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P.O. BOX 1341
MT. VERNON WA 98273



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OPERATION & MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into between NORTHWEST SEPTIC, INC.,
hereinafter referred to as Operator, and MR. YOUNG SOO KIM,
hereinafter referred to as Owners, on the 4th day of FEBRUARY, 2000 and
will be recorded against the property which the Whitewater unit is installed.

Property Address: 15046 NOOKACHAMPS ROAD
MT. VERNON WA 98273

Tax Parcel ID#: 340423-0-016-0001

Legal Description: P27616

hereafter "the Property".

The dwelling unit(s) on the Property utilize(s) an alternative method of sewage treatment, a Whitewater mechanical aerobic treatment system. The Whitewater unit is required to be monitored and maintained in accordance with regulations as stated in WAC 248-96-046 and the SKAGIT County Board of Health Resolution Number ____; Section ____, subsection _____. Removal, replacement or alteration to this system must be in compliance with all applicable current SKAGIT County Health District and Department of Health regulations governing on-site sewage.

The owner(s) of the Property are responsible for all costs associated with monitoring and maintaining the Whitewater unit. The agency responsible for maintaining and monitoring the Whitewater unit in SKAGIT County is:

Agency/Distributor: NORTHWEST SEPTIC, INC.
Address: P.O. BOX 1341
MT. VERNON WA 98273

Phone Number: 360 757-6974

The purpose of this agreement is to outline the responsibilities of OWNER and OPERATOR regarding the monitoring and maintenance of a Whitewater mechanical aerobic treatment system. AN OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE OWNER. The owner acknowledges receipt and understanding of the text of that agreement.

Initials _____

When the Property is sold, the new OWNER(S) must be advised and assume the OWNER'S responsibility under this agreement. This agreement will become effective immediately after installation and continue for 2 years at a rate of \$ ____ * ____ per year, payable in advance annually by OWNER. The agreement year will commence on the first of the month following the month of installation. This agreement will automatically renew every two years, unless replaced by another Maintenance Agreement approved by the Local Health Department and the State Health Department, from an OPERATOR certified to operate the Whitewater unit. If this agreement is canceled, the operator will notify the Local Health Department within 10 days of said cancellation.

All notices required under this Agreement are to be in writing, and transmitted by U.S. Mail, express courier service, fax or hand-delivery. Written notices shall be deemed to be given upon dispatch.

Notices and other communications to the Health Dept. shall be transmitted to:

SKAGIT COUNTY PERMIT CENTER

200 W. WASHINGTON

MT. VERNON WA 98273

Phone number: 360 336-9410

Notices and other communications to the OWNER shall be transmitted to:

Mr. YOUNG-SOO KIM

2218 OLD HIGHWAY 99 SOUTH

MT. VERNON WA 98273

Phone number: 360 416-4999

Notices and other communications to the OPERATOR shall be transmitted to:

NORTHWEST SEPTIC, INCC.

P.O. BOX 1341

MT. VERNON WA 98273

Phone number: 360 757-6974

*FIRST TWO YEARS ROUTINE MAINTENANCE IS COVERED UNDER INSTALLATION COSTS. EXCLUDES PUMPING CHARGES.



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Operator's Duties

- * OPERATOR will conduct the initial inspection at the time of installation and another inspection at 6 weeks to ensure adequate treatment is being achieved.
- * If applicable - chlorinating tablets will be checked no less than monthly, or to meet State/County minimum standard.
- * Routine maintenance and monitoring will continue every 6 months by the OPERATOR.
- * If Treatment Standard 1 treatment is required, fecal coliform/chlorine residual will be tested every 6 months or to meet State/County requirements.
- * Inspections of the system will comply with the attached Operation & Maintenance schedule. The OPERATOR will generate a performance report and deliver a copy of this report to the OWNER, Local County Health Department and the appropriate State Representative, and keep a copy on file at OPERATOR'S main office.

Warranty

All Whitewater units Operation & Maintenance manuals include a warranty on all parts included in the unit, a copy of which has been given to the OWNER. Initials YER

Additional services not covered by the warranty are as follows:

1. All service call charges and costs of any replacement parts due to the OWNER(S) neglect and/or any other party(s) neglect and/or abuse of the Whitewater unit. The minimum service call charge will be \$ 35.00 ; for every additional hour, the OWNER(S) will be charged \$ 35.00 an hour. This may vary and be subject to change upon notice from OPERATOR.
2. All labor charges for providing aeration to the Whitewater unit if the electricity is shut off. Labor charges for this will be the same as a service charge.
3. The costs of chlorinating supplies made available from OPERATOR will be the responsibility of the OWNER(S).
4. Service charges are subject to reasonable increase upon written notice to OWNER.

OWNER(S) Responsibilities

1. Complying with the instructions of the Operation & Maintenance manual.
2. Notifying the OPERATOR or the OPERATOR'S designated agent immediately of any problems with the Whitewater unit. Particular attention must be given to any failure of the aeration pump.
3. Keeping the sampling/access ports free of obstructions at all times.
4. Granting OPERATOR and Health District Personnel access to the OWNER(S) property to service or inspect the Whitewater unit at ANY time.
5. Notifying OPERATOR when residence is sold or rented to new tenants.



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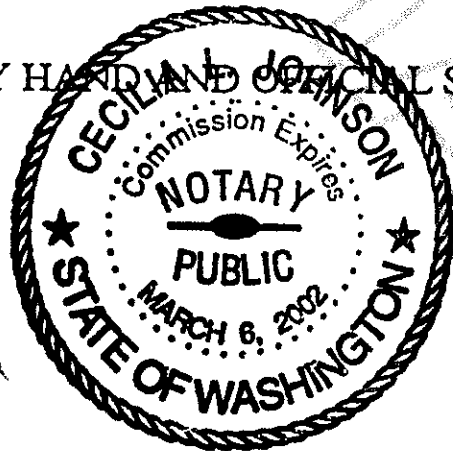
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Operator

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Owner

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) SS
COUNTY OF)

On this 7th day of February, 192000, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared David Mitchell to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that he/she was authorized to execute said instrument.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL THIS 7th DAY OF February, 2000



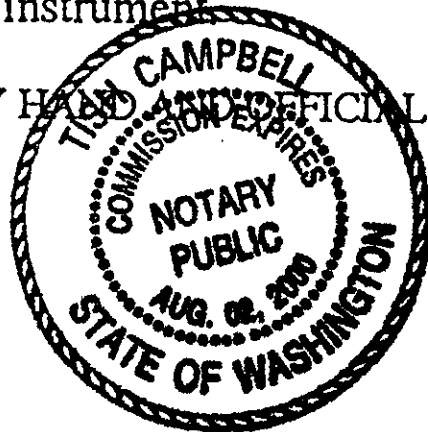
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Notary Public in and for the State of Washington
residing at

Mount Vernon

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) SS
COUNTY OF)

On this day 8th day of February, 2000, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Young Soe Kien to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that he/she was authorized to execute said instrument.

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