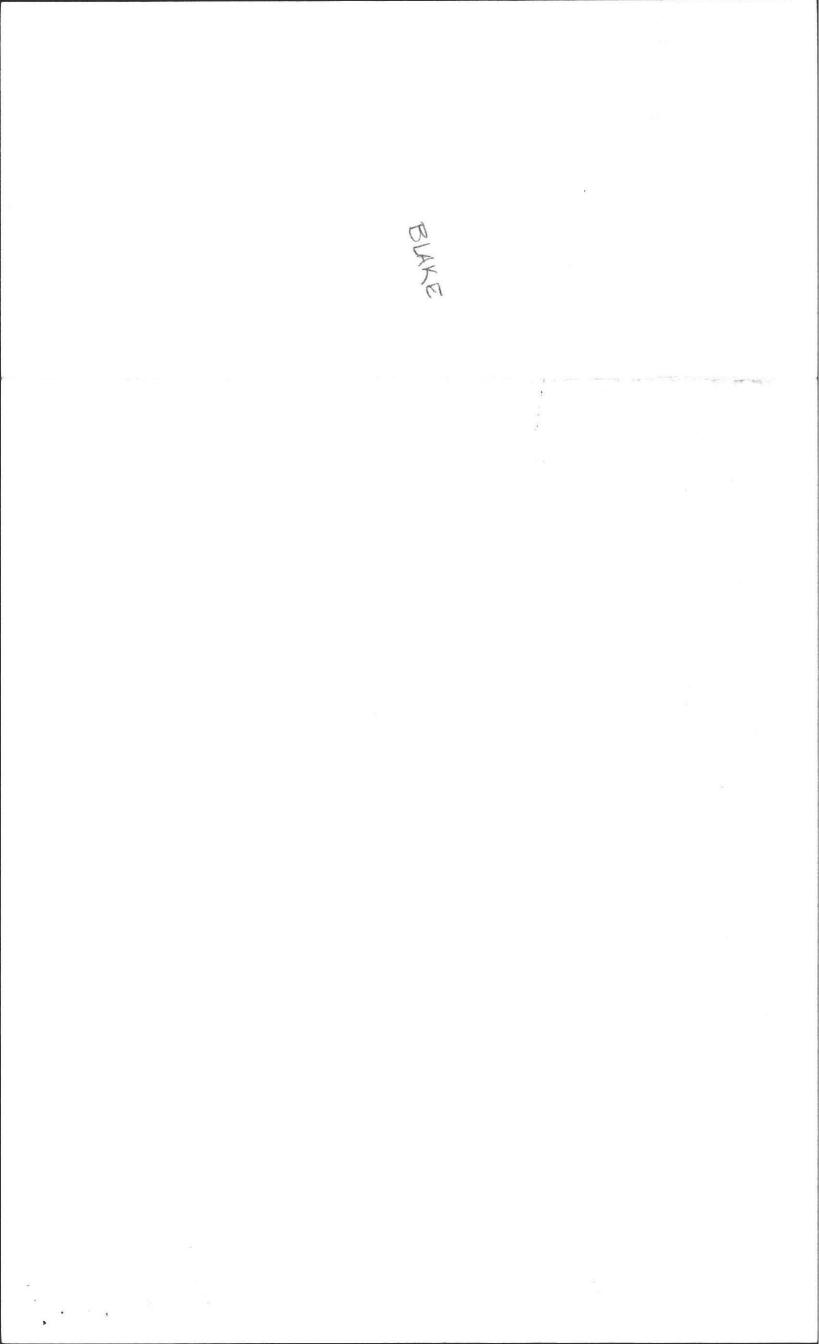
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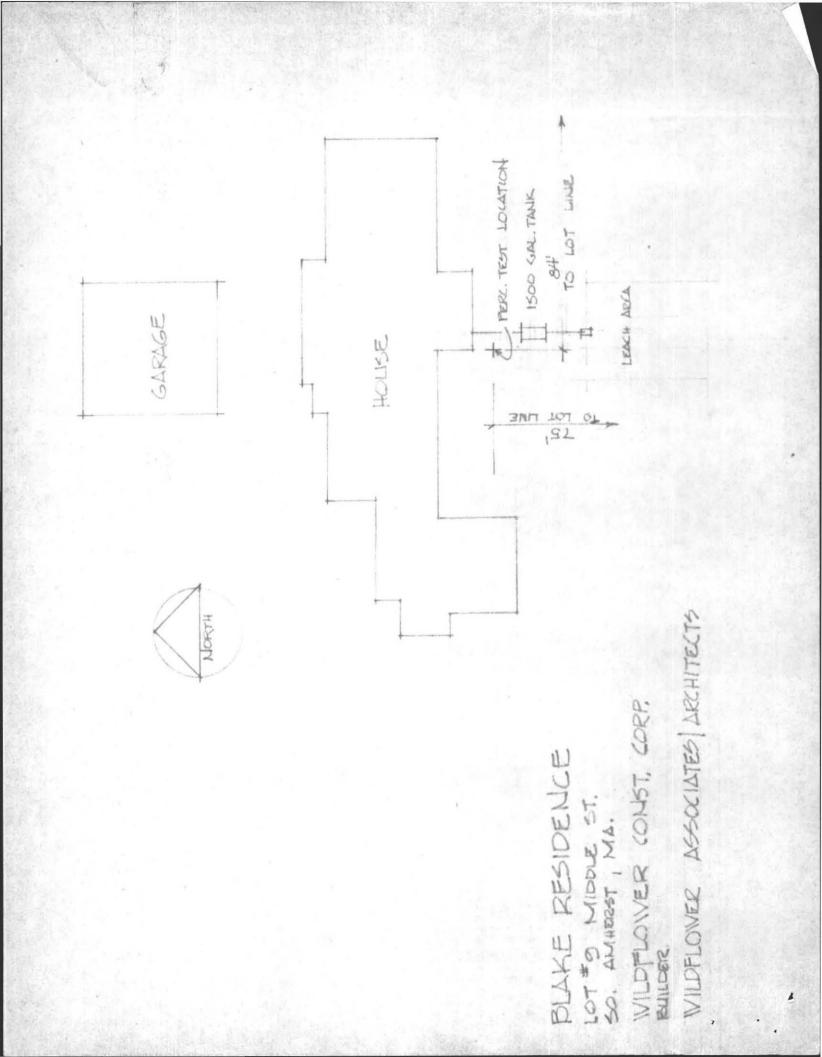


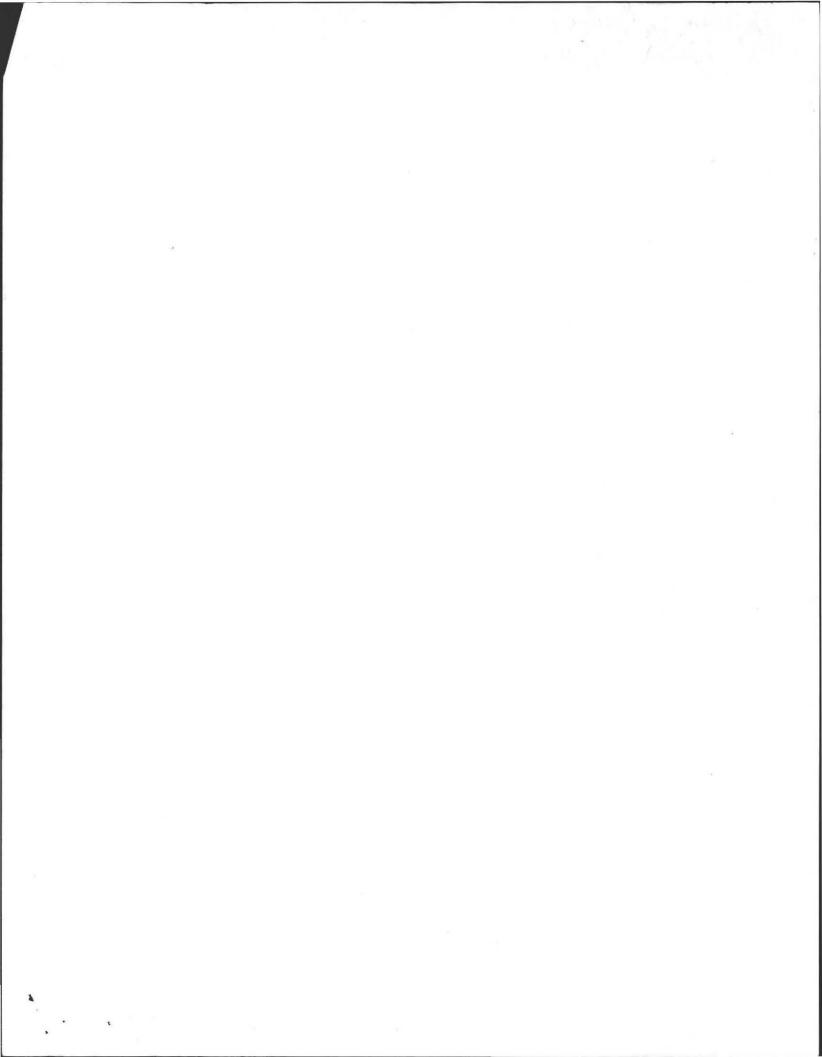
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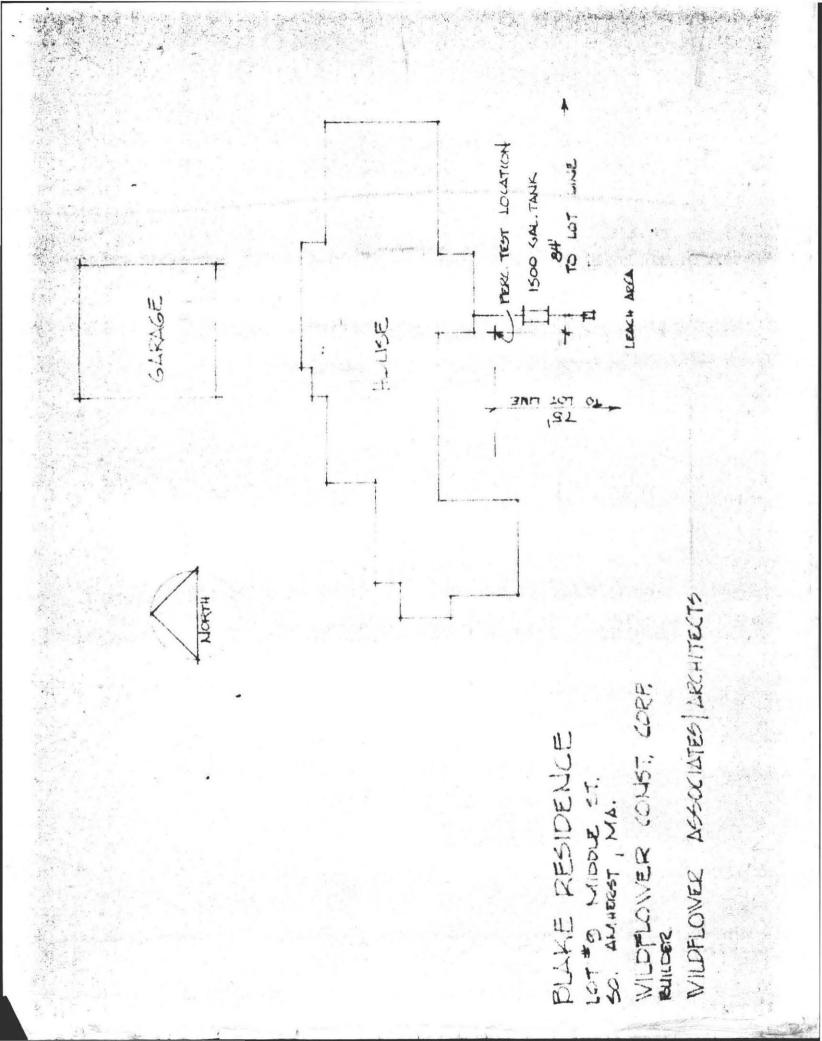


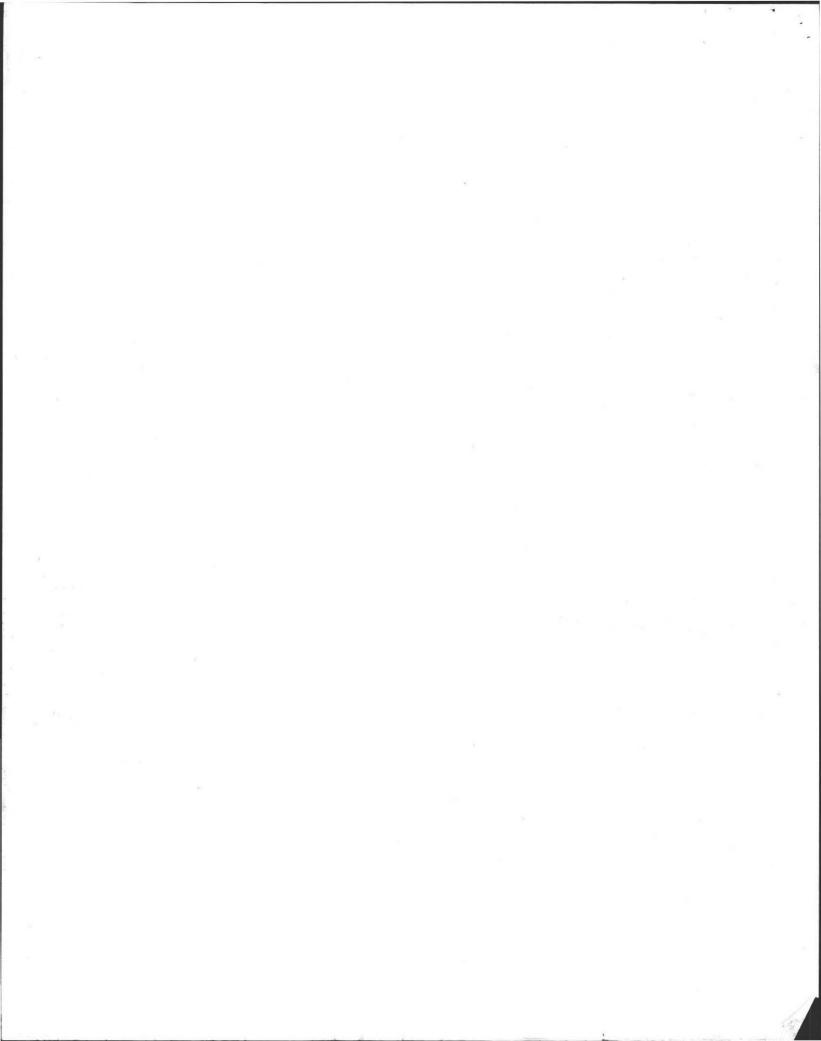












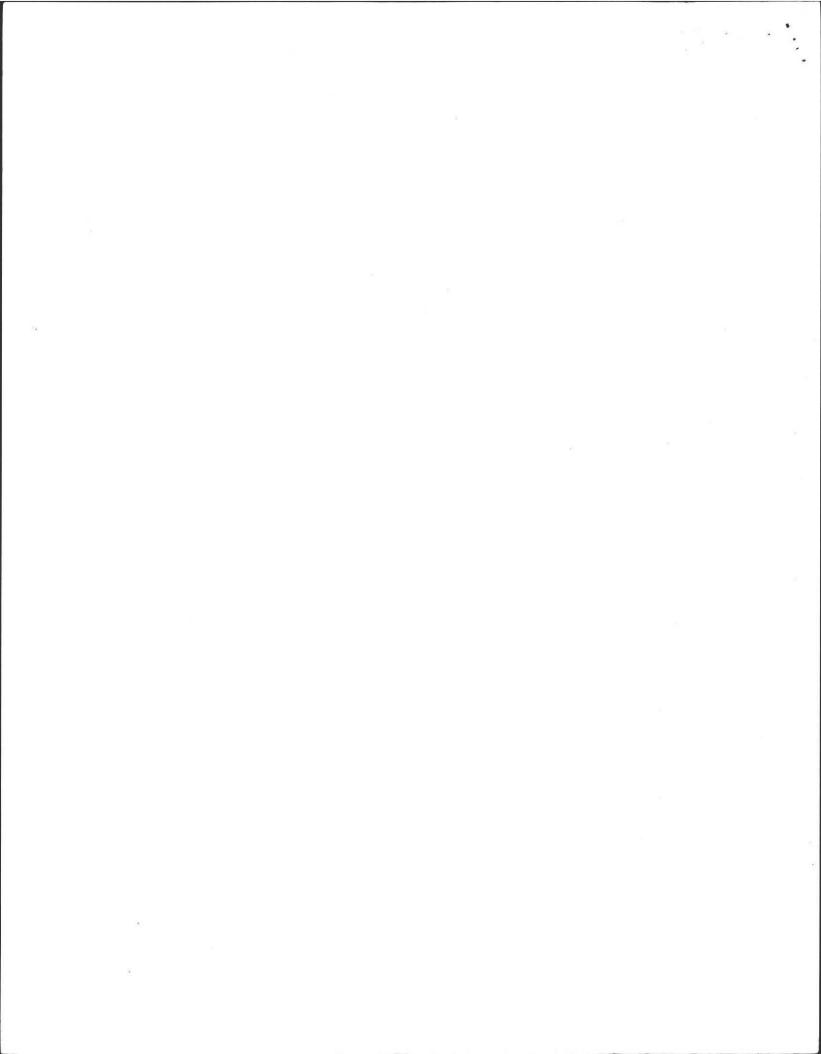
Amberst Alass. 01002 Apr 27 1977

Board of Public Health Amherst Mass. Dear Sirs. Please be advised that percolation Tests were made on April 21 1977 on the property of: L. Robt. Mannheim of 3.24 Middle St Amherst Mass. Locations of the tests and soil descriptions are shown on the accompanying map and diagrams Percolation vates are as follows; 2 min. per inch at 32" depth 101#2, 2 min. per inch at 38" depth Lot # 3, 2 min. per inch at 30" depth hot # 7, 2 min per inch at. 36" depth Lot # 8, 2 min per inch at 31" depth) Lit # 9

