

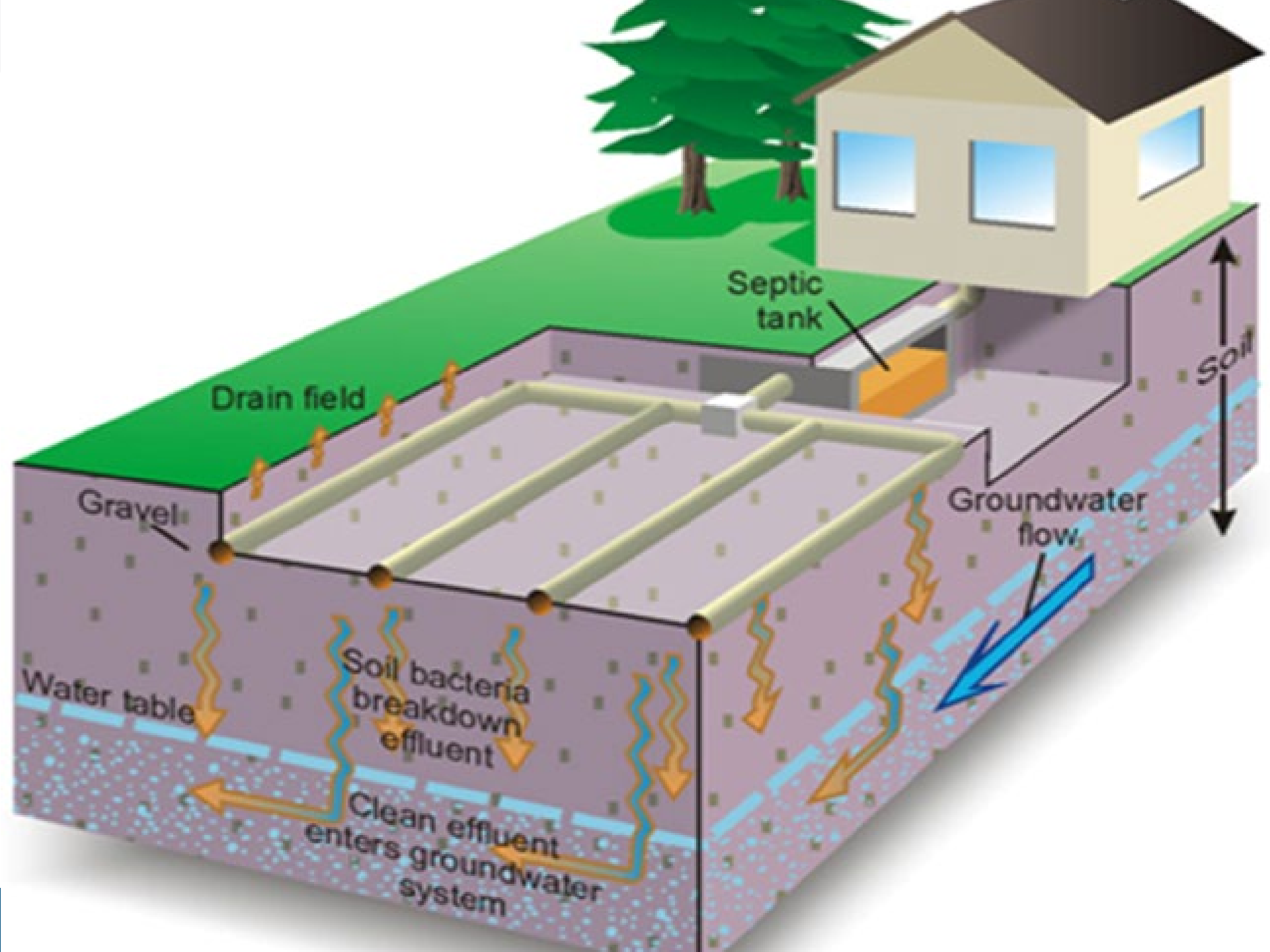
# State Law and Central Coast Regional Water Control Board Review



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# Terms

- Onsite Wastewater Treatment System (OWTS, or septic systems)
- Local Agency Management Program (LAMP)
- Local Agency
- Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR)



# Legal Context

- Prohibits discharge of waste
  - Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) or
  - Waiver of WDRs
- OWTS Policy 2013

# LAMP Reviews

- Complies with OWTS Policy
  - Siting and Design Requirements
  - Groundwater Monitoring Programs
  - Processes and Technical Ability
  - Alternative Treatment
  - As protective to Water Quality as other LAMPs
- Approved by the Central Coast Water Board at a Public Hearing

# LAMPs Approved



2015



2015



2018



2018



2018



2020

# Water Quality

- Excellent treatment if properly
  - Planned
  - Designed
  - Sited
  - Installed
  - Operated
  - Maintained

# Water Quality

- Cause water quality impacts if
  - Too densely spaced
  - Poorly designed, installed, operated, maintained
- Pollute surface and groundwater
  - Pathogens and nitrates





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### Region 3 Email Subscription Form

- San Simeon Creek Watershed
- Santa Maria Watershed TMDL
- Santa Ynez River Basin Nutrient TMDL
- Septic Systems
- Timber Harvest
- Winery General Order

# COMMENTS

- Informal comments/questions
- Formal comments by July 11

Include things you like too

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