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Soil Evaluators (Soil Scientists)

Ohio Administrative Code Rule 3701-29-07 requires that an evaluator shall have the knowledge and experience to facilitate the review of site and soil conditions, using information provided by the homeowner and these rules to identify appropriate areas for the siting of STS and Gray Water Recycling Systems (GWRS). Soil Evaluators shall be knowledgeable of the requirements of this chapter, available technologies, and the science of pedology.

Rules require that soil evaluations shall be completed by:

- (1) A soil scientist or soil classifier certified by the soil science society of America (SSSA) completing the soil evaluation while acting as an independent agent of the owner or board of health;
- (2) A SSSA associated professional soil scientist that is supervised by a SSSA-certified soil scientist completing the soil evaluation while acting as an independent agent of the owner or board of health;
- (3) A soil professional registered by a state or national organization with equivalent minimum qualifications and/or demonstration of competency for soil evaluation as approved by the director of health;
- (4) A registered sanitarian employed by the board of health having jurisdiction where the soil evaluation is to take place completing the soil evaluation on behalf of the board of health when the employee is determined by the board of health to be capable of meeting the tasks in paragraph (C) of this rule; or
- (5) Other persons approved under a certification program or other training program as approved by the director of health.

The Association of Ohio Pedologists is nationally recognized, and certification is through the Soil Science Society of America. Here is a [list of AOP certified Soil Scientists](#) who are currently available for soil consulting.

Soil Scientists in Close Proximity to Guernsey County

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