## Procedures to Clean an Interior Point-Of-Use Grease Interceptor

NOTE: Interceptor must be cleaned when the sinks are not being used and no food preparation is taking place. Do not VIOLATE any Health Department Regulations.

- 1. Obtain proper tools to open the interceptor.
- 2. Place plastic trash bags (or any disposable item) on floor to protect floor from contamination.
- 3. Remove lid form interceptor and place upside down on floor protection item.
- 4. Skim grease from top of interceptor and place in a container lined with two strong disposable bags.
- 5. Scrape walls of the interceptor with a wide putty knife or similar item to remove solids and grease that have accumulated on the walls.
- 6. Remove solids from the bottom of the interceptor and place in the same container with the grease skimmings.
- 7. Inspect the trap for any equipment deficiencies and make repairs.
- 8. Place lid on interceptor carefully. Make sure lid is sealed properly or odors will be released.
- 9. Place floor covering item in the trash dumpster.
- 10. Remove container with grease and solids from the food preparation area.
- 11. Solidify contents with an absorbent material such as kitty litter. Make sure all contents are solidified. This may take several minutes for the material to absorb all of the liquid.
- 12. Tie bags together securely.
- 13. Inspect bag for leaks and re-bag if needed.
- 14. Place bag in trash dumpster.
- 15. Clean the area and sanitize all surfaces in the areas as prescribed by the Health Department.

I acknowledge I have read and understand the above procedures and will follow these required guidelines.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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