

# Flushable items:

- Human waste
- Toilet paper

# When in doubt, toss it out!

# Do not flush:

- Disposable diapers, baby wipes and nursing pads
- Facial wipes and towelettes
- Cigarette butts
- Dental floss and teeth whitening strips
- Paper towels and napkins
- Cotton balls and swabs
- Bandages and bandage wrappers
- Syringes and needles
- Gum
- Feminine products
- Condoms
- Rags and other cloth items
- Disinfectant wipes, dusting pads and cleaning wipes of any kind
- Kitty litter and pet waste
- Bags and wrappers
- Plastics of any kind
- Hair, hair ties and rubber bands
- Paint and solvents
- Nail polish and polish remover
- Flammable or other toxic chemicals
- Grease, oil or fats
- Prescription or over-the-counter medications
- Toilet bowl scrub pads
- Small animals fish, snakes, hamsters, mice, etc.

# **Medications Pollute Our Water**

Disposing of medications in your sink or toilet do not get rid of them. Instead, it contaminates our water and harms wildlife. Expired or unneeded medications can be properly disposed of at any time at:

Norwich Police Department, located at 70 Thames Street, Norwich, Connecticut.

# **Accepted Items:**

- Prescription medications, including controlled substances
- Over-the-counter medicines (except liquids)

- Vitamins and supplements
- Pet medicines

# Not accepted:

Needles, sharps or syringes