STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF WATER RESOURCES PERMITTING SECTION
235 PROMENADE STREET
PROVIDENCE, RI 02908

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TO: Adam Roberts
304 Third Beach Road
Middletown, RI 02842

SITE INFORMATION:
Application No.: 2219-1047
Street: 304 Third Beach Avenue
Town: Middletown
Plat: 125
Lot: 902
Subdivision:
Subdivision Lot No:

CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE

This Certificate of Conformance means that the Onsite Wastewater Treatment System (OWTS), which has been installed under the above application number, appears to substantially conform with the design requirements and other requirements as indicated on the application, and associated plans and specifications. **PERMISSION IS THEREFORE GRANTED FOR UTILIZATION OF THE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM.** A copy of this certificate has been forwarded to the building official of the municipality having jurisdiction over the subject site; he/she may issue a Certificate of Occupancy for the building provided all other local requirements have been met. The building official must receive a copy of the Certificate of Conformance prior to his or her issuing any required certificate of occupancy for the building or facility to be served by the OWTS.

This Certificate is based upon the representations of the Owner and his/her agents, who are responsible for the proper installation of this system. This Department has approved the OWTS installation in reliance upon those representations and is not responsible for any of the construction, design details, specifications, distances or elevations indicated on the application, plan or specifications. This approval is subject to future suspension and revocation in the event that: subsequent examination reveals that any of the data indicated on the application, plan or specifications is incorrect or not in compliance with applicable regulations; or the OWTS system discharges sewage to the surface of the ground or to any watercourse, fails to otherwise operate satisfactorily or is altered in a manner which deviates from the terms of the approved application.

Authorized Agent: Mohamed J. Freij, PE, PLS, Supervising Sanitary Engineer

ONSITE WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM PROGRAM

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON CARE AND MAINTENANCE

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MAINTAINING YOUR
ONSITE WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM (OWTS)

The following is a list of recommendations for maintaining your OWTS. Proper care and maintenance will prolong the service life of your OWTS.

(1) No OWTS will operate efficiently without proper care and maintenance.Maintenance requirements vary according to the type and complexity of the OWTS installed. Contact your designer or installer for additional guidance as you feel necessary.

(2) Learn the location of your septic tank and keep it accessible. The tank should be routinely inspected and pumped as necessary

(3) Minimize the amount of water going into the system. Use flow reducers in showers; repair leaky toilets and sinks.

(4) Do not flush disposable diapers, sanitary napkins, or other similar items down the toilet.

(5) Do not disturb the soil in the area of the leaching system, and do not allow vehicles to park or drive over this area.

(6) Do not locate sheds, swimming pools, gym sets, shrubs or trees over the area of the leaching field.

(7) Be sure the area of the leaching field is graded to prevent surface water from rainfalls or roof drains from collecting over or near the system.

(8) Use extreme care in disposing of household chemicals. Many household chemicals can upset the operation of septic systems and some may pollute drinking water supplies, particularly if wells are nearby.

(9) Do not use acids or organic solvents to attempt to unclog septic systems: use of such chemicals is prohibited by OWTS regulations.

(10) Beware of claims made by manufacturers of so-called "septic system cleaners, additives or enhancers". Studies show that these products generally do not improve the effectiveness or service life of OWTS systems and may, in fact, do the opposite.