POTENTIAL FOR SUBSURFACE SEWAGE DISPOSAL
SCOTLAND, CONNECTICUT

LEGEND

High Potential: These soils have very few limitations that can be easily overcome using standard installation practices.

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Medium Potential: These soils have limitations that can be overcome using standard installation practices with some modification or adjustment.

Low Potential: These soils have some significant limitations that can be met using standard installation practices with substantial modification or adjustment.

Very Low Potential: These soils have the best potential for subsurface sewage disposal, but may have limitations that can be met using standard installation practices with major modifications or adjustments.

Very Very Low Potential: These soils have the most limitations that could be met using standard installation practices with major modifications and adjustments.

EXPLANATION

This potential sewage disposal map is a product of the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Subsurface Sewage Disposal Program. The map represents the potential for subsurface septic systems to be installed in rural areas of Scotland, Connecticut. The map was created using a combination of soil survey data, hydrogeological data, and topographic data. The map is intended to assist in the design and installation of subsurface sewage disposal systems.

HOW TO USE THIS MAP

While the map shows the potential for SSD, it is not a substitute for a professional evaluation of a specific location. It is intended to provide a general overview and should be used in conjunction with soil and hydrogeological evaluations. It is also important to consider local regulations and codes when designing and installing SSD systems.

DATA SOURCES

The data used to create this map includes:

- U.S. Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Subsurface Sewage Disposal Program data
- Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station Soil Survey data
- Connecticut Department of Public Health data
- Connecticut State Hydrography data
- Connecticut Geographic Information System (GIS) data

These data sources were used to create a digital spatial database that was then used to create the map. The map was created using geographic information system (GIS) software to overlay the various data layers and create a final map product.