

Thank you for raising this topic. The City of Donald has a STEP sewer system, meaning a septic tank is located at each home or business. The septic tanks are owned and operated by the City. Each tank has an alarm and people page our Public Works Staff when they go off. It is surprising how many of these alarms are due to flushable wipes that have wrapped themselves around the septic tank's parts. Our small City is growing, and our staff is busy and anything you can do to help educate the public on throwing out wipes instead of flushing is much appreciated. Occasionally, Public Works staff even has to come back after work to dislodge these build-ups. We are urging you to support better labeling on these products. Please contact me if you have any questions or need more information; always happy to help.

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