

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION FOR SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ABOVEGROUND HEATING FUEL STORAGE TANK REMOVAL/REPLACEMENT

This application is valid through 07.01.2020 – 06.30.2021 (Fiscal Year 2021)

Your application MUST be approved by the Financial Assistance Program before any work is completed

Name of Owner(s):		Phone Number:		
Property Address (tank location)		Email:		
Mailing Address (if different than property)				
1. List anyone living in your home. This includes you, your spouse or civil union partner, children, other relatives, roomers and boarders, caregivers, companions, and friends.				
Name	Sex (M/F)	Date of Birth	Age	Relationship
SELF:				SELF

Please answer all of the following questions.

2. Is YOUR name on the property tax bill? Yes No **If NO you are NOT eligible for assistance.**
 3. Is your annual household income over \$65k? Yes No **If YES you are NOT eligible for assistance.**
 4. What are you removing? Aboveground Tank (a basement tank is considered aboveground) Underground Tank
 5. Do you rent a room to anyone in your home? Yes No **If YES how much rent is received monthly: \$ _____**
 6. Does anyone listed above have a disability? Yes No **If YES who: _____**
 7. Size of current tank? _____ gallons. **Age of current tank? _____ years.**
 8. Location of current tank? Basement with dirt floor Basement with concrete floor Garage/Shed Outside
 Other
 9. Reason for tank removal? _____
 10. Is your tank "Red Tagged"? Yes No **If YES by whom: _____ - Include inspection report/checklist.**
 11. Will your home continue to use fuel oil or kerosene for heating? Yes No
 If YES - provide the following: Tank location: Basement Garage/Shed Outside on the gable-end
 Outside on the non-gable-end (roof required)
 If NO – How will the home be heated? _____
- *All AST's for heating oil storage must be on a stable foundation, such as a 4" thick concrete pad with all 4 legs no longer than 14" on the same surface.*
12. Property Type: Primary Residence Rental Secondary Residence Unoccupied Property
 13. Drinking Water Source: Private Well Municipal Shared Well Spring
 14. How did you hear about this program? Name/Company: _____ Phone #: _____
 15. Are you currently receiving State Fuel Assistance? Yes No

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THE FOLLOWING MUST BE RETURNED WITH THIS APPLICATION

1. **PROOF OF OWNERSHIP** – Submit a copy of your property tax bill.
2. **INCOME VERIFICATION** – Submit your most recent FEDERAL 1040 form(s) and all Schedules for all household income, IF you do not file a tax return you must submit a Social Security or Disability yearly earnings statement.

DO NOT SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING – Your application will NOT be accepted and will NOT be processed.

- STATE tax return
- Paystubs
- W2's

Questions for aboveground tanks call – Kristin Schultz @ 802.522.0071 or email

Kristin.Schultz@vermont.gov

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A full description of requirements and other compliance information can be found in the AST Rules, located here: [http://dec.vermont.gov/sites/dec/files/wmp/UST/Aboveground Storage Tank Rules 8-15-2017.pdf](http://dec.vermont.gov/sites/dec/files/wmp/UST/Aboveground_Storage_Tank_Rules_8-15-2017.pdf)

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision, and information submitted herein is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false, misleading, or fraudulent information or statements as part of this application, including the possibility of fine for knowing violations.

I acknowledge that if awarded assistance, I am responsible for the hiring of all contractors and other persons that may be necessary to complete the required work and for ensuring that all required work is conducted in accordance with all applicable standards.

I understand that state funding for this work may be suspended at any time and I am responsible for payment of invoices (including any late fees for overdue payments) to contractors and other persons for the work performed

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Mail completed application with all necessary information to:

VT ANR, DEC, WMPD

Attn: Kristin Schultz

1 National Life Drive – Davis 1

Montpelier, VT 05620-3704

OR

Email completed application with all necessary information in **PDF format to:**

Aboveground tanks – Kristin.Schultz@vermont.gov

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