

## Waste Water Treatment Plant

- Morenci commissioned a brand new Wastewater treatment Plant (WWTP) in August of 2017.
- The WWTP treats the wastewater from the Morenci Town, Morenci Mine, Processing Site and the town of Clifton.
- The plant has a very sophisticated operation.
- The WWTP is a “living” machine that uses organisms (bugs) to clean the wastewater. So... *how can you help to ensure the organisms will continue to clean the wastewater?*
  - If a spill reached the sewer system please report it immediately to the Environmental Services. Acid, oil, metals and other chemicals can kill the organisms in the WWTP.



# How Can You Help at Home?

- Towels/wet wipes, etc have many uses at home
- Please **DO NOT** flush paper towels/wet wipes, etc down the toilet or throw into the porta-johns. They clog the sewer systems, increase maintenance costs: replacing motors, unplugging sewer lines/septic tanks, etc.
- Please throw all paper towels/wet wipes, etc into a trash can.
- Paper towels/wet wipes, etc do not break down in water
- Toilet paper is designed to degrade in water

**Please help us to continue cleaning your water!**

