

## KEEP YOUR WASTEWATER/SEWER LINES OPEN

Just because you flush human waste down the toilet does not mean sewers are waste disposal units. Sewers are not designed to cope with modern *disposable* products, and as a result these items can cause blockages. The drains connecting your home to the main sewer are only big enough to carry water, toilet paper, and human waste. They are often no wider than four inches. Around 75 percent of blockages involve *disposable* items. Avoid sewer line blockages which can be a drain on your finances due to expensive plumbing repairs.



**Remember to bag it and put in the garbage ... don't flush it**

### HERE IS A LIST OF ITEMS THAT SHOULD NEVER BE FLUSHED DOWN A TOILET

Dental Floss	Tooth Picks	Q-tips
Diapers (adult and child)	Hair	Toys
Jewelry	Band Aids	Toilet Sponges
Sponges	Rags	Baby Wipes
Shower Caps	Make-up Applicator	Sanitary Napkins
Tampon Applicators	Condoms	Condom Wrappers
Contraceptive Devices	Plastic	Rubber Bands
Newspaper	Unused Medications	Toothbrushes
Plastic Cups	Personal-Care Products	Paper Cups
Household Cleaning Products		Clothing

**WHEN IN DOUBT, PLEASE TRASH IT.**