Town of Dartmouth
Board of Health
400 Slocum Road
Dartmouth, MA 02747

WELL PERMIT REGULATIONS

Before the Dartmouth Board of Health will issue a well permit to any well driller, the following steps must be followed:

1. Approved septic system plans are to be on file in the Board of Health office.

2. Only licensed Well Drillers with proof of contract with the landowner can apply for the well permit and the required fee is to be paid at the time of application. Well driller certification shall be on file in this office.

3. A Registered Engineer shall stake well location onsite.

4. Well location shall be verified onsite by authorized Inspector of the Board of Health.

5. After the Board of Health has verified the well location, the well permit will then be issued to the licensed well driller upon proof of current certification.

6. Well water sample shall be drawn and analyzed by a certified laboratory technician. Results shall be submitted to the Board of Health on the official letterhead of laboratory.

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WELL REGULATIONS WHERE TOWN WATER IS NOT AVAILABLE

1. There shall be one (1) well for each lot.

2. The location of the well must be a minimum of one hundred feet (100') from any septic disposal area and a minimum of fifteen feet (15') from property lines.

3. The Registered driller must obtain an installation permit and have the Board of Health Agent approve the proposed well location at the site.

4. When the well is completed, written reports shall be presented with date, owner's name and address, location, depth, production rate of well, and an analysis of water for purity by an approved laboratory.

5.

WELL DEPTH	MINIMUM GALLONS/MINUTE FOR 4 HOURS
0 - 150 feet	5 - 6
150 – 200 feet	4
201 – 250 feet	2 – 3
251 – 349 feet	1 – 2
350 feet and over	½

6. A fee for permit for installation of well shall be charged and the rate shall be established by the Board of Health from time to time.

Serverability: Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word of these regulations be declared invalid for any reason, the remainder of said regulations shall not be affected thereby.

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