

Sewer and Drain Use

Sewer backups are a smelly, dirty problem whenever they happen; most can be prevented. Please keep the following from going down the toilet or into any drain: Large quantities of toilet paper, Paper towels, Feminine napkins, Disposable diapers, Clothing (socks, underwear, etc.), Plastic, Metal, Wood, Large quantities of cereals or grains (they swell with water), Live seeds, beans, and peas (they may sprout), Grease, fats, and oils (buildup on pipe walls), Sand and rocks, Fibrous materials (cotton balls, hair, rags, cigarette butts, etc.), Sponges and scouring pads.

Improper disposal of the above or like items may seem inconsequential, but if someone plugs up the sewer in front of your house you will know how catastrophic it can be.