

Chapter 210

SEWAGE DISPOSAL

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Scott as indicated in article histories. Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Sanitary District regulations — See Ch. A300.

ARTICLE I

Land Spreading of Biosolids

[Adopted 1-14-1993 by Ord. No. 1-1993]

§ 210-1. Purpose.

The purpose of this article is to regulate the application or dispersal of treatment plant biosolids while recognizing the agricultural benefits derived from proper application, in order to safeguard the health, safety and general welfare of Town residents.

§ 210-2. Definitions.

As used in this article, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

BIOSOLIDS — Sludge that has been treated and can be used beneficially.

DNR — The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

PERMIT — The annual permit issued by the Town of Scott pursuant to this article.

SEPTAGE — The untreated sediment from septic or holding tanks as covered by § 281.48, Wis. Stats., as amended.

SITE — Any DNR-approved agricultural land designated for dispersal of sludge.

SLUDGE

- A. Sewage sediment that contains a heavy growth of microorganisms, resulting from vigorous aeration.
- B. The accumulated solids resulting from biological or chemical treatment, flotation, filtration or sedimentation of wastewater.

TOWN — Scott Township, Sheboygan County, Wisconsin.

§ 210-3. Permit required.

No one shall land spread biosolids (sludge) on any site in the Town unless a permit has been issued to him by the Town Board.

§ 210-4. Permit procedure. ¹

- A. The applicant shall have obtained a DNR permit pursuant to Ch. NR 204, Wis. Adm. Code, as amended.
- B. Application shall be made in writing by the owner of the wastewater treatment facility generating the biosolids before March 1 of the permit year and filed with the Town Clerk. The following information shall be included:
 - (1) Legal description of the parcels of land.
 - (2) Department of Natural Resources site number of the land on which the sludge is to be applied.
 - (3) The length of time land spreading will occur.
 - (4) Evidence of liability insurance for road or other damage due to land spreading.
- C. Term of permit shall be from April 1 until December 1 of the permit year. Winter spreading shall be by DNR permission, on a case-by-case basis.
- D. Hours of spreading shall be limited to daylight hours. Exceptions to this requirement, for unusual circumstances, may be granted only by the Chairperson of the Road Committee, or designated alternate.

§ 210-5. Map of approved sites.

A map of the currently approved sites shall be posted in the Town Hall by the Town Clerk.

¹. Editor's Note: Amended at time of adoption of Code (see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. D).