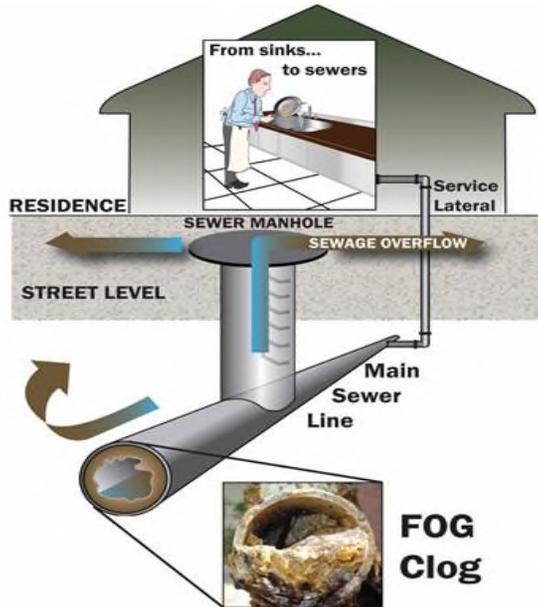


Your Drain is **NOT** a Trash Can!

Proper disposal of Fats, Oils, and Grease will help keep your utility costs down!

Fats, oils, and grease (FOG) from food preparation materials—like salad dressings, condiments, meat, dairy,

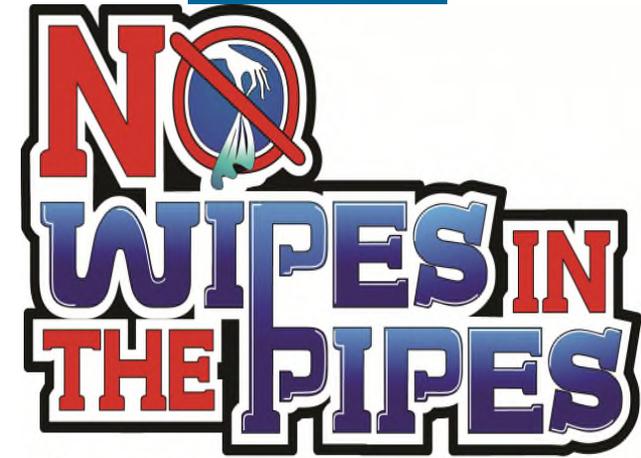


and fat—can cause blockages when poured down the drain, leading to sewer backups through sinks, toilets, and drains.

The city recommends that you put grease, fats, and oils in a jar and then dispose of them in the garbage.



“THINK BEFORE
YOU FLUSH”



Only toilet paper down the toilet



City of DeLand Utilities
Water Reclamation

An overflowing toilet can ruin your home!

Your toilet is not a trash can. When you dispose of things in the toilet that should go in the trash can, your sewer pipes or lines can be clogged, which can cause sewage back-ups in your home or neighborhood, and expensive backups in our city.

The biggest clog culprits are “flushable” wipes and oils/greases. Wipes do not breakdown in the sewer and can tangle and clog pipes and pumps. Disposable does not mean flushable. Whatever goes down the toilet can impact the environment, so only flush the three P’s—pee, poop, and (toilet) paper.

Never flush the following things down the toilet, put them in the trash can instead.



Medications



Wipes—Baby, Facial, Disposable



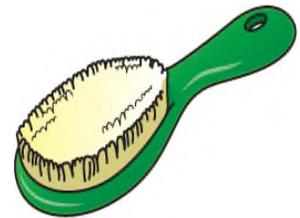
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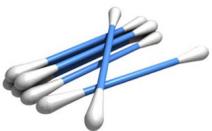
Diapers



Feminine Hygiene Products



Hair



Cotton Swabs/Balls



Dental Floss



Paper Towels/Tissues



Plastic



Cigarettes



Rags/Towels

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