
PETROLEUM BULK STORAGE

OVERVIEW

On June 23, 1998, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation delegated the authority to administer the Petroleum Bulk Storage Code to the Westchester County Department of Health.

Petroleum bulk storage facilities are defined as those facilities having a petroleum storage tank with a capacity greater than 1,100 gallons, or having an aggregate amount of motor fuels/lubricants exceeding 1,100 gallons at a single site, or any waste oil tank.

Under Article XXV of the Westchester County Sanitary Code, the Westchester County Department of Health is now responsible for registering, inspecting, ensuring inventory monitoring and tank testing and, where appropriate, requiring remediation of code violations at these facilities. Violations of the Petroleum Bulk Storage Code may result in fines of up to \$1,000 per day.

PAYMENT

Payment must be in the form of a check or money order made payable to the Westchester County Department of Health.

For additional information about the Petroleum Bulk Storage Code, call the Westchester County Department of Health, Office of Environmental Health Risk Control, at (914) 813-5161.

REVISED FEE SCHEDULE

(as of January 1, 2010)

Registration (Registrations are valid for 5 years)

1 tank	\$330
2 tanks	\$530
3 tanks	\$660
Each additional tank	\$ 65
(Example: 5 tanks = \$790)	
Waste Oil Transfer facility	\$330

Work Permit (Work permits are valid for 90 days)

Remove/close tank	\$200
Install tank	\$145
Install/repair piping	\$100
Repair/recondition tank	\$145
Product substitution	\$100
Install non-stationary tank storage area	\$145

Variance Application \$265

Tightness Tester Registration

Tester certificates are valid for 1 year.

Company permit, per method	\$130
Technician permit, per method	\$130

Article XXVI Gasoline Dispensing Sites & Transport Vehicles (Vapor Recovery) \$300

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Late fee

\$80