1. If your property is served by a septic system, a Snohomish County Health Department construction clearance application and site plan are required to be submitted to Snohomish County Planning & Development Services at https://mybuildingpermit.com

To find more information on residential building permits, click here.

2. If your property is served by a septic system, the Snohomish County Health Department will provide the application.

This will be sent by Snohomish County Planning & Development Services.

3. An Environmental Health Specialist will review your application for compliance with the Snohomish County Health Department Code.

4. The requirements will differ depending on if your property is served by a well or public water.

Please take a look at our website to find more information on these requirements.

5. After review, your application will either be approved or denied.

- If your application is approved it will be communicated to Snohomish County Planning & Development. It will also reflect in your status on https://mybuildingpermit.com and Snohomish County Health Department’s Envision Connect Online portal.
- If your application is denied, you will receive a denial letter from Snohomish County Health Department. To resubmit, you will need to go to https://mybuildingpermit.com.

6. Once you have been issued a building permit from Snohomish County Planning & Development Services, you can refer to Snohomish County Health Department’s list of Certified Septic Installers to determine who you would like to install your septic system. Your licensed septic designer can then request the release of the septic installation permit by the Snohomish County Health Department.