

**PLEASE RETAIN IN YOUR FILES!**

# **Duncan Lake Sewer System Maintenance Charges**

The efficient operation of your sewer system depends largely on what you put into the system. Your septic tank will only handle sewer waste products, drain water from your bathing facilities and filtered drain water from your washing machines.

## ***YOUR SYSTEM IS NOT DESIGNED TO ACCEPT:***

**HOUSEHOLD GREASE  
DISPOSABLE BABY DIAPERS  
HANDIWIPIES  
CONDOMS  
FEMININE SANITARY MATERIALS**

**WASHER LINT  
DISPOSER GARBAGE  
CIGARETTE FILTERS  
AMOUNTS OF HAIR  
TOXIC ITEMS**

The system is designed to break down and contain solids within the septic tank. The pump within the septic tank is designed to pump the liquid waste into the collection system. Neither the pumps nor the collection system are designed to handle solids. Filters are installed within the septic tanks to protect the pumps. If excessive solids, such as listed above, plug these filters the sewer will not work properly and a sewer backup inside your home could result.

### **SEWER MAINTENANCE CHARGES**

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| 1. Service call when the maintenance people determine it was caused by the abuse of the system.....                      | \$200.00 Charge    |
| 2. Pumping of the sewer tank when it has been determined it was caused by the abuse of the system .....                  | \$200.00 Charge    |
| 3. Service when called back to address a similar problem that was corrected less than six months prior to the call ..... | \$200.00 Charge    |
| 4. Damage of sewer pumping components including sewer laterals from the septic tank to the force main.....               | \$200. + Materials |

### ***WARNING!***

**Homeowners or private contractors are NOT permitted to maintain any part of the sewer installation. At any sign of malfunction, discontinue using the system and immediately call**

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