

Put **FOG**, in its Place!



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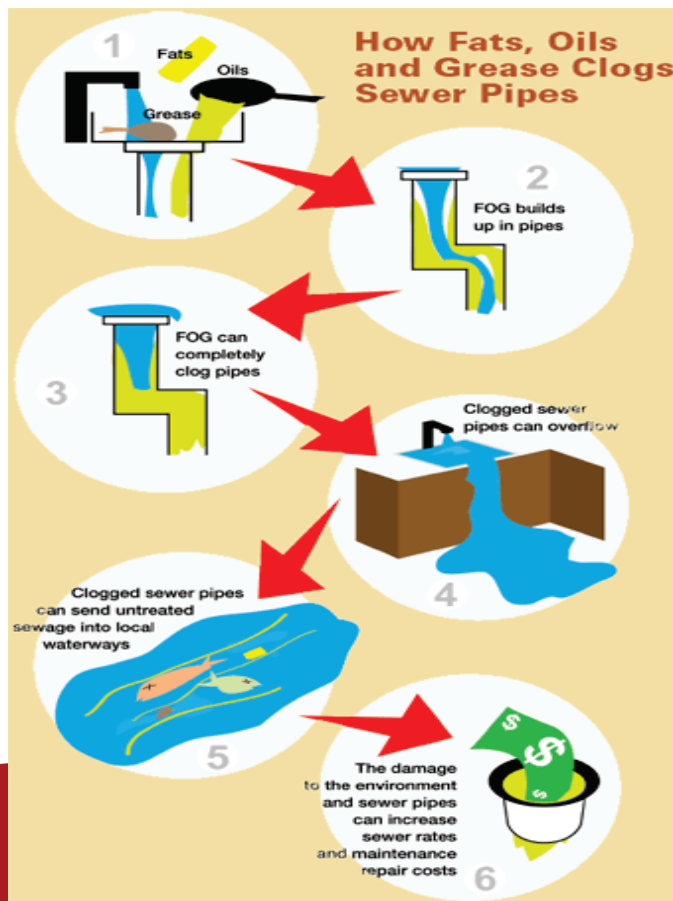
### Fat/Grease Free Sewers

**STOP** Greases or Fats from causing damage to Your Home and the Environment

Helping to Prevent Overflows and Backups Is Easy

#### Where Does the Grease Come From?

Grease is a by-product of cooking that comes from lard, cooking oil, shortening, butter, margarine, food scraps, baked goods, sauces and dairy products. When washed down the sink, even with soapy dishwater, grease will stick to the insides of sewer pipes. Yours as well as the municipality's. Over time it can build up and block the sewer line.





## Grease Filled Pipe

### Help Prevent Sewer Blockages By

- **NEVER** pouring grease down sink drains or toilets
- **ALWAYS** scrape grease and fats in a trash can for disposal
- Put strainers in your sink drains to catch food scraps and other solids and empty them into the trash
- Items other than toilet paper designed for sewers also cause buildup and blockages that cause expensive maintenance and repairs to sewer system.
- Speak to your friends and neighbours about how to keep our sewer system clear and free of expensive blockages.

**Fats, oils and greases are not only bad for your health, they are bad for sewers as well**



## 4 Inch Sewer Pipe 80% Blocked

### Results From Blocked Sewer Lines

- Sewer backup in your home
- An expensive and unpleasant cleanup that often must be paid by you, the home or business owner
- Raw sewage overflowing into or streets
- Potential contact with disease-causing organisms
- Increase in operational and maintenance costs for the municipality which can lead to higher water and sewer bills for residents.



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