



STANISLAUS COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES
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Permit No. _____

Permit Exp. _____

Fee Paid _____

UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

Please check one: Tank Installation Tank Upgrade/Repair Tank Removal

1. FACILITY INFORMATION

NAME OF FACILITY		TYPE OF BUSINESS	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP CODE	TELEPHONE ()
OWNERS NAME (CORPORATION, AGENCY OR INDIVIDUAL)		OPERATORS NAME (CORPORATION, AGENCY OR INDIVIDUAL)	
OWNER STREET ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE)	CITY	ZIP CODE	TELEPHONE ()

2. TANK INSTALLATION / UPGRADE / REPAIR

CONTRACTOR PERFORMING WORK	ICC CERTIFICATIONS <input type="checkbox"/>
	WORKPLAN ATTACHED <input type="checkbox"/>
GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED WORK	
<p>ICC cert's and two copies of drawings and cut sheets must be submitted with this application. All testing certifications must be submitted, fee's paid and CERS accepted prior to obtaining a valid operating permit. 48 notice required for all inspections.</p>	

3. TANK CLOSURE PLAN

TANK CLOSURE METHOD <input type="checkbox"/> REMOVAL <input type="checkbox"/> CLOSURE IN PLACE	CONTRACTOR REMOVING TANK CONTENTS	PERSON COLLECTING SOIL/WATER SAMPLES
RECIPIENT OF TANK FOR DISPOSAL OR REUSE	ADDRESS	LAB ANALYZING SOIL/WATER SAMPLES

Ensure all tanks and piping are emptied of product and inerted (20#/1000 gal. of dry ice) prior to tank removal. All soil samples to be obtained via hand driven sleeve. Glass containers shall be used to take water samples. 48 notice required for all inspections.

4. TANK IDENTIFICATION

STATE ID#	CONTENTS (INCLUDE ALL INTENDED OR PAST USES)	CAPACITY	AGE
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5. OWNER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT THIS CONSTRUCTION PERMIT IS NOT AN OPERATING PERMIT.

NAME OF OWNER	SIGNATURE OF OWNER	DATE
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6. APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the work will be done in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of California, the Ordinances of the County of Stanislaus and the Rules and Regulations of the Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources.

NAME OF APPLICANT/POSITION	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	DATE
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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

**SIGNATURES REQUIRED PRIOR TO PERMIT
 (For tank installation and tank removal)**

PERMIT ISSUED BY	DATE	FIRE DEPARTMENT	DATE
INSPECTED BY	DATE	BUILDING DEPARTMENT	DATE
CLOSURE APPROVED BY	DATE	OTHER	DATE

Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources

ATTENTION TANK OWNER/OPERATOR

Enclosed you will find the "UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CONSTRUCTION PERMIT". A separate application and fee is required for each facility. Please print or type your responses in all the blanks applicable. This construction permit is not an operating permit. Owners and operators may be liable for a civil penalty of \$500 - \$5,000 per day for each underground storage tank for operating without a valid permit to operate (HSC 25299).

REMEMBER TO:

1. For tank installation and tank removal projects, have your Fire Department and Building Department, for the area of the facility, sign the application.
Important: your application cannot be approved without these signatures.
2. Contact the local fire and building departments for their policy regarding installation, upgrade and removal of underground storage tanks prior to breaking ground.
3. Mark the appropriate boxes, fill out all applicable sections, sign the bottom parts and return with the permit fee.
4. Confirm the proposed install, upgrade or removal or any changes within the week prior to that date.
5. Send copies of the insurance policy and Tank installers and Technicians ICC certifications who are working on-site prior to breaking ground.
6. Complete the Contractor's Declaration and return all copies.
7. Arrange for an inspection by the Department of Environmental Resources (48-hour notice).

Your permit fee should cover the average tank situation involving initial field work and interpretation by this Department. Where additional staff time is involved, you will be billed at the weighted labor rate.

PROCEDURE FOR CLOSURE OF UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK(S)

1. Tank(s) and all associated plumbing shall be emptied of product and properly disposed of. All non-recyclable product and contaminated soil shall be handled as hazardous waste. Copies of manifests shall be sent to this office.
 2. Tank(s) shall be purged of all combustible vapors prior to removal by the addition of twenty (20) pounds of dry ice per each 1000 gallons of tank.
 3. Arrange for an inspection by the Department of Environmental Resources (48-hour notice).
 4. In order to determine the extent of any product loss, soil samples must be collected and analyzed by an approved laboratory. A written analysis report must be submitted to this Department within ten (10) working days. This report is subject to review and must be approved in order to be recognized as valid. Arrange for a soil sample to be taken by a California State Certified Laboratory at the time of closure according to the Stanislaus County sampling requirements. All samples to be taken from undisturbed soil via hand driven sleeve, below the tank(s) and piping.
- If test results demonstrate unacceptable levels of contamination in the soil or ground water, then the Department may take action pursuant to Chapters 6.5 and 6.7 of the California Health and Safety Code, Division 20.
5. In addition to the above-mentioned items, tanks to be closed in place must be partially filled with a sand slurry (tanks proposed for closure in place are considered on a case by case basis). The final 20% of tank volume must be filled with concrete. A notice shall be placed in the deed to the property. The notice shall describe the exact vertical and areal location of the closed underground storage tank, the hazardous substances it contained and closure method.
 6. All underground storage tanks to be moved off site shall be triple rinsed according to Department standards or transported as hazardous waste.

These are general instructions. Each case will be handled independently. If you have any questions or need assistance, call the Department of Environmental Resources (209) 525-6700.

FEE SCHEDULE

<u>PROPOSED WORK</u>	<u>FEE</u>
New Tank Installations (includes 7 hour plan review & 10 hour on-site inspections)	\$2,329
Tank Upgrades (includes 5 hours of staff time)	\$685
Tank Closure (includes 6 hours of staff time)	\$822

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