

Canby Utility Rebate/Cost Share Application Form

Must be received before July 15, 2020

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email Address _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Check box that applies (limit one rebate/cost share per dwelling):

- Septic System Inspection Rebate
- Septic System Repair Cost Share

To be considered for the rebate or cost share, the following three items must be received by 7/15/2020:

- Application Form (*this page signed*)
- Sale receipt/s or invoice/s (*original or a copy*)
- Copy of a fully-completed existing System Evaluation Report or documentation that septic system repair work was completed.

Mail To:
Canby Utility Septic System Assistance
P.O. Box 1070
Canby, OR 97013

please cut on fold



Canby Utility and the City of Molalla are working together to protect water resources.

The purpose is to fund and coordinate efforts regarding source water protection, public outreach and education around watershed issues, drinking water, and water conservation, so that we may preserve the Molalla River as a high quality drinking water source.

Assistance for these programs is provided in part by the Clackamas Soil & Water Conservation District (CSWCD) and Clackamas County.



For more information
Call or email **503-266-1156** or
bbenson@canbyutility.org

or go to

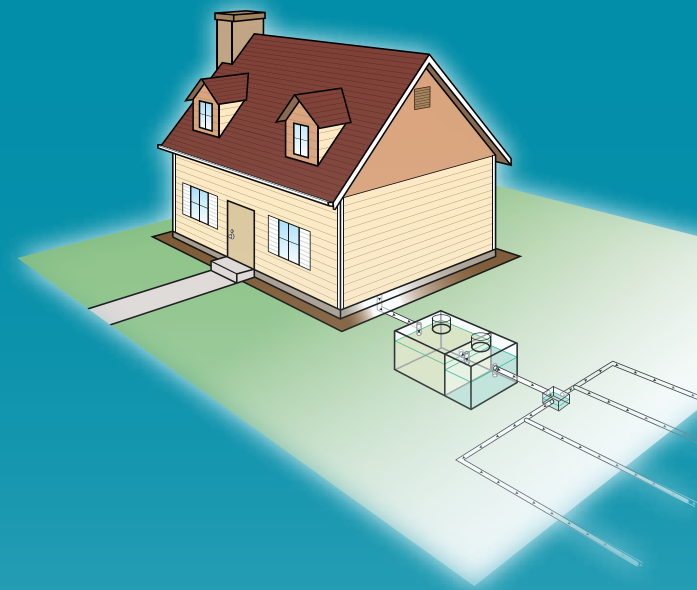
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CLACKAMAS SOIL AND WATER
CONSERVATION
DISTRICT
Good dirt. Clean water.

Financial Assistance For Septic System Owners

in the Molalla River Watershed



*A properly functioning
septic system can save you
money and help protect our
water quality.*



Eligibility Requirements for Rebate or Cost Share Programs:

- Your septic system must be located in the Molalla River Watershed and be up-stream of Canby's drinking water intake. If you are not sure your home is located within the watershed please call **503-266-1156**.
- Homeowners must use a contractor that is on the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ's) approved Oregon Septic Smart Inspector list for septic system repairs and/or inspections. Go to the following list to find DEQ approved contractors:
<https://www.oregon.gov/deq/FilterDocs/OSSinspectorlist.pdf>
- For repairs, check with Clackamas County to see if you will need a permit to conduct the repair work.
- If you have had your system inspected within the past three years, you are not eligible for the rebate program.
- Inspection and/or repair work has to have been completed within the last 6 months to qualify.
- For the Rebate Program, provide a receipt/invoice and copy of a fully-completed DEQ Existing System Evaluation Report for reimbursement.
- For the Cost Share Program, provide a receipt/invoice and documentation of the work completed for reimbursement.

Canby Utility has two different financial assistance programs available for Septic System owners who live within the Molalla River Watershed. Both programs have limited funds and are available on a first-come, first-serve basis until funds are depleted.

Septic System Inspection Rebate

\$200 Existing System Evaluation/ Inspection Rebate - Inspecting your septic system is a good way to make sure your system is working correctly and to identify any problems before they get too big.

Typical gravity fed systems should be inspected at least every three years. Alternative treatment technology systems (ATTs) and sand filter systems should be inspected every year. The inspection should also include pumping of the tank as part of the inspection.

As of 2014, the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality requires the use of an Existing System Evaluation Report for septic system inspections. This new form helps to standardize the way in which septic system inspections are performed and reported and helps to make homeowners aware of all of the components of a comprehensive septic system inspection.

An inspection will provide you with legitimate information that can drastically reduce the risk of costly future septic expenses.

**Have questions?
Call 503-266-1156**

Septic System Repair Cost Share

We will reimburse 50% of the cost up to \$1,000 of necessary septic system repairs.

This is not intended for routine maintenance or pumping, nor for the wholesale replacement of a drainfield, sand filter or alternative treatment technology system.

Repair Work that would qualify for cost share/reimbursement:

- Repairs to the existing septic tank and its components: lid, baffles, effluent filters, etc., including pump repair or replacement
- Repairs to an effluent sewer pipe, pressure distribution line, hydrosplitter, distribution box, drop box, and/or absorption facility

Repair work that is not covered by the program:

- Digging to locate the tank
- Installation of septic system risers
- Work tasks associated with digging up or removing structures that were built on top of the system (driveways, decks, etc.)
- Landscaping after work is complete
- The cost of any required septic permit
- Septic systems serving non-residential uses