

Septic Tank Remediation Program

Additional Resources

- <u>Presentation Slides</u> Provides overview of program description and qualifications as well as general septic operations.
- EPA Septic Education Materials New Homebuyer's Guide and SepticSmart Infographics
- <u>Septic Inspections</u> Inspections can be conducted by a licensed Installer or Designated
 Representative (septic designer and soil analyst). These license holders can be searched by
 proximity to a given zip code through the Department of Health website here. Select the
 License Type of interest from the drop down.
- <u>Locate Your Watershed</u> To identify if a home is located in one of the watersheds that make up the program area, use the <u>Find Your Watershed</u> tool provided by the University of Arkansas Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies. After entering the property address, look for the name under "8-Digit HUC" on the right side of the page.
- <u>Complete Pre-app</u> Homeowners who believe they may qualify for the program are encouraged to complete the pre-application form for their watershed's managing organization at the links below:
 - o For the Beaver Reservoir Watershed, submit to <u>OWW</u>
 - For the Illinois River Watershed, submit to IRWP
- <u>Septic Permits</u> Septic Permits can be accessed from the GIS parcel records for Benton and Washington counties. Summary instructions below.
 - For <u>Benton county</u>: Search/Text to find the address; Turn on the Environmental/Septic layer; Search/Identify Features/Septic Permits layer; Draw a box around the septic permit icon (orange dot); Open the document.
 - For <u>Washington county</u>: Switch to Advanced Search; Search by name or address; Select Map It for the property of interest; Any septic permit (green dot icon on the map) will be linked on the right above Parcel ID.
- <u>County Health Unit</u> Questions about permitting and local septic regulations can be directed to an Environmental Health Specialist at the <u>county health unit</u> of the home address in question.
- <u>Program Manager Contacts</u>
 - Ozarks Water Watch (Beaver Reservoir watershed):

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o <u>Illinois River Watershed Partnership</u> (Illinois River watershed):

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