

HELP PREVENT SEWER
OVERFLOWS BY FOLLOWING
THESE SIMPLE STEPS:

STEP 1: TRAP



Pour meat drippings into a durable container, seal off, and dispose of in the trash.

STEP 2: SCRAPE



Scrape leftover food scraps into the trash or compost scraps that can be composted.*

STEP 3: WIPE



Wipe off greasy residue with a paper towel before washing or placing dishes in the dishwasher.

FREQUENT P.A.C.E. BUSINESSES.

LOOK FOR THIS DECAL.



'Partners for A Clean Environment' is a voluntary, non-regulatory program that recognizes businesses who go above and beyond environmental regulations in an effort to be better stewards of our land and water.

To view current members, visit:
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Water & Sewer Department
Water Quality Assurance

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AVOID COSTLY HOME PLUMBING BILLS



Tulsa CITY OF
A New Kind of Energy.

* For more information on composting, call the Metropolitan Environmental Trust (M.e.t) at (918) 584-0584, or the Tulsa County Master Gardeners at (918) 746-3701.

FATS, OILS AND GREASE AREN'T JUST BAD FOR YOUR ARTERIES; THEY'RE BAD FOR THE SEWERS, TOO!

The fat, oil, and grease from fatty foods can build up in pipelines – just like in your arteries – causing raw sewage to back up into homes, businesses, and the environment.

Anything with a fat content can contribute to grease build-up. This includes:

- COOKING OILS
- SALAD DRESSING
- GRAVY
- ICE CREAM
- BUTTER



IMPORTANT FACTS

- GREASE SHOULD NEVER BE Poured DOWN THE DRAIN. RUNNING HOT WATER AND POURING DETERGENT DOWN THE DRAIN WILL ONLY BREAK UP GREASE TEMPORARILY. AS THE GREASE CONTINUES THROUGH THE PIPE, IT CAN SEPARATE FROM THE WATER AND RECOAT THE PIPE.
- USING A GARBAGE DISPOSAL TO DISPOSE OF FOOD SCRAPS CAN CONTRIBUTE TO GREASE BUILD-UP AND BLOCKAGES.
- FLUSHING GREASE DOWN THE TOILET CAN ALSO CAUSE SEWER BLOCKAGES.

REPORT SEWAGE OVERFLOWS

If you see, hear or smell something you think might be a sewer overflow, report it immediately by calling **(918) 586-6999**. Customer Service employees and City crews are available 24 hours.

Be prepared to describe the location.

RECYCLE WASTE FRYER OILS AT ANY M.E.T LOCATION

TULSA:

3495 S. Sheridan Rd.
12466 E. 21st St.
81st & Lewis Ave.
11th & Cincinnati Ave.

BIXBY:

211 N. Cabaniss

OWASSO:

499 S. Main St.

BROKEN ARROW:

302 N. Elm Pl.

JENKS:

110 N. Elm St.

GLENPOOL:

144th & Fern

SAND SPRINGS:

105 E. Morrow Rd.

OR AT THE NEXT HOUSEHOLD POLLUTANT COLLECTION EVENT

Held each year in the spring and fall. For more information contact the M.e.t. at **(918) 584-0584**.

