



INDIAN LAKE BOROUGH

1301 CAUSEWAY DRIVE
CENTRAL CITY, PA 15926

814-267-4614

814-754-8161

April 1, 2008

Dear Property Owner:

This letter is to advise you that you have been selected for inspection of your on-lot sewage system as part of the borough's recently adopted Act 537 plan. Lots were selected randomly from a list of all lots with an on-lot sewage system. You must complete your inspection prior to September 30, 2008.

What You Must Do:

- You are responsible to locate your septic and exposing the cleanout port.
- Contact a pumping service to have your tank pumped out.
- Coordinate the date of pumping with the sewage system inspector.
- Ensure that access to your tank can be made by the pump truck operator and sewage system inspector.
- When the pumping and inspection is complete, submit the pumping receipt to the inspector for submission to the borough secretary.
- Complete pumping and inspection prior to September 30, 2008. Failure to complete inspection and pumping prior to September 30, 2008 will result in the termination of water service, a fine of not less than \$500 dollars and costs, and not more that \$5,000 dollars and costs, or in default thereof shall be confined in the county jail for a period of not more than 90 days. Each day of noncompliance shall constitute a separate offense.

The Borough has contracted with Reggie Musser to perform the inspection of your tank and leach bed area. Mr. Musser is a qualified by the Pennsylvania State Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) as a sewage enforcement officer. **You are responsible to contact Mr. Musser directly to schedule your inspection and you will also need to let him know which pumping service you want him to use so that he can schedule the appointment with them to coincide with his schedule.** His contact information is as follows:

Musser Sewage Specialists
309 West Shore Trail
Stoystown, PA 15563
814-754-4020 or 814-442-1855

While you may use any pumping service of your choice, the Borough does not endorse or recommend any particular service provider. **You are responsible for payment of any pumping fees.**

Pumping Service Providers

Behon Septic Tank Cleaning	814-267-9978
CWM Environmental	724-543-3011
Highland Environmental Sanitation	814-445-3922 or 814-445-9345
Kamzik Septic Service	814-322-1966
Pile's Concrete Products	814-445-6619
Smith Septic Tank Cleaning	814-634-8113 or 814-634-8159

If you have trouble locating your septic tank or exposing the cleanout port, please call Carl Chapman at 814-754-4882 or Roger Weimer at 814-634-0018 they might be able to assist you.

Listed below is a fee schedule for any additional site visits, dye testing, or any other services or activities beyond the required inspection. You are responsible for the payment of any of these services.

While we recognize the burden that these inspections may cause, remember, this requirement comes up only once every five years, when a home is sold or when a complaint is made. Also, try to remember that the purpose of these inspections is to ensure that each homeowner has a functioning septic system so that we can ensure that our most precious resource, the lake, is protected.

Please contact the Borough office if you should have any questions regarding this inspection and maintenance requirement. A complete copy of the ordinance is on our website www.indian-lake.pa.us.

Thank You,

Indian Lake Borough

Fee Schedule for Musser Sewage Specialists:

Service Charge for Additional Site Visits	\$25.00
Dye Test (Performed by MSS) if required	\$150.00
Dye Test (Performed by others – MSS must be present)	Above rates apply
All Other Services or Activities	\$20/hr