

**Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
Technical Advisory Panel
Application for Membership
2020**

The SSTS Technical Advisory Panel (TAP), a technical subcommittee of the SSTS Advisory Committee, provides technical support and recommendations to the MPCA on the registration of treatment and distribution products used in subsurface sewage treatment systems as specified in Minnesota Rules 7083.6000.

The Technical Advisory Panel provides technical support and recommendations to the MPCA on the process to: 1) register treatment and distribution products, 2) determine how these products are to be used in Minnesota, 3) review public domain standards, 4) review guidance documents, and 5) provide support to the renewal of proprietary products.

Panel members are appointed by the MPCA commissioner. The panel members represent different areas of practice, such as local units of government, designers, installers, inspectors, service providers, engineers, soil scientists, the University of Minnesota, and a member of the SSTS Advisory Committee.

The selection of panel members is based on the following criteria:

- Holds current SSTS certification in Minnesota
- Is knowledgeable regarding treatment and distribution products
- Has years of experience with SSTS in Minnesota
- Is independent of product manufacturers, competitors, and distributors of products

The MPCA also has a goal of having panel members that represent different areas of the state, to the extent possible.

The Panel currently meets bi-monthly, on the 3rd Thursday every other month. The meetings are held at the MPCA St. Paul office. Travel expenses are the responsibility of the panel member.

Please complete the following application and return to Katie Dowling at the address shown below. You can submit additional documentation regarding your expertise in advanced treatment systems and distribution media products used in subsurface sewage treatment systems.

Thank you.

Please return completed form to Katie Dowling; Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, 520 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55155; or send to the following email address: Katie.Dowling@state.mn.us.

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Name: _____

Home address: _____ MN _____
Street City Zip

Qualifications for Position: (Please attach additional information if you wish regarding your qualifications.)

Occupation: _____
Employer Business Address

Years in position Education beyond High School

Position (Check all that applies to your areas of expertise):

- SSTS Advisory Committee Member
- Local Unit of Government (QE) representative
- Designer
- Advanced Designer
- Installer
- Inspector
- Advanced Inspector
- Maintainer
- Service Provider
- Professional Engineer
- Professional Soil Scientist
- Member At Large
- U of M Onsite Sewage Treatment Program Professional Employee

Optional (Describe why you would be a good choice to serve on this technical panel – use additional space, as needed):

Certification Statement:

I hereby certify that I meet the qualifications for this position, that I understand the attendance requirements and that there is not compensation offered for my service.

Signature Date