As toilet paper supplies on store shelves have diminished with COVID-19 concerns, we are concerned people are turning to alternatives. We need residents to be aware of the problems that are caused with flushing non-flushables, we are sharing a graphic to remind everyone that the only thing safe for sanitary systems is toilet paper. Flushing things like “flushable” wipes, tissues and paper towels creates a very real risk sanitary sewer lines will clog and back up. Keeping our sanitary systems functioning properly and efficiently is our priority, and frankly flushing non-flushables is likely to clog your residential service line before it impacts the Roxborough WSD sewer main in the street.

Please remember to dispose of anything other than toilet paper in the trash. Hopefully the limits on hoarding that many stores are implementing will help address the current shortages.

\[\text{Trash it! Don’t Flush it!}\]

\(\text{NON-FLUSHABLES}\)

- Paper towels
- Baby wipes
- Sanitary Products
- Kleenex
- Even ‘flushable’ or biodegradable wipes

*Items like \text{wipes and paper towels} can cause plugging and clogging of the sewer system resulting in backups and increased maintenance.*