



PUBLIC NOTICE WMR FY19-287

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is accepting public comments on new underground storage tanks to be installed in Billings, Montana. 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-gallon single-compartment Xerxes Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic (FRP) double-walled Underground Storage Tank (UST) containing regular unleaded gasoline; one 20,000 dual-compartment Xerxes FRP double-walled UST containing premium unleaded gasoline (12,000-gallons), and non-ethanol premium unleaded gasoline (8,000-gallons), and one 12,000-gallon single-compartment Xerxes Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic (FRP) double-walled Underground Storage Tank (UST) containing clear diesel. All of the UST systems will utilize secondarily contained Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP double-walled flexible plastic piping. The proposed project will add four new UST systems for the newly-developed Holiday Stationstore # 470 site, located at 1212 Mallowney Ln, Billings, MT 59102.

Specific installation plans include the following materials and monitoring systems: Tank(s): This project involves installing the following four (4) tanks: 20,000-gallon regular unleaded gasoline, 12,000-gallon premium unleaded gasoline, 8,000-gallon non-ethanol premium unleaded gasoline, and 12,000-gallon clear diesel. All four tanks will be Xerxes Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic (FRP) double-walled UST systems. All tanks will be utilized by Holiday Stationstore # 470 as a petroleum re-fueling site and convenience store. Piping: All product piping associated with this project will be Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP double-walled flexible plastic pipe. Approximately 650 feet of double-walled Franklin Fueling Systems APT XP flexible plastic piping will be utilized in this project. Sumps: Franklin Fueling Systems Defender Series Multiport Sumps model DMM4236 tank-top containment sumps will be installed around each tank's submersible turbine pump. Franklin Fueling Systems LMM-3617 Polyethylene large-mouth under-dispenser containment sumps will be installed under all dispensers. Each tank and piping system will be continuously monitored. Monitoring will be accomplished via internal tank probes and interstitial tank sensors, as well as continuous sensor monitoring in all containment sumps and electronic line leak detection 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 inform interested government agencies, public groups, or individuals of a proposed action and to determine whether the action may have a significant effect on human health or the natural environment. After a ten-day public comment period, DEQ will decide what action to take regarding this proposed project.

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 November 16, 2018. Our email address is dequstprogram@mt.gov and our mailing address is PO Box 200901, Helena, MT 59620-0901.