



## PUBLIC NOTICE WMR FY21-039 & WMR FY21-040

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is accepting public comments specific to new underground storage tanks to be installed at 402 Belgrade BLVD, Belgrade, Montana at the proposed Holiday Station # 506. This is only a summary of the proposed project. The entire Environmental Assessment (EA) can be viewed at <http://deq.mt.gov/Land/ust/ea>.

DEQ has prepared the following Environmental Assessment (EA) as required by the Montana Environmental Policy Act (sections ARM 17.4.607(2) and ARM 17.4.609(2)). This project involves installing one 20,000 single-compartment Xerxes FRP double-walled Underground Storage Tank (UST) containing regular unleaded gasoline, one 20,000 dual-compartment Xerxes FRP double-walled UST containing super-unleaded gasoline (12,000-gallon compartment) and premium unleaded (8,000-gallon compartment), and one 20,000 dual-compartment Xerxes FRP double-walled UST containing premium diesel (8,000-gallon compartment) and diesel (12,000-gallon compartment). All the UST systems will utilize secondarily contained Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP 1.5 and 1.75-inch double-walled flexible pipe. The proposed project will add five (5) new UST systems to the newly developed Holiday Station # 506, located at 402 Belgrade BLVD, Belgrade, MT 59714.

Specific installation plans include the following materials and monitoring systems: **Tank(s):** This project involves installing the following five (5) tanks: 20,000-gallon regular unleaded gasoline, 12,000-gallon super unleaded gasoline, 8,000-gallon premium gasoline, 8,000-gallon premium diesel, and 12,000-gallon diesel. All five tanks will be Xerxes Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic (FRP) double-walled UST systems. Each tank will be utilized by Holiday Station # 506 as a petroleum re-fueling site and convenience store. **Piping:** All product piping associated with this project will be Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP 1.5 and 1.75-inch double-walled flexible pipe. Approximately 1,250 feet of double-walled Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP flexible piping will be utilized in this project. **Sumps:** Franklin Fueling Systems fiberglass tank-top sumps will be installed around each tank's submersible turbine pump. Franklin Fueling Systems under-dispenser containment sumps will be installed under each dispenser. Each tank and piping system will be continuously monitored. Monitoring will be accomplished via internal tank probes, interstitial tank sensors, as well as continuous sensor monitoring in all containment sumps and electronic line leak detection with programmed 3.0 gph shutdown rate for each of the piping runs. A Franklin Fueling Systems TS-550 EVO automatic tank gauge (ATG) will continuously monitor all operational parameters.

DEQ prepares EAs to examine and document the effects of a proposed action on the quality of the human and physical environment. After a ten-day public comment period, DEQ will consider the substantive comments received in response to the EA and proceed with one of the following actions: a) determine that an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is necessary; b) determine that the EA did not adequately reflect issues raised by the proposed action and issue a revised EA; or c) determine that further environmental analysis is not necessary and make a final decision on the proposed action with any modification deemed necessary as a result of analysis in the EA and public comment.

If you care to comment on this proposed project or the attached EA, please write or email the Waste Management and Remediation Division. Comments must be in writing and must be received by August 24, 2020. Our email address is [degustprogram@mt.gov](mailto:degustprogram@mt.gov) and our mailing address is DEQ/UST, PO Box 200901, Helena, MT 59620-0901.