

## **Borough of Bogota**

375 Larch Avenue Bogota, New Jersey, 07603



## **Notice to Residents**

Hello,

It has come to the Borough's attention that the Public Sewer System is experiencing blockages by household items being flushed down toilets/put down drains.

There are only three things to be flushed down the toilet, 1) Urine; 2) Feces; 3) Toilet Paper.

Three things to NEVER put down the drain are; 1) Fats, 2) Oils, 3) Grease.

## THINGS YOU SHOULD NEVER FLUSH:

- 1. Flushable Wipes
- 2. Tampons and sanitary napkins
- 3. Disposable diapers
- 4. Fats, oils, greases
- 5. Unused drugs or pharmaceuticals
- 6. Big chunks or waste
- 7. Anything radioactive
- 8. Fertilizer, pesticides, herbicides
- 9. Condoms
- 10. Flammable or explosive liquids, solids, gases
- 11. Automotive chemicals
- 12. Paper towels

## THINGS YOU SHOULD NEVER PUT DOWN THE DRAIN:

- 1. Fats, oils, greases
- 2. Egg shells
- 3. Coffee grounds
- 4. Produce stickers
- 5. Cleaning products
- 6. Paint
- 7. Car fluids
- 8. Medications

To throw away cooking fats, oils and grease, let the fat, oil or grease safely cool and solidify. Once cool and solid, put the grease into a nonrecyclable container with a lid that can be thrown away. When your container is full throw it in the garbage.

If you have any questions, please contact us at (201)-342-1736 ext. 231.

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