

NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE
VIRGINIA
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS
WASTE TREATMENT
CODE 629

Land Owner/Operator _____

County _____ SWCD _____ Farm/Tract No. _____

Prepared By _____ Date _____

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE ITEMS

Properly protected, operated, and maintained waste treatment systems can be an asset to the property. This practice was designed and installed to treat agricultural waste by (mechanical, chemical, biological) methods. The minimum required life span of this installation is 10 years. The life of the practice can be assured and usually increased by developing and carrying out a systematic operation and maintenance program.

This practice will require periodic maintenance and may also require operational items to maintain satisfactory performance. Your operation and maintenance program requirements include:

- Recommended loading rates of the waste treatment facility or process for hydraulic and critical pollutant parameters.
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- Proper operating procedures for the waste treatment facility or process, including the amount and timing of any chemicals added.
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- Operation and maintenance manuals for pumps, blowers, instrumentation and control devices, and other equipment used as components of the waste treatment facility or process.
- Description of the planned startup procedures, normal operation, safety issues, and normal maintenance items. This includes procedures for the planned replacement of components with less than a ten year service life.