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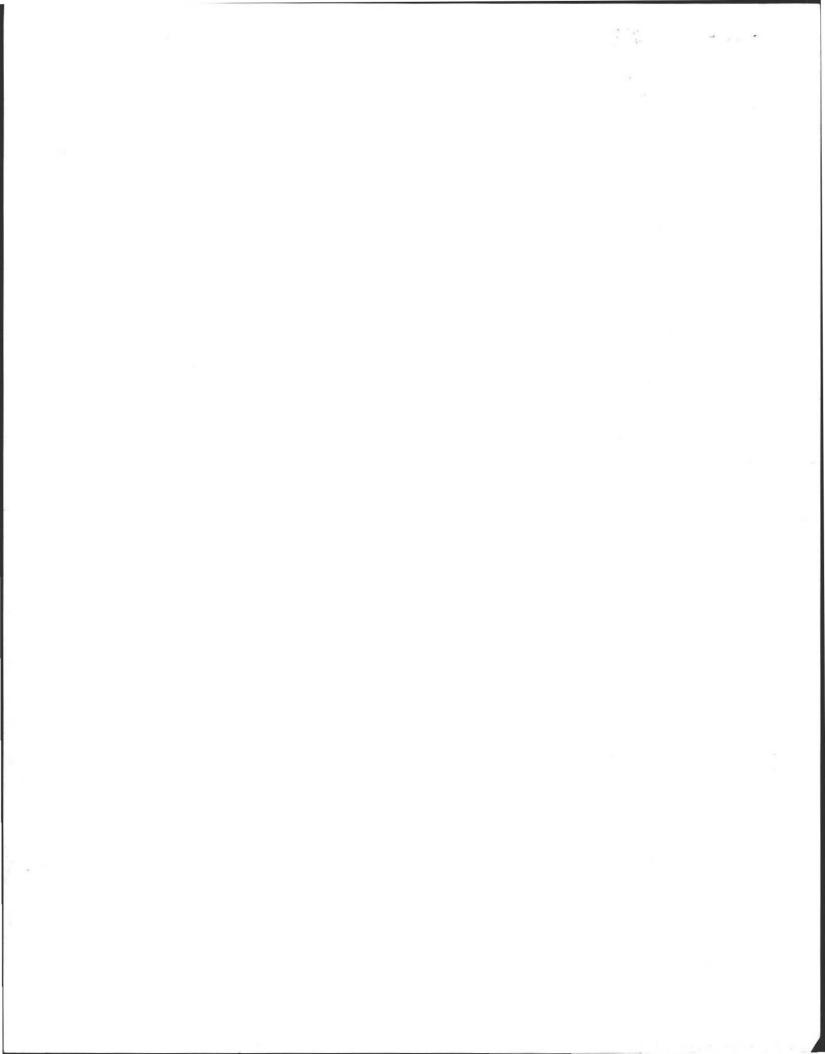
## BOARD OF HEALTH

TOWN OF AMHERST, MASSACHUSETTS

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BOARD OF HEALTH, AMHERST, MASSACHUSETTS	
APPLICATION FOR DISPOSAL WORKS CONSTRUCTION PERMIT	
No. 81-1 Date 2.5.81 Fee 15- Date Rec'd. 2-5-81 By CEN	
Application is hereby made for a permit to Construct ( ) or Repair ( ) an Individual Sewage Disposal	
System at: Location-Address 396 MIDDLE ST LOT # 19 or Lot No. 9	
Owner TOM BLAKE	
Owner     TOM     BLAKE     Address     UMASS     School     Encludencing       Owner     TOM     BLAKE     Address     UMASS     School     Encludencing       Contractor     WILDFLOWER     Const. Const. Const. Const.     