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ANY WATER
SOFTENER
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An Easy Solution to Hard Water

Many homes suffer from hard water. Generally an overabundance of calcium and magnesium make water hard and less desirable for daily home use. These minerals can cause clogs in water pipes and prevent soap from dissolving in the water. It can even cause lime scale deposits to be created in a water system.

A water softener can eliminate the negative effects of hard water in your home. It removes the calcium and magnesium from the water supply, helping pipes stay clear. It also makes it easier to clean dishes and take more enjoyable showers. Even laundry machines will work more efficiently with soft water, because lime-scale build-up in the machine will be reduced.

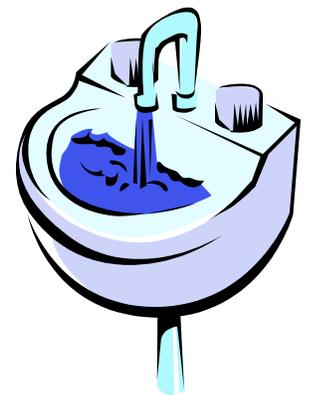
While soft water is certainly more enjoyable for bathing and washing, it can also have significant monetary benefits in your

household. Hard water can cause pipes to become blocked by lime scale build-up. This can increase your water heating costs by up to 20 percent. Using soft water ensures that your water heater is working as efficiently as possible. Soft water also helps to extend the life span of your household appliances. Laundry machines will last longer, reducing the cost of replacement and repair. Air conditioning units and solar heating systems will also last longer if used with soft water rather than hard water.

Soft water is generally considered to have a much better taste than hard water. It also reduces the amount of soap scum that builds up in sinks and bathtubs because the soap dissolves more easily in soft water. Hard water can cause itchy, dry skin after taking a shower, while soft water works better with soap to leave your hair and skin feeling softer.

Initially, water softeners do require an investment to have the machine installed. After that, maintenance costs are low and salt only needs to be added occasionally. A water softener will typically pay for itself several times over by keeping the pipes and appliances working efficiently in your home and reducing the need for repair and replacement of fixtures.

If you think your home and family would benefit from water softener system give the experts at Stong a call today. 1.877.PLUMBER





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Grace's Recipe Corner

Watermelon Lemonade

Watermelon and lemonade are two essentials of a summer cookout. This drink combines tangy tart lemon with sweet watermelon for a refreshing drink everyone will love .

Ingredients

1/2 cup white sugar
1/2 cup water
4 cups cubed watermelon
3 cups cold water
1/2 cup fresh lemon juice
6 cups ice cubes
Lemon slices for garnish



Instructions

Place the watermelon into a blender, Cover, and puree until smooth. Strain thru a sieve.

Bring sugar and 1/2 cup water to a boil in a saucepan over medium heat until all of the sugar has dissolved. Remove from heat. Stir in lemon juice and cold water. Pour over ice and garnish with a lemon twist and enjoy.