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SEWAGE PERMIT APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

A sewage permit is required by law before any individual or subsurface sewage system is installed or modified. In Idaho counties, this sewage permit is required before any building construction begins. The homeowner is allowed to install his own system, but if any part of the system is done for hire or trade, it must be done by a licensed and bonded installer. A current list of installers and information on permit fees is available from your local Health Department.

THE SYSTEM MUST BE INSPECTED BEFORE YOU COVER IT!

Information needed to fill out a permit:

1. Legal description of property; if located in a subdivision, name of subdivision and lot and block number. Township, range, and section must be on the permit or it will not be accepted.
2. Size of property.
3. Potential number of bedrooms in home.
4. Distance from nearest neighbor's well.
5. Distance from your well (or proposed well site)
6. Distances from canals, ditches, and any surface waters ie) lake, stream, creek or slough.

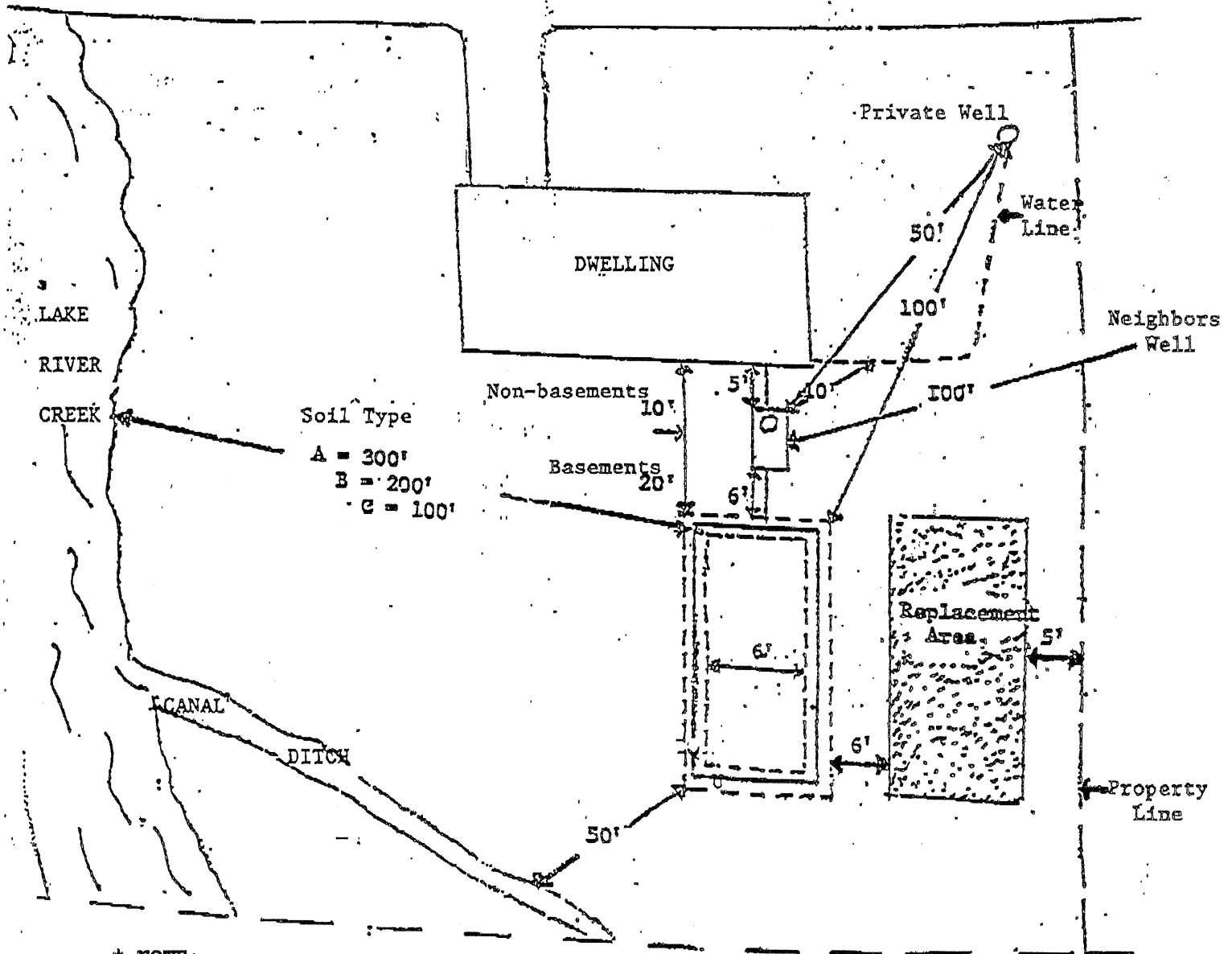
Information needed by Health Dept. to size system:

1. Hydro/geological information. A testhole is required. It must be 8' deep, the width of a backhoe bucket. It must be checked by the Environmental Health Specialist.
2. A plat, or plot plan, of the property is needed, showing proposed location of the house, well, drainfield, etc.

For your information:

1. There are properties that were acceptable for sewage disposal in the past that can no longer meet all the requirements. Ask BEFORE you buy or build.
2. Septic permits are valid for one year and are renewable (at an extra fee) as long as the regulations under which the permit was issued are valid, or if no contradicting information is presented.
3. Soils unsuitable for standard systems are clays with high shrink/swell potential and extremely rocky, gravelly soils with no sand.

MINIMUM DIMENSIONAL REQUIREMENTS



* NOTE:

Septic tank must be 50' from surface water, and 25' from public water lines