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Memorandum

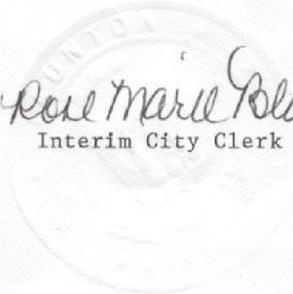
To: Professional Engineers, Registered Sanitarians and licensed Septic Installers
From: Taunton Board of Health
Date: September 27, 2001
Re: **Policy on use of 1000-gallon septic tanks**

The Taunton Board of Health voted on September 10, 2001 to adopt a policy on the use of existing 1000-gallon septic tanks.

- Existing septic tanks that do not meet the Title 5 requirement of 1500 gallons (in most cases a 1000-gallon tank) and are greater than 10 years old **will not** be approved for use in either a repair or upgrade situation. Tanks less than 1500 gallons that are 10 years old or less must be inspected and certified by the septic designer that the tank is in good condition and is acceptable to be used with the repaired or upgraded leaching system.

If you have any questions about this memo please contact this office.

A True Copy:
Attest:


Rose Marie Blackwell
Interim City Clerk