



Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund (WPCLF)

Homeowner Application

This application is for homeowners to request funding to replace or repair their failing sewage treatment system. This funding is available through the Ohio EPA Water Pollution Control Loan Fund. * Please Note: Funding cannot be used to repair non-NPDES aeration systems.

Homeowner Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Number of People Living in Home: _____

The following requirements must be met in order to be eligible for funding:

- 1) Home must be owner-occupied as a primary residence.
- 2) Homeowner must be current with property taxes, or become current prior to application approval.
- 3) Homeowner must be current with the real estate mortgage payments, or become current prior to application approval.
- 4) Homeowner must be current with the local and county utilities (i.e. sewage/water/garbage) or become current prior to application approval.
- 5) Total household income must be at or below 100% of the US HHS poverty guidelines for 100% funding; below 200% for 85% funding; or below 300% for 50% funding. For income verification ***please submit:***
 - a. A copy of your 2016 Federal Income Tax Return (filed). If self-employed, copies of both 2014 and 2015 returns.
 - b. Any of the following that apply to any member of the household :
 - i. Employment: Copies of thirteen (13) weeks' worth of pay stubs reflecting the year-to-date total.
 - ii. Unemployment: Statement from agency verifying the amount of income received.
 - iii. Pension(s): Copy of a check receipt reflecting the monthly amount received or a copy of one of the monthly checks.
 - iv. Social Security, SSI, Disability: Copy of the entitlement letter or a printout from the agency. Income must reflect this year's income, not the previous year's income.
 - v. Business/Farm/Rental Income: Copy of information documenting these types of income or losses.
 - c. If applicable: A letter addressed to your lending agency, giving the Health Department permission to verify your are current on your mortgage(s).

Homeowner Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Please turn completed form with requested information into the
Darke County Health Department 300 Garst Ave. Greenville, Ohio 45331

Office Use Only: Date Received: _____ Date Reviewed: _____

Deed Verified: Y N

Mortgage Up To Date: Y N NA

Taxes Up To Date: Y N NA

Land Contract Verified: Y N NA

Income: _____ Reviewed By: _____

Funding Approved: Y or N If so, how much %? _____

Is the current system creating a public health nuisance? Y or N

Notes: _____

2017 WPCLF SUMMARY/QUALIFICATIONS

Homeowners must qualify for one of three tiers of funding, depending upon the size of their households, and their aggregate household incomes:

- If the total household income falls below the following numbers, homeowners may receive 100% of the eligible repair/replacement costs for the septic system:

Principal Forgiveness for Households at or below 100% of the 2015 U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services Poverty Guidelines

Persons in Household	Poverty guideline
1 - 4	\$24,300
5	\$28,440
6	\$32,580
7	\$36,730
8	\$40,890

For families with more than 8 persons, add \$4,160 for each additional person.

- If the total household income falls below the following numbers, homeowners may receive 85% of the eligible repair/replacement costs for the septic system:

Principal Forgiveness for Households between 100% and 200% of the 2015 U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services Poverty Guidelines

Persons in Household	Poverty guideline
1 - 4	\$48,600
5	\$56,880
6	\$65,160
7	\$73,460
8	\$81,780

For families with more than 8 persons, add \$4,160 for each additional person.

- If the total household income falls below the following numbers, homeowners may receive 50% of the eligible repair/replacement costs for the septic system:

Principal Forgiveness for Households
between 200% and 300% of the 2015 U.S.
Dept. of Health & Human Services Poverty
Guidelines

Persons in Household	Poverty guideline
1 – 4	\$72,900
5	\$85,320
6	\$97,740
7	\$110,190
8	\$122,670

*The home cannot be for sale.

*Homeowners must also be current on all mortgage payments and property taxes.

Eligible expenses paid for by the grant money:

- Septic connections and reconnections outside a home
- Correction of indoor plumbing issues (when necessary for an onsite sewage system to receive health district approval)
- Demolition and abandonment of failing HSTS
- Design costs
- Health Department plan review/permit fee
- Installation of an HSTS at an existing home that never had a system installed
- NPDES permit fees
- Site and soil survey
- Connecting a home with a failing HSTS to central sewer system

Non-Eligible Expenses paid for by the grant money:

- Abandonment of drinking water well
- Administrative costs
- Annual contractor permit fees
- Installation of an HSTS at a new home
- Insurance costs
- Operation and Maintenance permit fee
- Performance or payment bond costs
- Tax
- Repairs to non-NPDES aeration systems

How does a homeowner apply for grant money?

- Submit application and required paperwork to the Health Department: Attn: Sophie Hurley 300 Garst Ave. Greenville, OH 45331