

## **COMPREHENSIVE CHECKUP**

*Included with your routine pumping*



### **INSPECTION PORT CAP(S) CONDITION**

The inspection port caps are checked to make sure they are water tight and intact securely. A missing or damaged inspection port cap can allow for unwanted debris and ground water



### **SEPTIC LID CONDITION**

The septic tank lid(s) are inspected for structural integrity. We look for major cracks and deterioration. A lid in poor condition is not only unsafe, but also if not sealed properly can allow for unwanted ground water infiltration into your system.



### **INTLET BAFFLE CHECK**

The inlet baffle directs flow of wastewater into your septic tank and prevents the scum layer in the tank from being disturbed. It also can help prevent solids from backing up toward the house if you should experience a septic system backup. We make sure the inlet baffle is present, clear of any visible buildup, and in satisfactory condition.



### **OUTLET BAFFLE CHECK**

The outlet baffle directs the flow of effluent from the tank to the drain field. It prevents the scum layer from exiting straight into the outlet pipe and causing drain field clogs and premature system failure. We make sure the outlet baffle is present and in satisfactory condition.



### **SOLIDS LEVEL**

The solid levels are observed and noted for pumping frequency recommendations. A change in usage or number of occupants residing in the home in between your routine pumpings may alter the frequency recommendation



### **OVERALL TANK CONDITION**

During your septic tank(s) cleaning, the inside of the tank is inspected to make sure rebar is not exposed, there are no large cracks and the tank is structurally sound and free of tree roots.



### **EFFLUENT FILTER (IF APPLICABLE)**

Effluent filters (if present) are pulled and cleaned during your septic tank cleaning. NOTE: Effluent filters should be cleaned on a 3-6 month basis depending on the number of occupants residing in the home. Contact our office to sign up for an automatic filter cleaning.



### **FLOW FROM HOUSE**

The building sewer line is the line that delivers water from the home to the septic tank. The flow from the house will be observed by flushing the toilet to ensure normal flow levels. If the flow is slower than normal, this could be an indication of a belly in the line or an obstruction in the line coming from the home and would need addressed to avoid a further issue.



### **FLOW/RUNBACK FROM THE DRAIN FIELD**

The flow/runback from the drain field back into the septic tank is an indication of possible drain field failure. This will be observed by the technician. If there is an issue with possible runback, you will be made aware ASAP to discuss the issue and the options for a potential fix

