

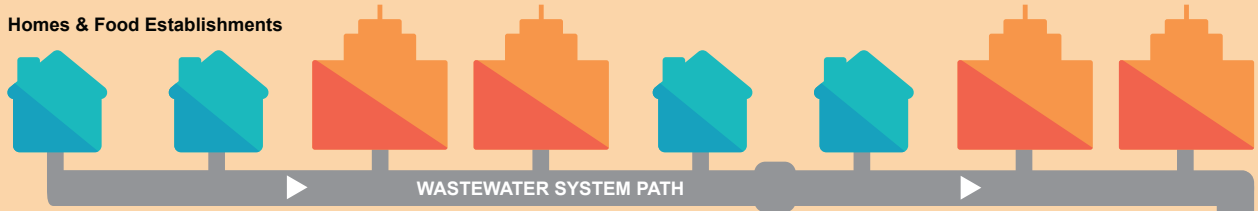


# FOG PREVENTION

DO YOUR PART IN KEEPING WASTEWATER LINES CLEAR



Homes & Food Establishments



## FAT

All fat from foods should be thrown in the trash and not a garbage disposal.

## OIL

Cooking oils, butter, and dairy products should not go down the drain. Collect in a bag or absorb with paper towels and throw in the trash.

## GREASE

Cooking grease should be bagged or absorbed and thrown in the trash.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Disposing of leftover food and oils in the trash before washing dishes can keep wastewater lines clear.
- Nearly half of all sewer blockages that occur annually are caused by Fat, Oil or Grease (FOG).
- If wastewater lines clog, it can cause thousands of dollars in damages and overflow a home with human waste.
- Grease traps aid food establishments in intercepting most greases and solids from entering the wastewater lines.
- The City of Corpus Christi has more than 1,250 miles of wastewater lines.



Wastewater Plant

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