## (Effective until April 1, 2025)

- WAC 246-272A-0400 Technical advisory committee. (1) The department shall:
- (a) Maintain a technical advisory committee to advise the department regarding:
  - (i) OSS design and siting;
- (ii) Public domain technologies and recommended standards and guidance for their use; and
- (iii) Testing and design standards used for proprietary product registration and recommended standards and guidance for use of proprietary products.
- (b) Select members for the technical advisory committee with technical or scientific knowledge applicable to OSS from agencies, professions, and organizations including:
  - (i) Local health departments;
  - (ii) Engineering firms;
  - (iii) The department of ecology;
  - (iv) Land sales, development and building industries;
  - (v) Public sewer utilities;
  - (vi) On-site sewage system design and installation firms;
  - (vii) Environmental organizations;
  - (viii) University/college academic communities;
  - (ix) On-site sewage system or related product manufacturers; and
  - (x) Other interested organizations or groups.
  - (c) Convene meetings as needed.
- (2) The department may have a representative on the technical advisory committee.

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 $\mathtt{WAC}$  246-272A-0400 Technical advisory group (TAG). The department shall:

- (1) Maintain a TAG to advise the department regarding:
- (a) OSS design and siting;
- (b) Public domain technologies, DS&G for product use; and
- (c) Testing and design standards used for proprietary product registration and DS&G for use of proprietary products.
- (2) Select members for the TAG for three-year terms that have technical or scientific knowledge applicable to OSS from agencies, professions, and organizations including:
  - (a) Local health jurisdictions;
  - (b) Engineering firms;
  - (c) The Washington department of ecology;
  - (d) Land sales, development and building industries;
  - (e) Public sewer utilities;
  - (f) OSS:
  - (i) Designers;
  - (ii) Installers;
  - (iii) Maintenance service providers;
  - (iv) Product manufacturers;
  - (g) Environmental organizations;
  - (h) University and college academic communities;

- (i) Certified professional soil scientists; and
- (j) Other interested organizations or groups.

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