



# STOP and THINK WHAT you RINSE down the SINK

LOOK AFTER THE HEALTH OF OUR  
COMMUNITY AND OUR WATERWAYS



Cooking fats and oils can harden and block pipes if rinsed down your sink - allow these to cool and harden, then scrape into the bin. Do not put hot oils into your rubbish as these can melt through plastics and other materials.

Paint, pesticides, solvents and used automobile oil should NOT be poured down your laundry sink or stormwater drain - dispose of by taking to landfill. Let landfill staff know you have these items so they can be disposed of safely.

**Do your part to protect the health of  
our community and Taiao (Environment).**

**REPORT ANY PUBLIC WASTEWATER ISSUES  
IMMEDIATELY TO COUNCIL ON ☎ 07 348 4199  
AND CONTACT A DRAIN LAYER FOR PIPE  
ISSUES ON PERSONAL PROPERTY.**



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