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NEW SEPTIC REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT FUNDING PROGRAM

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Dear Bedford Resident,

I write because, as you may know, under a state mandated local law, you are required to have your septic system pumped every five years. We'd like you to know of a new funding program now available if your system is failing. Financial support may be available to you through the Town of Bedford.

What does this mean to you and what do you need to do?

- If you have not had your septic system pumped within the past four years, you should contact your septic company to have it pumped as soon as possible because the deadline for compliance is April 30, 2016 and scheduling a pump out may take longer if you wait. If you do not have a septic company, go on the Town's website at <http://www.bedfordny.gov/departments/planning/septic/> and click on "Licensed Septic Collectors" for a list or call 914-666-4434 if you do not have internet access.
- If the Westchester County Department of Health issued you a notice of non-compliance that your system is failing, you also should go to the Town's website or call as noted above to find out about Bedford's septic system repair or replacement program. You may be eligible for reimbursement for up to 50% of the cost of your septic system's repair or replacement provided you meet certain conditions, including Department of Health approval for the work performed.

For more information call the number above or go on the Town's website. Please also feel free to contact me at supervisor@bedfordny.gov or 914-666-6530.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Chris Burdick".

Chris Burdick
Supervisor