



Harnett County Government Complex  
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February 15, 2012

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**RE: Failing system located at: 12638 NC 42, Holly Springs, NC 27540  
AKA - Duncan Junction**

Dear Mr. Homan,

Previously, an on-site inspection was made on your property on February 9, 2012, by an Environmental Health Specialist and observed a failing septic system. This prompted the visit made by myself to include Gale Greene, Food & Lodging Program Specialist. I came prepared to hand deliver a letter which addressed the on-going sewage problems, but importantly to offer the remaining options available. Based on our discussion today, you stated there is property available to you which could be used as repair area. With that knowledge, and with your repair application on file already, we will now follow a new path which hopefully leads to a more successful outcome for all involved. But until this is resolved I must state the following:

You are hereby notified that you are violating the Rules and Regulations adopted by the North Carolina Commission for Health Services in accordance with requirements of Article 11 Chapter 130A-335 (a) of General Statutes of North Carolina. Any person owning or controlling a residence, place of business, or place of public assembly containing water using fixtures connected to a water supply source shall discharge all wastewater directly to an approved wastewater system permitted for that specific use. A wastewater system may include components for collection, treatment and disposal of wastewater.

**You are required to correct this problem within 30 days from the date of our site visit which was February 15, 2012.** The continuation of this violation may constitute a health hazard, and **if you do not comply within the allotted time frame we will be forced to obtain legal action.**

Please contact me as soon as possible to schedule an on-site visit in order for you to obtain an Improvement Permit for Repair to your septic system. I may be reached at 893-7547 Monday-Friday, from 8:00-9:00 a.m. for scheduling or if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

Bryan McSwain, R.E.H.S.  
Environmental Health OSWW Program Specialist  
Harnett County Department of Public Health  
Environmental Health Section

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Enclosure(s)

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In June of 1993 a new septic drain field was installed because the initial septic system was failing. In July of 2011, a second drain field (located behind the building) was installed with a valve that alternates dosing between the first and second drain fields. In September of 2011 the second drain field was damaged causing sewage to surface. Several attempts were made to adjust the dosing amount of liquid as well as manipulations to the drain field in order to keep the sewage underground.

After the above mentioned site visit sewage was observed surfacing in both the first and second drain fields at the same time. Currently there is no available space left on the property to install another drain field.

Listed below are the options remaining to address the failing septic system issue:

1. Acquire property with sufficient space and adequate soil to repair the system 100%
2. Obtain a Pump & Haul permit
  - ❖ The application for repair that is currently on file can be used as the application for the Pump & Haul permit
  - ❖ Provide documentation from a wastewater treatment facility that will be receiving the wastewater and that the additional wastewater will not exceed the capacity of the of the facility

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