Const.     Address     9MASSACTIST.     NIHAND       Type of Building     Encludence     Dimensions     Size Lot     1.89 Ac       Dwelling-No. of Bedrooms     4     Expansion Attic ()     Garbage Grinder (V)	
Type of Building FRAMIE RES, Dimensions Size Lot 1,89 Ac	
Dwelling—No. of Bedrooms Expansion Attic ( ) Garbage Grinder (V)	
Other No. of persons Showers (2)	
Other fixtures	
Town Water? Type of Well	
Design Flow gallons per person per day. Total daily flow gallons	
Septic Tank-Liquid capacity 1500 gallons Dimensions: L W D	
Disposal Trench-No Width 2014 Total Length 2014 Total leaching area sq. ft. Disposal Bed-No Diameter 2014 Depth below inlet Total leaching area sq. ft.	N
Dry Well-No Diameter Depth below inlet Dimensions: x x	1111
Other: Distribution box () No Dosing tank ()	2
(Depth of Soil Line Below finished grade at foundation) Percolation Test Results Performed by F.FILIOS 4721, 1977 Date)	
Percolation Test Results Performed by <u>F.FILOS 471, 1917</u> Date	
Test Pit No. 1     Z     minutes per inch     Depth of Test Pit     '31"       Test Pit No. 2	
Description of Soil Depth of Lest Pit	
Description of Soil Depth to Ground Water' Will disposal area be filled? Cut down? Ne	
(On reverse side or separate sheet, show plot plan with building. Include dimensions, distances from all boundaries.	
Show location of wells, streams, ledge, large trees, etc.) GROUNDWATER AT 7'6"	
AGREEMENT: The undersigned agrees to construct the aforedescribed individual sewage disposal system in accord-	
