Clear Drains, Clean Envirionment

We all enjoy cooking and eating delicious meals. However, there is a common practice that is often overlooked that can damage your plumbing system and the environment: pouring fats, oils, and grease, or FOG, down the sink. Proper FOG disposal is crucial to help keep Grayson clean.

It may not seem like an immediate danger to pour hot fats, oils, or grease down the kitchen drain, but as they cool and solidify they create a sticky mess that can cling to the inner walls of pipes, leading to a clog. When a sewer pipe has a FOG clog, it can result in an overflow into your yard, the roadway, or even a nearby stream. These plumping issues are not only inconvenient and costly, but can pose potential health hazards.

So, what can you do to prevent these issues?

- Pour liquid FOG, such as dressings and sauces into a container and place in the trash
- Scrape cooled, solid grease or oil into the trash
- Use mesh strainers instead of the garbage disposal to catch food scraps

When in doubt, throw it out! These small steps can go a long way in reducing FOG in our pipes. By making a conscious decision to dispose of FOG properly, we can protect our homes, community, and environment as well as ensure a sustainable future for Grayson.

To learn more about FOG, visit www.UnclogTheFog.com

