



MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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NOTICE: MBQ HOUSEHOLDS CONNECTED TO THE DESERONTO SEWER SYSTEM

The sanitary sewer system services homes along **Hwy #2, Church Lane, Bayshore Road and in the Huron Brant Drive subdivision.**

Sewage from these homes goes to the pump stations located in the **subdivision** and on **Bayshore Road**, which is then pumped to the **Deseronto Wastewater Treatment Plant** to remove pollutants and pathogens before discharging to the Bay of Quinte. This process relies heavily on microorganisms to break down and consume organic waste material.

Household hazardous waste negatively impacts this process, harms the environment, and should not be discharged into the sewer.

Examples Include:

- Paints, Stains, or Paint Thinners
- Oil (Cooking or Other) and Gasoline
- Products that are labeled as **poisonous** or **flammable**.

Residents **should not flush clothing, baby wipes, or other such materials** as this can clog pumps, screen, and other mechanisms **and cause sewage backup.**

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte have a **defined sewage flow capacity**. Additional extraneous flows reduce the overall capacity for future connections and development for the community.

Sump pumps connected to the sewer system is a source of infiltration. This additional water can put extra strain on the pumping stations and may cause **sewage back up.**

Please be advised that any sump pumps connected to the sewer system in the Bayshore Road, Hwy #2 and Church Lane area must be disconnected and rerouted to reduce infiltration into the sanitary system. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact
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