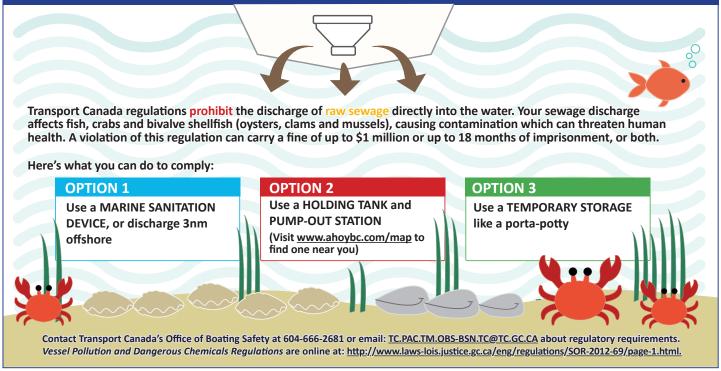
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Transport Canada regulations prohibit the discharge of raw sewage directly into the water. Your sewage discharge affects fish, crabs and bivalve shellfish (oysters, clams and mussels), causing contamination which can threaten human health. A violation of this regulation can carry a fine of up to \$1 million or up to 18 months of imprisonment, or both.

Here's what you can do to comply:

OPTION 1

Use a MARINE SANITATION DEVICE, or discharge 3nm offshore

OPTION 2

Use a HOLDING TANK and PUMP-OUT STATION (Visit www.ahoybc.com/map to find one near you)

OPTION 3

Use a TEMPORARY STORAGE like a porta-potty



Contact Transport Canada's Office of Boating Safety at 604-666-2681 or email: TC.PAC.TM.OBS-BSN.TC@TC.GC.CA about regulatory requirements. Vessel Pollution and Dangerous Chemicals Regulations are online at: http://www.laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/regulations/SOR-2012-69/page-1.html.