

# RECIPE FOR A CLEANER LAKE ERIE

## 1. Use Your Grease Dumpster

Recycle grease and oil; don't pour into sink, floor drain, waste dumpster, ground surface, or storm drain. Schedule regular pick-up to prevent grease bin overflow.



## 2. Perform Dumpster Maintenance

Only dispose of solid waste in your dumpster, not liquid wastes. Check dumpster for rust and leaks, and request a new dumpster if needed. Keep lids down to prevent waste from washing away with rainwater. Pick up any waste on the ground around the dumpster. Contact your waste management company for replacement of damaged bin.

## 3. Prevent and Clean-up Outdoor Spills

Provide proper containment for wastes. When a spill occurs outdoors, promptly contain the spill and clean it up using dry methods, such as kitty litter or other absorbents. Do not hose waste or absorbents into a storm drain.

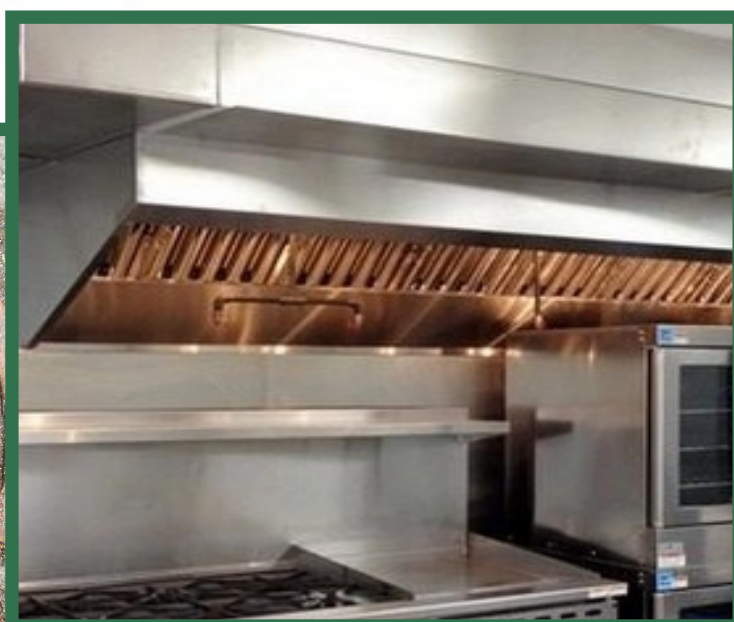


## 4. Designate a smoking area with trash can

Designate an outdoor smoking and break area for employees. Provide trash cans and cigarette receptacles to ensure the near-by storm drain stays free from litter.

## 5. Use Your Mop Sink

All mop water and wash water must be disposed of in the mop sink or a janitorial sink, where it drains to the sanitary sewer. Never dispose of wash-water outdoors or into a storm drain.



## 6. Do Not Perform Washing Outdoors

All equipment washing should be done indoors in a mop sink. Do not wash floor mats, filters, and garbage cans outdoors. All wash-water must drain to the sanitary sewer. Contract with a reputable hood cleaning company.

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