



GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ABOVEGROUND & UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS

(Other requirements may be applicable by other state and federal agencies)

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 Department of Environmental Conservation
 Waste Management Division

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| TYPE OF TANK & GENERAL INFORMATION | Notification/Registration? | Permit? | Financial Responsibility? | Release Detection? | Spill, Overflow & Corrosion Protection? | Site Assessment at removal/Closure? | Required to report leaks or spills? | Uninsured releases covered by PCF? | Petroleum Cleanup Fund (PCF) Deductible? | |
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| These Are Category One Tanks (in the white area below only) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Underground Motor Fuel – Any Size. | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | \$10,000 | |
| Used Oil Tank – Any Size, (special sampling requirements apply for site assessment) | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | \$10,000 | |
| Underground Fuel Oil Tank Commercial or industrial use (not only space heating) Any Size (e.g., generator, process heat, etc). | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | \$10,000 | |
| Underground Chemical (Non-petroleum) Tank – Any Size. *Federal deadline for financial responsibility has been deferred | YES | YES | *NO | YES | YES | YES | YES | NO | N/A | |
| These Are Not Category One Tanks (gray shaded area below) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Underground Motor Fuel Tank Farm or residential property **These tanks are automatically covered by PCF. Annual assessment fee not required. | < 1,100 Gal. | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | YES | YES | \$250 |
| | > 1,100 Gal. | YES | NO | **YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | YES | \$10,000 |
| Underground Heating Oil Tank Used only for space heating, domestic hot water, and/or humidification. ***Upgrading these tanks with spill, overflow, and corrosion protection is highly recommended. ****Site assessment is required if applying for a grant to remove tank. | <1,100 Gal. | NO | NO | NO | NO | ***NO | ****NO | YES | YES | \$250 |
| | >1,100 Gal. Residential/ Farm Property | YES | NO | NO | NO | ***NO | YES | YES | YES | \$250 |
| | >1,100 Gal. Commercial Property | YES | NO | NO | NO | ***NO | YES | YES | YES | \$10,000 |
| Aboveground Petroleum Tank Uninsured releases from aboveground tanks are now covered by PCF. | Residential/ Farm Property | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | YES | YES | \$250 |
| | Commercial Property | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | YES | YES | \$1,000 |
| | Bulk Facility | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | YES | YES | \$10,000 |