

# SAVE our SEWER System!

Flushable Wipes  
are **NOT** Flushable!

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## No Wipes in the Pipes



No Matter what  
the package says

### DO NOT FLUSH These Products:

- "Flushable Wipes"
- Baby Wipes
- Disinfecting and Cleaning Wipes
- Facial Tissues
- Sanitary Products
- Paper Towels
- Napkins
- Cardboard and Paper Products

### Labels

Wipes may be labeled "flushable" but they don't degrade in the system. Flushing them is like flushing a handkerchief or other cloth item.

### Sewer System & Treatment Plants

Our sewer systems and treatment plants were not designed to handle wipes. They gum up the system, clog pipes and pumps, and cost taxpayers and residents lots of money in additional maintenance costs.

### Plumbing Problems

Many homeowners have experienced plumbing problems because of wipes so you may have expensive maintenance issues at home if you flush them.

