

Policy

Nutrient Retentive Effluent Disposal Systems



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To protect the quality of groundwater supplies within the Peel Harvey Catchment Area.

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Legal Authority:	Local Government Act Section 2.7 – The Role of Council Section 107
	Treatment of Sewage and Disposal of Effluent and Liquid Waste Regulations

Policy:

- That Council, pursuant to the provisions of the Health Act and Regulations requires that all new houses or developments within the Peel Harvey Catchment Area on soils classified low or very low land capability (by the Department of Agriculture) for effluent disposal (refer to attachment) be connected to a Nutrient Retentive Effluent Disposal System including amended soil/medium, as approved by the Manager Environmental Health Services.
- 2. That all Nutrient Retentive Effluent Disposal Systems installed within the City of Kwinana shall be installed in compliance with the Code of Practice for the design manufacture, installation and operation of Aerobic Treatment Units (ATU's) published by the Department of Health under Section 344A(2) of the Health Act.
- 3. The Code of Practice is to be read in conjunction with the Health (Treatment of Sewage and Disposal of Effluent and Liquid Waste) Regulations 1974 and the conditions of approval issued by the City of Kwinana.

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