



Granite State Septic System Evaluator Training Program



Classroom Session: Tuesday, May 16, 2023, IBEW Hall, 48 Airport Road, Concord, NH

Field Session: Saturday, May 20, 2023, Kent Clean Septic, Hooksett, NH

This program establishes a minimum level of standard septic system evaluation procedures, with the goal of producing consistent and objective inspections conducted by septic system evaluation professionals in New Hampshire. This program was developed in 2001 by Granite State Onsite Wastewater Association in cooperation from the NH Dept. of Environmental Services. The NH Board of Septic System Evaluators accepts this program as one of the paths to earning certification as a licensed evaluator under rules within the NH Office of Professional Licensing & Certification.

Those who complete this training program must also complete the Board's application for certification and pass an exam given by the board. Information about the steps involved in becoming a NH-licensed Septic System Evaluator can be found on the board's website: <https://www.oplc.nh.gov/board-septic-system-evaluators>

Training Program: The training program consists of a two-day course. The first day is in a classroom setting allowing for social distancing. Instructors will follow a manual that will be given to all participants upon arrival at the training site. Training topics include: gathering records and data, plan reading, evaluation methodology, septic tanks and treatment tanks, effluent disposal areas, results of evaluation and interpreting your observations and administrative rules concerning conducting and reporting on your evaluation. The second day is a field session where participants will review working septic systems of various types and conduct group inspections of each system. A field exam will be given to test your knowledge of field inspection concepts and practices. (You must attend both days of the training to receive an attendance certificate and to sit for the state exam.)

Cost: \$750 (includes training manual, attendance certificate, continental breakfast, breaks and a deli lunch at the classroom, coffee and box lunch for the field session)

Registration may be completed online with payment to be made via check or via an online invoice which you can ask be emailed to you when you complete your application to participate. To register online, visit gsowa.org and go to the Calendar of Events listing for May 16. The training program has a limit of 30 people, due to limitations at the field session location. You may also register via check using the paper registration form.

After completing the registration process, you will receive a confirmation from GSOVA which will include further detail about the training locations. All will receive a training manual which will be handed out as you check in for the training program.

Questions? Send us an email to info@gsowa.org or call us at 603-228-1231.



**GRANITE STATE SEPTIC SYSTEM EVALUATOR TRAINING PROGRAM
APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT**

May 16 & 20, 2023

Date of Application: _____

Name of Applicant: _____

Company Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

List any and all professional licenses and permits and their respective numbers issued to you, and professional and educational experiences that relate to septic systems, soil and wetland science, etc.:

Are you currently conducting septic inspections? YES NO

I understand that I must attend both sessions to complete this training? _____ (please check)

Do you have any dietary restrictions? If so, please list _____

Do you require ADA accommodations? If so, please list _____

Total Amount: \$ _____ \$750

Please make checks payable to: GSOWA or _____ email me an invoice payable online via credit card.

Return to: GSOWA, 17 Depot Street, Suite 3, Concord, NH 03301 or email to info@gsowa.org