



1625-C East Donovan Road – Santa Maria, CA 93454
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HOLDING TANK:

A holding tank is not a septic system. Holding tanks are used only when an on-site waste water disposal system cannot be installed on the property due to shallow bedrock, shallow ground water, etc. A holding tank stores all household wastes. When the tank is filled, it must be pumped, and the wastes taken to an approved disposal field or municipal treatment plant.



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TANKS SPECIFICATIONS:

1. Material Specifications:
 - A. Concrete: Portland Cement ASTM C 150 and Federal Specification on Cement, SS-C 1960/3, Type II/V Low Alkali. Minimum Compressive Strength 4,000 PSI at 28 days.
 - B. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A-706 / A-615, Grade 40 and 60.
2. All dimensions + or -, not to be used for construction purposes unless certified.
3. Internal fittings 4" PVC SDR35 sewer and drain U.P.C. approved.
4. Standard ground water seal-butyl mastic, cement mortar, epoxy, or polyurethane.
5. Inlet and Outlet fittings installed in tank walls using "Polylok Pipe Seal". Low pressure pipe seals for precast tanks.
6. Tank to be placed on natural / native soil or approved compact fill.