

## **MONITORING OF INNOVATIVE/ALTERNATIVE ON-SITE SEWAGE TREATMENT SYSTEMS**

As allowed under M.G.L. Ch. 111, sec. 31 the Board of Health of the Town of Harwich hereby requires that owners and operators of all innovative/alternative sewage treatment technologies and all systems where the soil absorption system is designed for pressure distribution of effluent must report the results of all operation, maintenance, and monitoring activities to Barnstable County Department of Health and the Environment. Such reporting must be performed in the manner specified by the Barnstable County Department of Health and the Environment and must occur within 30 days after each maintenance or monitoring event. Further, when a system operator performs a system inspection and finds that a sewage treatment technology has malfunctioning components which have been compromised the systems ability to treat sewage as designed, the operator shall report on the system's status and any planned corrective actions to the Board of Health and the Barnstable County Department of Health and the Environment within 48 hours of inspection.

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