

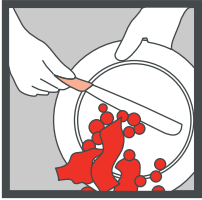
Save Your Drains Bag the Grease

Grease is a Problem

Grease makes its way into city sanitary pipes when you dispose of cooking products such as oil, butter, dairy products, and other products used in everyday cooking through your kitchen sink.

How Grease Affects You!

Grease disposed through your kitchen sink clogs drains and creates sewer back-ups. Blocked sewer pipes cause raw sewage overflow in your house, your neighbors house, parks & streets. Grease may lead to an expensive cleanup and plumbing repair bill that must be paid by you the Homeowner.



How to prevent it?

WIPE or scrape your dishes before washing!

REMOVE grease or oil from your pans with a paper towel before washing.

DISPOSE of food scraps in the trash, and minimize garbage grinder usage.

NEVER pour grease or oil down the drain.



Keep your drains Grease Free

Cool down grease and collect it in a container.

Then dispose of it in the trash.

For more information please call the Grease Management Program at (727) 892-5622 or visit

http://www.stpete.org/water/environmental_compliance/grease_management.asp



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