

**Resolution for Minimum Vertical Separation of Distance
February 12, 2021 (2021-E-1)**

WHEREAS, "Vertical separation distance" or "VSD" means the distance from the level of the infiltrative surface of the distribution system of a soil absorption system, or component thereof, to the level of a limiting condition in the soil;

WHEREAS, the Ohio Administrative Code Section 3701-29-15 of the Sewage Code allows boards of Health to establish a vertical separation distance no less than six inches and no greater than eighteen inches, with a required minimum thickness of in situ soil within the infiltrative distance of no less than six inches when effluent is discharged to the soil absorption component;

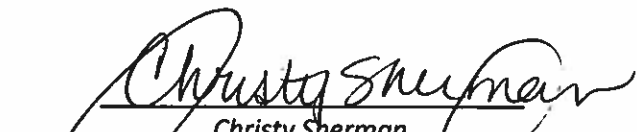
WHEREAS, a board of health may establish the required minimum vertical separation distance of greater than zero inches and less than six inches, and the required minimum in situ soil thickness within the vertical separation distance of greater than zero inches and less than six inches where the seasonal water table is present and the sewage effluent is pretreated to less than one thousand fecal coliform CFU per one hundred milliliters. The infiltrative surface shall not be placed below the depth of the seasonal water table.

WHEREAS, the Board of Health has established the required minimum vertical separation of six inches, and the required minimum in situ soil thickness within the vertical separation distance of six inches where the seasonal water table is present and the sewage effluent is pretreated to less than one thousand fecal coliform CFU per one hundred milliliters. The infiltrative surface shall not be placed below the depth of the seasonal water table.

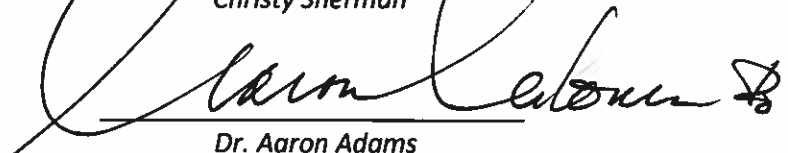
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 12th day of February, 2021 that the Scioto County Board of Health has adopted the above stated conditions for the installation of Home Sewage Treatment Systems within Scioto County.



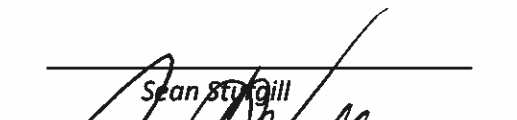
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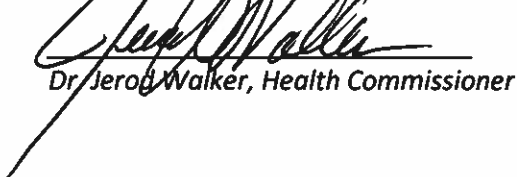
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