

Table 1—Minimum Set-Back Distances

Minimum Distance From	Sewage Tank ¹	Disposal Area ²	Lagoons
	(feet)	(feet)	(feet)
Private water supply well ³	50	100	100
Public water supply well	300	300	300
Cistern	25	25	25
Spring	50	100	100
Classified stream, lake or impoundment*	50	50	50
Stream or open ditch ⁴	25	25	25
Property lines	10	10**	75
Building foundation	5	15	15
Basement	15	25	25
Swimming pool	15	15	15
Water line under pressure	10	10	10
Suction water line	50	100	100
Upslope interceptor drains	-	10	10
Downslope interceptor drains	-	25	25
Top of slope of embankments or cuts of two feet (2') or more vertical height	-	20	20
Edge of surficial sink holes	50	100	500
Other soil absorption system except repair area	-	20	20

*A classified stream is any stream that maintains permanent flow or permanent pools during drought periods and supports aquatic life.

**Recommend twenty-five feet (25') of downslope property line initially, but repair may be allowed to ten feet (10') of downslope property line.

¹Includes sewage tanks, intermittent sand filters and dosing chambers.

²Includes all systems (sand filter, wetland and the like) except wastewater stabilization ponds.

³Unplugged abandoned wells or wells with less than eighty feet (< 80') of casing depth shall have one-hundred-fifty feet (150') minimum distance from all above.

⁴Sewage tanks and soil absorption systems should never be located in the drainage area of a sinkhole.