



# Grease Control Device Requirements

Each Grease Control Device shall be installed and connected so that it will be accessible at all times for visual inspection, sampling, cleaning and removal of Grease, and other matter from all surfaces.

## **Grease Interceptors shall meet the following minimum requirements:**

- A Grease Control Device shall be situated on the Discharger's Premises
- Designed retention time of no less than thirty (30) minutes.
- The effluent from the device must flow through an approved sample box.
- Installed per manufacturer's specifications.
- At least two (2) manholes, situated so all standpipes can be fully observed, and all internal surfaces can be reached, without confined space entry.
- Double-sweep clean-outs on the interceptor inlet and sample box outlet.
- Shall meet the specifications and be constructed in accordance with the applicable provisions of the California Plumbing and Electrical Code of the general jurisdiction within the District.

## **Grease Traps shall meet the following minimum requirements:**

- No injection ports for chemicals or bacteria.
- Installed per manufacturer's specifications.
- Appropriate flow restrictors, whether integral or external to the device, must be installed.
- Shall meet the specifications and be constructed in accordance with the applicable provisions of the California Plumbing and Electrical Code of the general jurisdiction within the District.
- Mechanical Grease Removal Devices shall be installed in accordance with manufacturer's specification.

Waste discharged from fixtures and equipment in establishments which may contain Grease or other objectionable materials including, but not limited to:

- scullery sinks



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- pot and pan sinks
- dishwashers
- food waste disposals
- soup kettles,
- and floor drains.

When these items are located in areas where such objectionable materials may exist, they may be required to drain into the sanitary sewer through the Grease Control Device.

However, toilets, urinals, wash basins, and other fixtures containing fecal material shall not flow through the Grease Control Device.