



WASTEWATER DO'S & DON'TS

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DO locate your wastewater system (holding tank or septic tank and leaching bed)	DON'T drive on or park over the tank or leaching bed
DO have your wastewater tank pumped out on a regular basis (3-5 years)	DON'T flush hazardous or harmful household products into your wastewater system
DO have your wastewater/septic tank system inspected by a professional	DON'T plant trees or shrubs close to tank or leaching bed
DO maintenance as needed and repair damaged systems	DON'T dig without knowing location of tank or leaching bed
DO protect your health and environment	DON'T ignore problems with your wastewater system
DO save money by acting proactively with your wastewater system	DON'T jeopardise health, environment or property values

- ✓ Please follow the link <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SY59RBT> to the Friend's of Oak Lake wastewater survey for FOOL Members.
- ✓ Members of Friends of Oak Lake have access to the Federation of Ontario Cottagers Association's (FOCA) resources on wastewater systems (as well as other waterfront issues) in both text and video form. Go to www.foca.on.ca and use the FOOL Member username and password. Questions or concerns can be directed to friendsofoaklake@gmail.com or visit us at www.friendsofoaklake.com

