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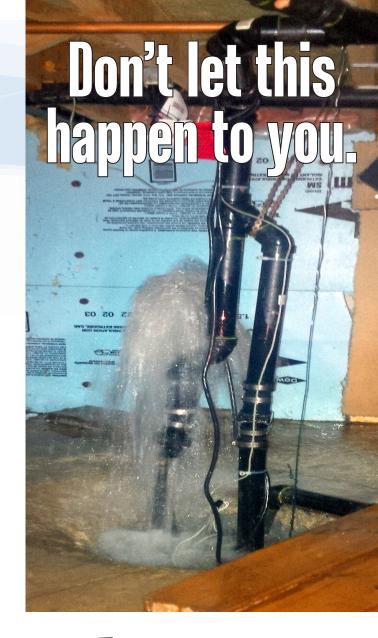
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The average cost of water damage claims in Canada has increased by 40% over the last 10 years.

Water damage surpasses fire damage as the *number one* reason for claims against homeowner policies. The Insurance Bureau of Canada (IBC) estimates that water damage claims cost Canadian insurers approximately \$1.7 billion annually.

- The majority of homes in Ontario have sump-pumps. However, older homes (built prior to 1980) drain directly into the sanitary sewer, and during extreme rainfalls this connection can cause back-ups.
- Sump-pumps require regular maintenance. Parts can rust, or wear, even if the pump isn't being frequently used. Huronia does not do sump-pump maintenance, but they can hold a key for your home and respond to a water alarm if you are unavailable. Huronia can then arrange for a plumber to attend if there is an issue with the pump.
- A power back-up for your sump-pump is also a good idea. If the power goes out (as it normally does during heavy rainfall) the pump won't work. This back up could be battery-powered, or generator-powered. An alarm on the pump is also encouraged by Canadian insurers who may offer discounts for a portion of home coverage if these precautions are in place.
- Huronia generally hardwires the sump-pump and can also install a wireless device as a further back-up. Huronia offers floor sensors as well, which can help monitor sump-pump failure. When water is detected, the monitoring station notifies the homeowner immediately.



Water detection alarms provide a warning system for floods, leaks and overflows.