POTENTIAL FOR SUBSURFACE SEWAGE DISPOSAL
ANSONIA, CONNECTICUT

LEGEND

- **High Potential** - There are few, if any, limitations that can be easily overcome using standard design and construction procedures. These areas are suitable for conventional systems.
- **Medium Potential** - There are some limitations that can be overcome using standard design and construction procedures. These areas are suitable for conventional systems with additional precautions.
- **Low Potential** - There are few or no limitations that can be overcome using standard design and construction procedures. These areas are not suitable for conventional systems.
- **Very Low Potential** - There are many limitations that cannot be overcome using standard design and construction procedures. These areas are not suitable for conventional systems.

EXPLANATION

This potential for subsurface sewage disposal map was prepared by CT DEP in 2001. The map represents the potential for subsurface sewage disposal in accordance with the Connecticut General Statutes, 10-76b. The map is intended to assist in the planning and development of land use and should be used as a reference tool in conjunction with the Soil Survey Geographic Database (SSURGO) database produced by the USDA-NRCS. The map shows the potential for subsurface sewage disposal by color-coding areas based on the likelihood of success.

HOW TO USE THIS MAP

While this map shows the potential for SSURGO, it should not be used as a substitute for professional advice. The map is a general reference tool and should be used in conjunction with local knowledge and professional advice. The map shows potential for subsurface sewage disposal: further investigation is needed to determine actual suitability.

DATA SOURCES

- **SSURGO** - All data were derived from the 1997 Soil Survey Geographic Database (SSURGO) produced by the USDA-NRCS. This database is based on soil surveys conducted by USDA-NRCS, state universities, and other soil scientists.
- **Map Preparation** - The map was prepared by CT DEP in 2001. The map shows the potential for subsurface sewage disposal as determined by the SSURGO database.

For more information, please contact the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection at 800-722-2838. This map may be used for educational, research, and planning purposes.