## Do Your Part. Be SepticSmart!

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ww.epa.gov/seP Shield Your Field Don't Overload Think at the Sink Divert rain and surface water away the Commode Limit use of your garbage disposal and and avoid parking avoid pouring fats, grease, solids and Don't flush diapers, vehicles and planting harsh chemicals down the drain. wipes or other items trees on your meant for a trashcan drainfield. down the toilet. Toilet paper only Don't Strain Your Drain Drainfield Use water efficiently and stagger use of water-based •••• Well Septic Tank appliances, such as your washing machine or dishwasher. Protect It and Inspect It Pump Your Tank Keep It Clean A typical septic system should be Ensure your septic tank is If you are on a well, test your drinking Groundwater serviced every one to three years pumped at regular intervals as water regularly to ensure it remains clean **Recharge** by a septic service professional. recommended by a professional. and free of contamination.

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