**Septic System Maintenance Tips Social Media Posts**

**Post 1:**

**Text:**

Just because something says its “flushable” doesn’t necessarily mean it’s safe for your septic system. Only toilet paper and human waste should be flushed down your toilet. Learn more here: [https://getpumpednh.com](https://getpumpednh.com/?fbclid=IwAR3nqqfmoG4u1TLysNeZCqLBm0xgVGQOT4tODSa67a1QJBwn7nqMuqGjT1g) [#SepticSmartWeek](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/septicsmartweek?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R) [#GetPumpedNH](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/getpumpednh?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R)

**Video or image:**

Use the following video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mcYAubOSEvc>

Or

Use the following image:

"Don't overload the commode
Do: Dispose of non-flushable, non- degradable items in the trash can!
Don't: Flush non-degradable products or chemicals, such as feminine hygiene products, condoms, dental floss, diapers, cigarette butts, cat litter, paper towels, and pharmaceuticals". 
Do your part, be septic smart. More info at getpumpednh.com

**Post 2:**

**Text:**

Getting your septic system pumped doesn’t just help to keep it functioning properly. It also helps your community stay safe by keeping waste water out of local waterbodies. Learn more here [https://getpumpednh.com](https://getpumpednh.com/?fbclid=IwAR3nqqfmoG4u1TLysNeZCqLBm0xgVGQOT4tODSa67a1QJBwn7nqMuqGjT1g) [#SepticSmartWeek](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/septicsmartweek?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R) [#GetPumpedNH](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/getpumpednh?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R)

**Image:**

Use the following image:

"Protect & Inspect your septic system. 
Do: Have your system inspected every three years by a licensed contractor. Have your septic tank pumped every three to five years. 
Don't: Wait for a failure to schedule a septic system pumpout". 
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**Post 3:**

**Text:**

Did you know that the placement of trees and shrubs on your lawn can affect your septic system? Shield your field with these [#SepticSmartWeek](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/septicsmartweek?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARDnIqqmwmvCIs8Z1Rf6wdeRFjGIYy8Qgju1Vc128wxA-MOeq4WNcKI1Y-KmyxeyDjcPfTSJ4--BzYn4BkZIjiqvLJ-Mkk2GhHnzwAmjckqvYUPMg-YVUNYMvxuoxhJ_wPe9lzvS_kE7_7rI7EFFvaWzGOeFfas45bVv99Bcx2EkAoPAee0s9cP9-ufYLbD4-WfGJpJpT9zDYZgi9U2CXI2czvisYI1oJXiPeSS4vU3tmZtew-xqargXCg8Qx1zJPQL3fqt-kQtRsiPLA4J-QMqoal5O8U6wZEKxZoyJuz-Rxi0XqTJDWR0&__tn__=%2ANK-R) tips! [#GetPumpedNH](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/getpumpednh?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARDnIqqmwmvCIs8Z1Rf6wdeRFjGIYy8Qgju1Vc128wxA-MOeq4WNcKI1Y-KmyxeyDjcPfTSJ4--BzYn4BkZIjiqvLJ-Mkk2GhHnzwAmjckqvYUPMg-YVUNYMvxuoxhJ_wPe9lzvS_kE7_7rI7EFFvaWzGOeFfas45bVv99Bcx2EkAoPAee0s9cP9-ufYLbD4-WfGJpJpT9zDYZgi9U2CXI2czvisYI1oJXiPeSS4vU3tmZtew-xqargXCg8Qx1zJPQL3fqt-kQtRsiPLA4J-QMqoal5O8U6wZEKxZoyJuz-Rxi0XqTJDWR0&__tn__=%2ANK-R)

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'SHIELD YOUR FIELD DO DON'T
Do: Consult septic service professional to advise you of the proper distance for planting trees and shrubs, depending on the location of your septic tank.
Don't: Park or drive on your X drainage field. The weight can damage the drain lines Plant trees or shrubs too close to your drain field. Roots can grow into your system and clog it
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**Post 4:**

**Text:**

Water efficiency goes a long way when it comes to your septic system. Small leaks could mean big problems! [#SepticSmartWeek](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/septicsmartweek?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R) [#GetPumpedNH](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/getpumpednh?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG&__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARC3_NaXTLOLDsFeAGBdKe89dMV6P3maWGp0LXfK8ZoLDUWWWlH9Oj1Md3ihhfe02JzYTXYZu3tQelKtzBA6eKZSGhFXESNJ81zYraHGyONhRZonlKrGysOfTwY8pEy4Lv6cXXM85coHwOXOGpOsjkuNtPPw5DiaOPkAo1T18J6-N6WVo9H_9B7lQwC96kDwsWrgUEJJesPkcNiwI1pSlGwywqMbgT3scV9lzDOPVj6mnPt3OtotC5luNhV4NyU8ONqGIeCIRFpkSuGLOF05tmnsmP0tN0zF6ynaUF5lGRSEmvDljs3_a2o&__tn__=%2ANK-R)

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Don't strain your drain. 
Do: Stagger the use of water-generating appliances. This can be helpful if your system hasn't been pumped in a long time. Become more water efficient by fixing plumbing leaks and consider installing bathroom and kitchen faucet aerators and water-efficient products. 
Don't: Concentrate your water use by using your dishwasher, shower, washing machine, and toilet at the same time. Extra water can strain your septic system. 
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