



Notification of Underground Storage Tanks (UST)
Montana Department of Environmental Quality

MDEQ Facility ID Number (XX-XXXXX)

INSTRUCTIONS

Please **type or print in ink** all items except "signature" in Section V.
An owner of a UST system must amend the facility's current owner notification form whenever the owner has undergone any change.

Type of Notification

Change of Owner Amended Owner Information Change of Facility Name (old name)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Who Must Notify?

Owners of underground tanks that store regulated substances must notify DEQ of the existence of their tanks, unless exempted, per *Title 17, Chapter 56, Subchapter 9, Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM)*.

An "Owner" means –

- a) in the case of a UST in use on or after November 8, 1984, any person who owns an underground storage tank used for storage, use, or dispensing of regulated substances,
- b) in the case a UST in use before November 8, 1984, any person who owned such tank immediately before discontinuation of its use.

What tanks require notification?

- All underground tanks that have been used to store regulated substances since January 1, 1974, and that are in the ground as of May 8, 1986, or that are brought into use after May 8, 1986
- A UST which is in the ground and not properly closed is deemed to be in use and is subject to notification requirements.

Penalties:

Any owner who fails to notify or submits false information is subject to a civil penalty of up to \$10,000.00 per violation per day for each tank for which notification is not given or for which false information is submitted. Criminal penalties may also apply.

Where to send completed forms: Email completed forms to: dequstprogram@mt.gov

Phone: 406-444-5300 Fax: 406-444-1374

DEQ / UST Section, PO Box 200901, Helena MT 59620-0901

I. Ownership of Tanks

II. Operator of Tanks

Owner Name (Corporation, Individual, Public Agency etc.)		Operator Name	
Mailing Address		Operator Address	
City	State	Zip	
City	State	Zip	
Phone Number	Fax Number	Phone Number	Fax Number
Email Address		Email Address	

III. Location of Tanks

Facility Name		Street Address or Physical Location (PO BOX NOT ACCEPTABLE)		
Facility Phone Number	MDEQ Facility ID Number	City	State	Zip Code
Contact Person	Contact Phone Number	Contact Email Address	Name of Fuel Distributor	

IV. Financial Responsibility

I have met the financial responsibility requirements in accordance with *40 CFR 280, Subpart H and Title 17, Chapter 56, Subchapter 8, ARM* by the mechanism(s) selected below.

Check All that Apply * If PTRCF is checked, you must choose additional mechanism(s) to cover \$17,500 co-payment.

* Montana Petroleum Tank Release Cleanup Fund (PTRCF) (can only be used with PTRCF)	Trust Fund	Surety Bond (Requires a Standby Trust Fund)
Certificate of Tangible Net Worth	Financial Test of Self Insurance	Letter of Credit (Requires a Standby Trust Fund)
Insurance/Risk Group Coverage (Must not contain an environmental rider)	Guarantee (Requires a Standby Trust Fund)	Standby Trust Fund
Local Government Only:	Bond Rating Test Financial Test Dedicated Fund	Guarantee

V. Certification

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete.

Name of owner or owner's authorized representative (Please Print)	Title
Signature	Date Signed