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**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**  
Facility #: 4047772  
Permit #: 00885-2024REM  
Request Rec'd: 07/19/2024  
Approval Date: 07/25/2024 DS  
Permit Expires: 01/27/2025

## **Permit for REMOVAL of Underground Storage Tank(s) and Piping for Petroleum and Hazardous Substances**

Permission to remove underground storage tank(s) or piping is hereby granted. Such removal must be in complete accordance with all sections and procedures specified in 41 Illinois Administrative Code Parts 174, 175 and 176. The contractor the permit was issued to shall establish a date certain to perform the UST activity by scheduling the permitted activity through their UST contractor portal account. If the Storage Tank Safety Specialist (STSS) observes evidence of a release, the owner, operator or designated representative of the UST owner/operator must notify the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA). The incident number shall be given to the STSS prior to his/her leaving the site. After the removal is completed, the owner/operator shall have a site assessment performed by measuring for the presence of a release where contamination is most likely to be present at the UST site. This is in accordance with the Illinois Administrative Code 176.360 (a) regulations and 40 CFR Part 280.72 (a) Federal Register Requirement.

**THIS PERMIT IS VALID FOR SIX MONTHS FROM THE APPROVAL DATE.**

<b>OWNER OF TANKS</b> - Corporation, partnership, or other business entity: IDOT District #7 400 W. Wabash Effingham, IL 62401 Effingham County Contact: District Operations Engineer 217/342-3951	<b>FACILITY</b> - name and address where tanks are located: IDOT 74212 - PESA 3925-COV-30 UST 204 S. Henrietta St. Effingham, IL 62401 Effingham County Contact: Matt Stockert 618/581-4544
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**IEMA Number**  
2024-0560

### **Tanks on the Permit**

<b>Tank #</b>	<b>Capacity</b>	<b>Product</b>	<b>Last Used Date</b>
1	2,550	Unknown	12/31/1973

### **Summary of Work**

#### **Background Information**

UST #5 was discovered by contractor performing trench excavation for storm sewer installation. At this time only the top of the tank is exposed and no piping was/is present. Tank contents, which appeared to be mostly water with a slight sheen and faint petroleum odor, are visible through the open ports on top of the tank. The tank is situated in Illinois Department of Transportation right-of-way, approximately 76 feet north of the nearest currently active traffic lane of Fayette Ave., 67 feet east of the nearest currently active traffic lane of S. Henrietta St., 15 feet west of Lion's Liquors parking lot, and 95 feet south of the Lion's Liquors parking lot entrance. Combustible gas meter readings taken from the tank ports were 0% LEL. Work has been stopped in the area and the area has been secured with temporary fencing.

#### **Scope of Work**


Establish HAZWOPER work zones  
Prepare to remove tank from pits  
Remove tank from pits  
Clean, load, and dispose of tank in accordance with API recommended practices  
Remove tank pit soil to depth needed for IDOT storm sewer installation  
Excavate impacted soil up to 4' in each direction around the UST. If impacts beyond the 4' interval are noted, or if significant contamination is encountered, IDOT BDE will be contacted for further discussion.  
Site assessment / collect closure samples from tank pit  
Install storm sewer and backfill  
Proper disposal of containerized tank contents

### **Special Contingencies**

The owner must notify this Office when completion of tank removal has occurred, on the Notification for Underground Storage Tank Form. This form can be obtained at [www.sfm.illinois.gov](http://www.sfm.illinois.gov) or by calling (217)785-1020. After removal is completed, the owner/operator shall perform a site assessment by measuring for the presence of a release where contamination is most likely to be present at the UST site. This is in accordance with the Illinois Administrative Code 176.360 (a) regulations and 40 CFR Part 280.72 (a) Federal Register Requirement.

PERSON, FIRM OR COMPANY PERFORMING WORK:	
Environmental Operations, Inc. 7733 Forsyth Blvd. Ste. 1600 St. Louis, MO 63105	Contact Person: Matt Stockert Phone: 618/581-4544 Email: <a href="mailto:matts@environmentalops.com">matts@environmentalops.com</a> Contractor License # IL873 Exp. 6/7/2025

Sincerely,



Daniel Starks