



Long Beach Water Department
The Standard in Water Conservation &
Environmental Stewardship

March 31, 2009

To: Potential LBWD "Authorized" Haulers/Rendering Companies

Subject: LBWD Requirements for Authorized Haulers/Renderers

The Long Beach Water Department (LBWD) conducts Fats, Oils, & Grease (FOG) inspections in restaurants in the City. The purpose is to eliminate FOG-related sewer spills. To assist restaurants in maintaining their FOG programs, we are in the process of revising a list of state-registered haulers to be on our "Authorized Haulers" list and post on our website for public information. However, if restaurant owners feel that they can reliably have their grease interceptor/trap (GI/GT) serviced and submit hauling records to LBWD, then they are urged to use their existing hauler or find and select their own hauler.

The LBWD is requiring companies who would like to be on the LBWD Authorized Haulers list to adhere to the following requirements:

1. a) Provide proof of registration with the State of California Department of Food & Agriculture; and b) Identify where your company disposes grease, and provide a copy of the permit or contract with the facility.
2. Submit hauling records on an on-going basis as service occurs by fax or preferably email. Hauling records must identify pertinent information about the condition of each GI/GT, such as amount of grease, necessary repairs, trash found in the trap, recommended service frequency, and suggested next service date, etc.
3. Follow-up and remind restaurants when next hauling service is due.

Companies requesting to be on the LBWD Authorized Haulers list should respond to this letter by filling out the attached fax-ready form and faxing it back to LBWD.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please call me at (562) 570-2329 or email me at: Rhodora_Concepcion@lbwater.org.

Sincerely,

Rhodora Concepcion

Rhodora Concepcion
Office Administrator

cc: Jan Vu – Civil Engineer
Eric Buehler – Civil Engineering Associate

