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Notice to address the concerns of the recent increase of odors coming from our Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Over the past few years and more recently, we have had an increase in items being put down the drains, (including an excessive discharge within the past 2 weeks), which has upset the balance in our treatment plant. We have tried to address these issues and the Village staff and board members have been working with the local business to reduce some of these items. In addition, we have been working with an engineer to do a study to determine the best path forward, as well as NYS DEC to make sure we are complying with all regulations.

Please note that this is an issue we are all very aware of, and are working on solutions every day to make our Wastewater Treatment Plant run the best it can.

Here are some things you can do to help us maintain a healthy waste water plant:

Do Not - Put these things down the drain or flush:

1. Wipes – baby wipes, hygiene wipes, cleaning wipes
2. Flushable Kitty litter – not good for the system
3. Eggshells
4. Grease, Fats & Oils
5. Paper Towels
6. Feminine products & condoms
7. Any type of auto fluids
8. Medications
9. Paint

By order of the Village of Groton, Mayor and Board of Trustees