



UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

Date:

Subject: Food Service Establishment Fats, Oils, and Grease Control Program Inspection Fee

Dear Facility Management:

As part of our continuing effort to protect the environment as well as the integrity and operation of public infrastructure, the Town of Cary in 1998 began a program targeting effective control of fats, oils, and grease (FOG) discharges into the municipal sanitary sewer system. In order to combat and prevent illegal sanitary sewer collection system overflows, routine inspections by Town staff since program inception, of all new and existing food service establishments (FSEs) in the Town's service area have been occurring. Additionally, Town staff routinely review FSE plans, assist in designing appropriate grease interceptors and traps for FSE projects, conduct educational programs for the general public and targeted commercial sectors, and initiate enforcement actions against non-compliant facilities.

This letter is to make you aware that on June 10, 2004, the Cary Town Council approved a \$120 annual fee to recover costs associated with the FOG control program. Billing for this fee, at a \$10.00 per month rate, will be included on your next Cary utility statement.

As always, we appreciate your continued support of our efforts to keep our community the greatest place to live, work, and raise a family. Should you have any questions regarding this program, call the Public Works and Utilities Departments at (919) 469-4090.

Regards,

Donald Smith,
Wastewater Collections Program Manager

Cc: Jamie Revels, P.E., Utilities Director
Karen Mills, Director of Finance
Brenda Mann, Lead Customer Service Clerk, Public Works and Utilities Departments

TOWN of CARY

400 James Jackson Avenue • Cary, NC 27513 • PO Box 8005 • Cary, NC 27512-8005
tel 919-469-4090 • fax 919-469-4304 • www.townofcary.org