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Supplemental Figure 1. Monocytes are major sources of infiltrated leukocytes in early NASH. (A) Gating strategy of flow cytometry. (B) Frequency of neutrophils (CD11b^{hi}F4/80⁻), monocytes (CD11b^{int}F4/80^{low}) and Kupffer cells (CD11b⁺F4/80^{hi}) are shown in CD45⁺NK1.1⁻gated whole liver cells isolated from CT diet- and MCD diet-fed mice. Data are representative of at least four independent experiments with a total of n=8 mice per condition. (C) No change in frequency and cell numbers of T, NK, and NKT cells in C57BL/6 mice fed with MCD diet compared to ones fed with control diet. FACS plots, frequency and cell numbers of T cells (CD3⁺NK1.1⁻), NK cells (CD3⁻NK1.1⁺), and NKT cells (CD3⁺NK1.1⁺) are shown in CD45⁺ total liver cells isolated from mice fed with CT and MCD diet for 10 days. Data are representative of three independent experiments with n=2 per condition. *p<0.05 and ** p<0.005 as determined by two-tailed *t* test.

Supplemental Figure 2. Increase of hepatic inflammation after 10 days of MCD diet. (A) Hepatic *Ptgs2* (encodes for COX-2) and *Timp-1* (early marker for fibrosis) transcript expressions were determined by qPCR from liver samples of CT diet- and MCD diet-fed mice. The RNA level is expressed as fold increase compared with control diet. (B) Dosage of chemokine/cytokine from whole liver cell lysates of CT diet- and MCD diet-fed mice assays. These results are compiling data from three independent experiments with a total of n=3 to 7 mice per condition. (C) Multiplex luminex assays for chemokines/cytokines were performed on the culture supernatants of electronically sorted monocytes (CD45⁺NK1.1⁻CD11b^{int}F4/80^{low}) and Kupffer cells (CD45⁺NK1.1⁻CD11b^{low}F4/80^{hi}) purified from mononuclear liver cells extracted from CT diet and MCD diet fed mice. Compiled data from 3 independent experiments with a total of n=6 to 8 mice. Statistical analysis was determined two-tailed *t* test (*p<0.05; **p<0.005 and *** p<0.0005).

Supplemental Figure 3. Clodronate-liposomes treatment did not deplete bone marrow and blood monocytes. CT and MCD-fed C57BL/6 mice were treated once either with control liposomes (CT Lipo.) or clodronate-containing liposomes (clod. Lipo.) at 2 days before (A) or 5 days after (B) starting feeding. The frequency of Ly6C^{hi} and Ly6C^{low} from bone marrow (BM) and blood are assessed by flux cytometry by staining of cells with CD45, NK1.1, Ly6G, CD11b, Ly6C, and F4/80.

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