

Lewis County Public Health & Social Services
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
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2026

APPLICATION FOR SEWAGE SYSTEM INSTALLER CERTIFICATE

Name of Firm _____

Mailing Address _____
Street or P. O. Box City State Zip

Phone (____) _____ Fax # _____

Email: _____

Owner _____

Name(s) of Certified Operator(s)

Has the owner or operator of this firm ever been denied a certificate, registration or license to operate in this or any other jurisdiction? ☐ YES ☐ NO If yes, explain circumstances on reverse side.

State of Washington General Contractor's Registration (RCW 18.27): (See Reverse)

NUMBER _____ EXPIRATION DATE _____

I, the undersigned, duly authorized officer of the above firm, having provided the above information as correct and agreeing to follow the Lewis County Code (Chapter 8.40, On-Site Sewage Systems), and agreeing to comply with the minimum requirements and standards outlined in the Washington State Board of Health On-Site Sewage System Rules and Regulations and further agreeing to comply with any reasonable directives as may be requested by the Lewis County Environmental Services hereby apply for a Sewage System Installer's Certificate issued in accordance with Lewis County Board of Health Rules and Regulations.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Applicant's Title (Owner, Partner, etc.) _____

Submit the completed signed form with fee payment and copy of current contractor's license, to the address listed at the top of this form. New registrations must meet prior certification requirements. Incomplete applications will be returned. Renewals must be submitted prior to January 15th.

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☐ New ☐ Renewal | Fee Paid _____ Date Payment Received _____

Payment Type: ☐ Check # _____ ☐ Credit/Debit ☐ Cash

Added to List/Website ☐ Date _____ Accepted By: _____

RCW 18.27.050

Insurance or financial responsibility required—Suspension of registration upon impairment.

(1) At the time of registration and subsequent reregistration, the applicant shall furnish insurance or financial responsibility in the form of an assigned account in the amount of fifty thousand dollars for injury or damages to property, and one hundred thousand dollars for injury or damage including death to any one person, and two hundred thousand dollars for injury or damage including death to more than one person.

(2) An expiration, cancellation, or revocation of the insurance policy or withdrawal of the insurer from the insurance policy automatically suspends the registration issued to the registrant until a new insurance policy or reinstatement notice has been filed and approved as provided in this section.

(3)(a) Proof of financial responsibility authorized in this section may be given by providing, in the amount required by subsection (1) of this section, an assigned account acceptable to the department. The assigned account shall be held by the department to satisfy any execution on a judgment issued against the contractor for damage to property or injury or death to any person occurring in the contractor's contracting operations, according to the provisions of the assigned account agreement. The department shall have no liability for payment in excess of the amount of the assigned account.

(b) The assigned account filed with the director as proof of financial responsibility shall be canceled at the expiration of three years after:

(i) The contractor's registration has expired or been revoked; or

(ii) The contractor has furnished proof of insurance as required by subsection (1) of this section;

if, in either case, no legal action has been instituted against the contractor or on the account at the expiration of the three-year period.

(c) If a contractor chooses to file an assigned account as authorized in this section, the contractor shall, on any contracting project, notify each person with whom the contractor enters into a contract or to whom the contractor submits a bid that the contractor has filed an assigned account in lieu of insurance and that recovery from the account for any claim against the contractor for property damage or personal injury or death occurring in the project requires the claimant to obtain a court judgment.