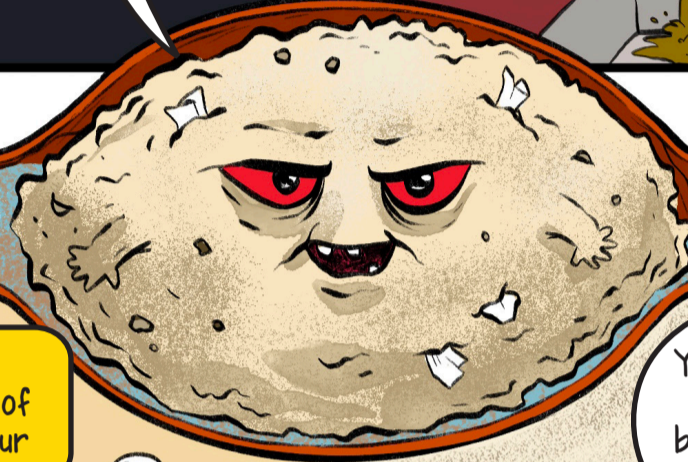


STARVE THE FATBERGS THIS SUMMER



Fatbergs are congealed lumps of fats, oils and grease that become jammed in wastewater pipes

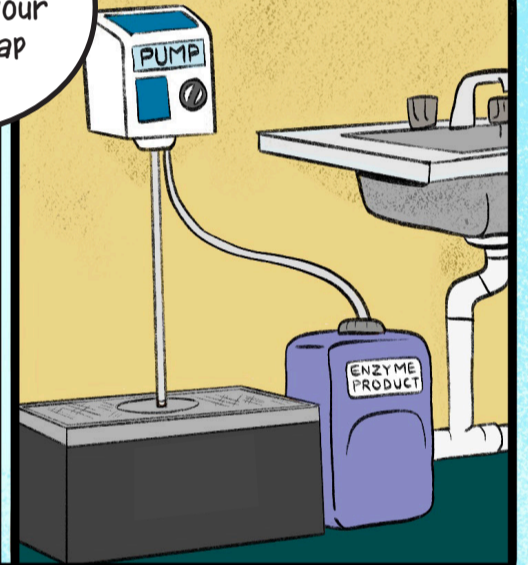


Fatbergs block pipes forcing raw sewage out of pipes and into the harbour

You can starve the fatbergs by keeping your grease trap clean...

...by keeping your grease converter dosed and working properly

No one wants wastewater in the harbour!



...and by maintaining your mechanical grease trap according to the manufacturer's instructions



So schedule a cleanup before you get busy for the summer

And have a clean and safe summer!



Most food businesses are required to have a system to manage grease. These are regularly inspected by Wellington Water's trade waste officer, on behalf of the Council. Up to a quarter of systems fail their first inspection because the systems are not being properly cleaned or maintained. Businesses who fail further inspections face a non-compliance notice and costs. If you don't know what kind of grease trap you have or how you should maintain it, please email: tradewaste@wellingtonwater.co.nz