



Adams Co. Regional Sewer District

313 W. Jefferson St. • Room **337**

Decatur, IN 46733

(260) 724-2995

<https://www.co.adams.in.us/303/ACRSD>

September 24, 2025

Dear current resident:

RE: Adams County Regional Sewer District

On April 14th, 2022, the District approved an additional local exemption from the mandatory requirement to connect to the Districts' collection system known as the Contained Sewage Low Flow (CSLF) exemption. To be eligible for this exemption, there can be no flush toilets in the home and an outdoor sealed privy vault must be utilized and the waste properly disposed of. A copy of this exemption policy and claim form is included for your information.

Individuals who are not eligible for one of the state law exemptions through the Adams County Health Department or will not apply for a local CSLF exemption will be required to connect to the Districts' collection system if a project is approved for financing and constructed in your area.

PLEASE NOTE: If the Adams County Regional Sewer District (ACRSD) approves a CSLF exemption for your property, this only means that the ACRSD will not require a connection to the District sewer system. The granting of such an exemption by the ACRSD does not affect the authority or a decision by the Adams County Health Department to require your home or discharging structure to connect to a District sewer system constructed adjacent to your property.

Sincerely,
ACRSD Board

Joshua Zimmerman
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Nathan Scherer, District Superintendent

**LOW FLOW EXEMPTION
CLAIM FORM**

To claim an exemption from the requirement to discontinue the use of your current septic system and the requirement to connect to the District sewer system, please fill out, sign and return this Low Flow Exemption Claim Form to the Adams County Regional Sewer District at the address set forth below **within 30 days** from the date of this notice.

To: Adams County Regional Sewer District
313 West Jefferson Street
Room 337
Decatur, IN 46733

Name: (All owners of property should be listed)

Address of site for which the exemption is claimed:

Contact phone# _____

The undersigned certify that no indoor toilets are located in the home or structure and only an outdoor sealed sanitary vault privy is utilized upon the property according to the eligibility requirements for this exemption. The outdoor privy is not connected to any outlet or septic system and the waste will be removed and disposed of by contractors licensed and or approved to dispose of such waste. The undersigned further hereby authorizes a representative of the District to inspect the property to confirm compliance with the requirements of this exemption.

(Owner)

(Owner)

The granting of an exemption by the ACRSD under this procedure does not affect the rights, jurisdiction or authority of the Adams County Health Department or Indiana State Department of Health to require a connection to the District's sewer system or to govern or regulate onsite septic systems, privies or any other matter over which they may have authority under state or federal law or regulation.