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## Chapter 160 Sewage Receptacle Cleaners

- **Section 010 Permit Required**
  - It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of cleaning, evacuating or removing sludge or sewage from septic tanks, cesspools, pit privies or other privately owned sewage disposal receptacles, all called "sewage receptacles" in the county without first obtaining a permit as provided in this chapter. (Ord. 421 § 2, 1963.)
- **Section 020 Permit--Application**
  - Applications for permits shall be made to the county health officer in writing in such form as he may require and such permits must be renewed annually. (Ord. 421 § 3, 1963.)
- **Section 030 Permit--Issuance**
  - The health officer shall issue a permit to the applicant after inspecting the tank, compartment or other container to be used by the applicant in his business and determining:
    - A. That such tank, compartment or other container is in good nonleaking condition and is equipped with proper nonleaking valves and tight fitting covers sufficient to prevent the leaking or spilling of such sewage or sludge;
    - B. That such tank, compartment or other container is correctly calibrated for total capacity in cubic feet or gallons which calibration shall be plainly and conspicuously shown or marked on the side or end of such tank, compartment or other container, in English words or Arabic numerals, which letters or numerals shall be at least three inches in height and at least one-half inch in width, and of a color that will clearly contrast with the background upon which the letters or numerals are painted or otherwise affixed; and
    - C. That the dumping valve controls are operable only from the ground at the rear of the truck.

(Ord. 421 § 4, 1963.)
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**Section 040 Permit--Nontransferable**

- No permit issued under this chapter shall be assignable or transferable, nor shall it authorize any person, firm or corporation other than the one named in the permit to engage in the business mentioned in Section 7.16.010. (Ord. 421 § 7, 1963.)

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**Section 050 Report to County Health Officer**

- Each person, firm, or corporation licensed to clean septic tanks is required to submit to the county health officer by the tenth of each month, a report including the following information on each pumping job done during the previous month: Name and address of owner or tenant; amount pumped in gallons; place of disposal; date of removal; date of disposal. (Ord. 421 § 8, 1963.)

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**Section 060 False Weight or Measure Prohibited**

- It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to charge for the service of cleaning, evacuating or removing sludge from sewage receptacles in the county upon a false weight or measure. (Ord. 421 § 5, 1963.)

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**Section 070 Disposal at Other Than Place Designated Prohibited**

- It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to dispose of sludge or sewage except at a place or places designated by the county health officer. (Ord. 421 § 6, 1963.)

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