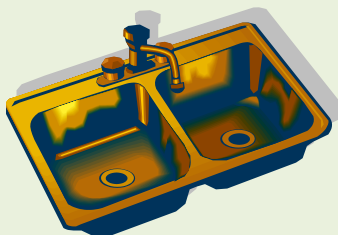


Grease Clogs Pipes



Disposing of leftover food, oil, and grease down the drain can have serious consequences. The fat from meats, sauces, dairy products, butter, margarine, cooking oil and other food items sticks to the inside of sewer pipes. Over time, this grease builds up and may block an entire pipe. These blockages can result in sewer back-ups and sewer overflows.



To help protect your home, the public health, and the environment, please follow these simple guidelines:

- Scrape food scraps into the trash can prior to washing dishes.
- Place strainers in your sink drains.
- Use garbage disposal as little as possible to save water and protect your sewer lines.
- Store your unwanted grease in a container in the fridge or freezer until trash day.
- Pour unwanted oil or grease over kitty litter in a bag or container for easy disposal in the garbage.