



Public Information Regarding the Chesapeake Bay Act

This notice is simply a reminder to **all** homeowners that pumping your septic tank on a periodic basis is a good practice. Most of the County lies within a Chesapeake Bay Area, and in those areas the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act requires septic tanks pumped out at least once every five years or pursuant to newly adopted regulations simply have the septic system inspected by a certified sewage handler. Most citizens know whether or not they reside within a Bay Act area, but if you are unsure, please do not hesitate to contact us.

If you have pumped your septic tank or had it checked and have not mailed the verification to us, please do so, and we will update our records. If you are not sure when your system was last maintained, you may call us to inquire. Your inquiry will be returned as soon as possible, but please be aware that we expect numerous phone calls and will return them in the order by which they are received.

Thank you for your assistance in protecting the water quality of New Kent County.



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