State and Local Requirements

Only Rain Down the Drain

It's illegal to let anything other than rainwater go down a storm drain.

Please prevent grease, food waste, cleaners, and wash water from going into the street, gutter, parking lot, or storm drain.

When it rains, stormwater picks up pollutants and takes them untreated into local creeks, the Bay, and the Delta.

It is the responsibility of the business owner to train staff on proper spill and clean-up procedures and stormwater BMPs. Failure to comply with this request may result in the issuance of an administrative citation or fines that accrue daily. Learn more about this at www.cccleanwater.org.



Helpful Resources



Visit cccrecycle.org for local information on:

- Proper Waste Disposal
- Recycling
- Hazardous Materials Disposal
- Waste Hauler Curbside Services/Bulky Pick-up
- · Organic Waste and Edible Food Recovery
 - Learn more about certified mobile washers at basmaa.org.
 - Visit cccleanwater.org for information about best management practices.
 - Visit ourwaterourworld.org and ipm.ucanr.edu for information on eco-friendly pest control and less-toxic products.



BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR RESTAURANTS ONLY RAIN DOWN THE DRAIN Keep wildlife healthy and fish





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BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPs) FOR RESTAURANTS

Grease and Spill Maintenance Keep Waste Contained **Prevent Pests** ••••• 1. Choose the right size and frequency of 8. Ensure that indoor sinks are connected to a ☐ 12. Store food in pest-proof containers pick-up services grease removal device ☐ 13. Reduce pest-friendly environments 2. Keep bins closed. Coordinate with ☐ 9. Be sure to service grease traps and by maintaining clean workspaces containers regularly and maintain required and trash storage areas service provider if locks are needed. service records ☐ 14. Reduce pesticide use; If needed, 3. Dispose of liquid waste properly: wash water goes into an indoor drain with 10. Display spill control plan with cleanup check out the OWOW resource listed instructions and green chemical list below and do not use near drains a grease trap or separator, Dispose of fats, oils, and grease into an outdoor 11. Use dry cleanup methods for spill response tallow bin such as sweeping and using granular 4. Sort solid waste properly: green is for absorbents or rags; Collect and properly compostable items and food, blue is dispose of materials Visit ourwaterourworld.org recycling, and brown/grey is trash (i.e., and **ipm.ucanr.edu** for non-recyclable or compostable) information on eco-friendly pest control and less-toxic products Take Care Outdoors 5. Sweep outdoor areas regularly and separate litter into designated waste bins 6. Do not rinse or power wash anything outdoors or into storm WET drain (mats, trash cans, dumpsters) VACUUM 7. Never use bleach, degreasers or detergents near drains