### **CHAPTER 9**

# **Underground Storage Tanks**

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## SEC. 5-9-1 STORAGE TANKS FOR CLASS I, II AND III LIQUIDS.

- (a) **Definitions.** "Class I, II and III liquids" shall have the meaning provided therefore in Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code.
- (b) **Adoption of State Code by Reference.** Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code, is hereby adopted by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set forth herein.
- (c) Responsibility of Owners and/or Operators of Storage Tanks. The owner and/or operator of any aboveground or underground storage tank for Class I, II and III liquids shall, at all times, be responsible for the integrity of each storage tank at each location, together with the piping and dispensing systems connected therein from the time of installation until termination of use, in accordance with Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code.
- (d) **Enforcement of Ch. II ILHR 10, Wis. Adm Code.** Pursuant to Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code, and the terms of a Professional Services Contract between the Town and the Wisconsin Department of Industry, Labor and Human Relations, the Fire Department is authorized to issue permits, charge fees and take enforcement action authorized thereby. The Chief of the Fire Department, and designee(s) thereof, shall exercise jurisdiction over this Chapter and the groundwater protection-related provisions of Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code, in the Town of Caledonia.

### (e) Storage Tank Permit.

- (1) A permit, under Ch. ILHR 10, Wis. Adm. Code, through the Fire Department, shall be required for the abandonment, closure, removal or change in service or placing the system temporarily out of service, of any aboveground or underground storage tank for Class I, II and III liquids with a capacity of more than sixty (60) gallons. "Storage tank system" shall include piping, vents, leak detection systems, cathodic protection and spill/overfill protection systems.
- (2) The owner and/or operator of any such storage tank shall file an application therefor with the Fire Department, on designated forms with the applicable fee. The application shall include:
  - a. Three (3) copies of a site assessment plan in accordance with ILHR 10.734;
  - b. Three (3) site plot plans drawn to scale showing the following:
    - 1. Property lines;
    - 2. All buildings and structures;
    - 3. All tanks and piping;

- 4. Adjacent streets;
- 5. Overhead and underground utilities;
- 6. Limits of the excavation; and
- 7. Temporary location of excavated dirt and backfill.
- (3) Fees for such permit shall be:
  - a. Plan Review Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).
  - b. Site Inspection First Tank: Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).
  - c. Site Inspection Each Additional Tank: Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

### SEC. 5-9-2 INSTALLATION.

- (a) **Plan Submittal.** All underground storage tank and/or aboveground tank installations in excess of five thousand (5,000) gallons shall have plans submitted to the Department of Industry and Human Relations in accordance with Ch. 10 ILHR, Wis. Adm. Code.
- (b) Storage Tank Permit.
  - (1) A permit, under Ch. ILHR 10.10, Wis. Adm. Code, Approval of Proposed Construction, Installation or Operation, through the Fire Department, shall be required for the installation of any aboveground or underground storage tank for Class I, II and III liquids with a capacity of less than five thousand (5,000) gallons. "Storage tank system" shall include piping, vents, leak detention systems, cathodic protection and spill/overfill protection systems.
  - (2) The owner and/or operator of any such storage tank shall file an application therefor with the Fire Department, on designated forms with the applicable fee. The application shall include three (3) site plot plans drawn to scale showing the following:
    - a. Property lines;
    - b. All buildings, structures and class of construction;
    - c. All tanks and piping:
    - d. Adjacent streets;
    - e. Sanitary sewers, storm sewers, water mains, private water mains, water service piping, water wells, water reservoirs and any stream or body of water which is within two hundred (200) feet of the tank;
    - f. Type of tank supports, clearances including clearances between tanks, type of venting and pressure relief used and combined capacity of all venting and relief valves on each tank for aboveground storage;
    - g. Overhead and underground utilities;
    - h. Limits of the excavation; and
    - i. Temporary location of excavated dirt and backfill.
  - (3) Fees for such permit shall be as indicated on page two of the application form, adopted herein by reference.

### SEC. 5-9-3 PENALTIES.

(a) Failure to comply with any orders issued pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter by the Chief of the Fire Department or the Bureau, or duly authorized representative shall constitute an ordinance violation, and any person, firm or corporation found guilty of such

- violation shall, upon the conviction thereof, be fined a sum not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), together with the costs of the prosecution, and in default of payment thereof shall be imprisoned until such forfeiture and cost are paid, but not to exceed fifteen (I5) days.
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in this Chapter, each and every twenty-four (24) hours such violation shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.
- (c) Any person, firm or corporation found guilty of a violation of any Section of this Chapter for which a specific penalty is not herein provided shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined the sum of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), together with the costs of the prosecution, and in default of payment thereof shall be imprisoned until such forfeiture and cost are paid, but not to exceed thirty (30) days.