

CITIZEN DRAINAGE QUESTIONNAIRE

As you probably know, the Town of Fairview recently established a stormwater, or drainage, utility fund and began collecting fees from property owners within Fairview. The monthly fees that you pay will be used to repair and improve drainage issues throughout the town. Although the funds may not by state law be used to improve private property, they can be used to improve drainage in road rights-of-way, drainage easements, and other public areas that may in turn benefit your local private property. Many drainage issues are also a result of what is happening upstream or downstream from any problem you may be experiencing, and so we need to identify those types of issues as well.

We have put together this brief questionnaire to help us identify priorities and ensure these new public funds are spent appropriately. Responding to the questions below will take only a few minutes, and will help us have a better understanding of the local issue with which you, our citizens, are dealing. Your input is greatly appreciated.

Name:	
Street address:	
Phone number:	(optional)
E-mail address:	(optional)

- 1. Has your house or any other accessory structure ever flooded due to rain?
- 2. Is your house or any other accessory structure threatened by eroding creek banks or ditches?

3. Has any of your remaining property suffered damage as a result of rain? Has it come close?
4. Have you ever had any problems with your septic system due to inadequate roadside ditches or slow drainage channels?
5. Is the street in or around your property especially or unusually dangerous to travel on during rains?
6. Does water continue to stand in roadside ditches or other channels on you property more than two days after a rain ends?
7. Have you been told by a mortgage or insurance company that your house or part of your land is in a floodplain?
8. Is there some other drainage issue of which you would like the town to be aware that may or may not be on your own property?
Please return your answers to Town Engineer James Chancellor. THANK YOU!
Forms can be returned via:
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