ance with the provisions of Article XI of the Sanitary Code and regulations of the Amherst Board of Health. The un- dersigned further agrees not to place the system in operation until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued by this	
board of health.	
Application Approved by Concellar Owner or builder 2-5-8'	
System to be Kept date	
Application Disapproved for the following reasons:	
BOARD OF HEALTH, AMHERST, MASSACHUSETTS	
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE	
THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the individual Sewage Disposal System installed ( ) or repaired ( ) by at has been constructed in accordance with the provisions of	
INSTALLER	
Article XI of the State Sanitary Code as described in the application for Disposal Works Construction Permit No.	
dated	
The issuance of this certificate shall not be construed as a guarantee that the system will function satisfactorily.	
DATE Inspector	
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BOARD OF HEALTH, AMHERST, MASSACHUSETTS DISPOSAL WORKS CONSTRUCTION PERMIT	
Permission is hereby granted WILD FLACE CONST Co. to construct (X) or renair () an	
Individual Sewage Disposal System at $hot 9 of F MidDite State St$	
as shown on the application for Disposal Works Construction Permit No. 81-1	
This permit is issued with the understanding that future alterations or additions will be made if necessary. This	
permit shall not be construed as permission to create or maintain any sewage nuisance and in the issuance of this permit the Board of Health assumes no responsibility for the future operation or maintenance of the system.	
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DATE Board of Health	1

