

# LET'S TALK TOILETS

Just the P's, Please



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# Three P's Only!

Only the three P's belong in the toilet: pee, poop, and toilet paper. Period. Anything else—including wipes—is bad news for the pipes and pumps that carry water from your home to your community water resource recovery facility, where professionals are working 24/7 to clean your used water.

## The Facts behind The Flush

Whether used for household cleaning or hygiene, wipes should NEVER be flushed. Unlike toilet paper, which is designed to easily break apart and dissolve after being flushed, wipes don't. Wipes bind together, which can clog pipes at your home and jam pumps in your community's water resource recovery systems, leading to sewage backups inside your home or sewage overflows onto the ground. Flushing wipes could mean costly repairs to your home plumbing system or higher rates for your community to fix related system problems. Your toilet is NOT a trash can, and wipes ARE trash.



## Look for The Logo

The Do Not Flush logo, developed to prevent uninformed flushing, can be found on packaging for baby wipes and many other wipe-type products that may find their way into the bathroom. And although some product packaging may say 'flushable', flush ONLY the three P's to surely prevent wipe-induced clogs and sewage backups.

**WHEN IN DOUBT,  
DON'T FLUSH – USE  
THE TRASH CAN!**



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