

Did you know? There are 2 pipe systems underground!



Sanitary Sewer System

Household wastewater enters the sanitary sewer system and drains to a treatment facility.

Storm Drain System

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Street surface runoff enters the storm drain system and drains directly to the River, untreated!



Contact us

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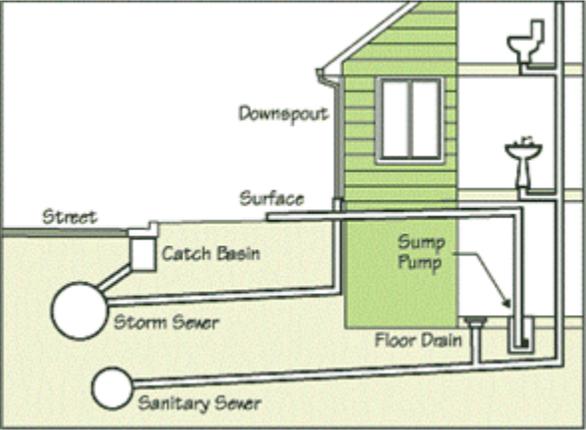
HELP

Our lift-station is at maximum capacity and we need everyone's help to prevent flooding of basements



SUMP PUMPS

Correct Connections For Sump Pumps!



IF your sump pump is pumping directly into a drain in your house it is going into the Sanitary Sewer System...

So what should I do with this water?

Sump pump hoses should be routed outside (April to October) so that the water can get to the Storm Drain System and flow away.

Why is this bad?

Water from your sump pit is clean rain water, it does not require treatment so by pumping it into the Sanitary Sewer System you are sending it to be treated. This not only causes extra dollars towards treatment it also uses extra power to treat pump the water, and it fills up our already strained sewer system.

What can happen if I don't? The municipal sewer system will be stressed, causing possible sewage backup to you and/or your neighbors.

Bylaw No. 330/1990 states: "No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged any storm water, ground water, roof run-off or other unpolluted water to any Sanitary Sewer" and fines of up to \$500.00 could be imposed.

How do I know if my Sump pump hoses outside?

If you are unsure if your sump pump is properly installed or of the process to correct your installation the Town staff is available to help you with your questions. You will NOT be fined for requesting town assistance! We want to work with you to resolve the issues.

NEED HELP
Call the Town Office at
306-743-2432
and book an appointment
today!

Who would I call for help?

Once the issue has been identified the home owner can either do the work themselves or hire a contractor. Most plumbers and/or local small contractors are able to do this work.

Other simple ways to help the system:

Avoid doing laundry, running taps, using dishwashers, limit shower times, bath water levels and any other activity that puts excessive water down the drain.