



## **Notice of Fee Proposal Workshop**

Fee Adjustments for:  
Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA)-Underground Storage Tanks  
Water Well Program-Geotechnical Permit

**Date/Time:** **Tuesday, May 14, 2019**  
**10:00 am – Underground Storage Tank Fees**  
**11:00 am – Geotechnical Permit Fee**

**Location:** San Joaquin County Environmental Health Department  
1868 East Hazelton Avenue  
Stockton CA 95205

**Contacts:**

<b>UST Program</b>	<b>Water Well Program</b>
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As part of the budget process, all Environmental Health Department (EHD) fees are reviewed and evaluated to ensure revenues generated from fees are appropriate and sufficient to meet the expected costs of each program. This ongoing evaluation process is especially important as many EHD program requirements are constantly changing with the passage of new laws, regulations and policies.

In 1990, the Board of Supervisor's passed Resolution B-90-620, which endorsed a policy of full cost recovery for the EHD. As such, all EHD fees are evaluated and adjustments proposed in order to meet this goal. For fiscal year 2019-20, fee increases in the Underground Storage Tank Program are proposed to close the current, significant gap between program revenues and net county costs. Geotechnical permits are proposed to change from a flat permit fee to an hourly rate service basis. This is necessary as the number and depth of borings can vary widely and the time required for any one permit can fluctuate significantly, making a flat permit fee impracticable. **The proposed fee changes are provided on the back side of this notice.**

A meeting has been scheduled at the date, time, and location noted above to discuss the fee proposals with facility owners/operators, contractors, consultants, and members of the general public. This meeting is informational and your attendance at this meeting is not mandatory.

This opportunity for public and industry comment is being provided in preparation for the public fee hearing to be held before the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors, scheduled for Tuesday, June 11, 2019, in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, 44 North San Joaquin Street, Stockton, California.

Please contact Muniappa Naidu for questions or comments regarding the Underground Storage Tank proposed fees or Michael Kith for questions or comments regarding the Geotechnical Boring permit proposed fee. Contact information is provided above. Thank you for your interest and assistance.

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**EHD Program Proposed Fee Adjustments**  
(Proposed Effective Date July 1, 2019)

<b>Underground Storage Tank Program</b>	<b>Current Fee</b>	<b>Proposed Fee</b>
VPH UST Facility - 2481 Compliant	\$961*	\$1,582
VPH Tanks - Additional UST - 2481 Compliant	\$228*	\$250
UST Facility (Double Wall)	\$680	\$982
Additional UST (Double Wall Tanks)	\$228*	\$250
UST Facility - 1702 Compliant	\$680	\$982
Pre-VPH Tanks - Additional UST - 1702 Compliant	\$228*	\$250
<b>Well Program</b>	<b>Current Fee</b>	<b>Proposed Fee</b>
Geotechnical Well/Soil Boring Permit*	\$465	\$456 +152/each additional boring

\*Changing from a flat rate permit fee to an hourly rate service basis.