



Wichita Falls-Wichita County Public Health District

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OSSF HOMEOWNER MAINTENANCE CLASSES

Wichita County has adopted new rules outlining the training and maintenance report submittal requirements for homeowners that wish to maintain their own on-site sewage facility (OSSF), if it is an aerobic treatment unit (ATU) with secondary treatment. In Wichita County, with the appropriate training, homeowners may be allowed to maintain their own system. This exemption is only for single-family residences. Commercial, speculative residential or multi-family properties do not qualify. Training classes that maybe used to fulfill OSSF Homeowner Maintenance requirements in accordance with County and State law shall be approved by Wichita County. The following is a list of basic homeowner/property owner maintenance training education providers currently approved:

- (A) Environmental Training Systems – 8 hr. Course (in class only)
For more information on class location, dates, times and cost, visit their website at: www.environmentaltrainingsystems.com or call (979) 798-4085. Request information for: Troubleshooting & Repair of Aerobic Treatment Units, Electrical Controls, Spray or Drip Disposal.
- (B) Texas Engineering Extension Service (TEEX) – 8 hr. Course.
For more information on class location, dates, times and cost, visit their website at: www.teex.org. or call 1-877-833-9638. Request information for: Aerobic Treatment Systems Operation & Maintenance.

For those that would like information on becoming a Licensed Maintenance Provider, you can contact the following:

Texas On-Site Wastewater Association (TOWA) – 2 day course.
For more information on class locations, dates, times and cost, visit their website at: www.txowa.org. (Calendar of Events) or call 1-888-398-7188. Request information for: Basic Maintenance Provider Course.