



“Don’t be a Pain in the Drain”



Fats, oils and grease (FOG) down the kitchen sink create problems in drain pipes when disposed of improperly. The results include clogged pipes and sewage overflows that impact both public health and the environment.



Fill a disposable container with shredded paper or other absorbent material. Pour oil or grease into the container and wipe out the pan. **Do not pour oil and grease directly into containers without absorbent material as they can break, leaking oil or grease onto the streets and eventually into storm drains that lead to the ocean.**

Throw container into the trash can. Use a paper towel or newspaper to wipe down your work area. Cloth towels accumulate grease and eventually find its way in your drain by your washer. Minimize the use of your garbage disposal. Grinding meats and fatty foods contribute to blockages. Burnable containers such as milk cartons are great and can be turned into energy at H-POWER.



For additional information regarding oil and grease disposal, please visit:

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Regulatory Control Branch
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