

Is that FOG?

“Fats, Oils and Grease” otherwise known as FOG often build up in our home and business plumbing. FOG often builds in kitchen sinks and sanitary sewer pipes leading to blocked pipes and then expensive wastewater back-ups. FOG should be allowed to properly cool after cooking, then it can be disposed of in your garbage can often in another smaller container to avoid leaks.

FOG should never be disposed of in storm drains or poured on the ground where they can enter the local storm sewer system and then impact our local creeks and streams. If you operate a restaurant where FOG is collected by a rendering company keep the area clean, have a spill kit available to absorb it and make sure your collection container is located far away from storm sewer inlets and local streams. Always keep the lid closed!