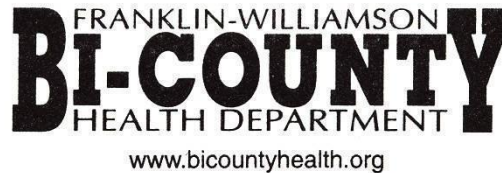


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TO: All individuals or licensed contractors wishing to install a private sewage disposal system in Franklin and Williamson Counties, Illinois

SUBJECT: Private Sewage Disposal Procedures as taken from the State of Illinois Private Sewage Disposal Licensing Act and Code and the Franklin and Williamson County Private Sewage Ordinances

1. There will be a fee of \$150 for each sewage permit. Make checks payable to Franklin-Williamson Bi-County Health Department.
2. Only a current Illinois licensed private sewage contractor or the property owner may construct, alter, or repair a private sewage system. Note: a site inspection is required prior to issuance of a permit for homeowner installed systems.
3. An application for the installation of a private sewage disposal system shall be completely filled out and submitted to the Health Department for approval prior to beginning construction of any private sewage system. The application must be signed by both the homeowner and/or sewage contractor.
4. Homeowners are responsible for obtaining an NPDES permit from USEPA/IEPA when Discharging to waters of the United States as defined in 40 C.F.R § 122.2.
5. If necessary, a variance request must be submitted along with the permit application. This request must be signed by the homeowner.
6. A 911 address is now required on all permit applications.
7. A permit to construct number will be issued when the application is approved.
8. After a permit is issued, the Health Department must be notified 48 hours prior to beginning construction on the system.
9. Failure to conform to the Private Sewage Disposal Ordinance of Franklin and/or Williamson Counties constitutes a violation and may result in prosecution by said county.
10. Health inspectors are usually at our office between 8:00-9:00 a.m. and 3:00-4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday to assist you.