





## **MONTHLY WALK-THROUGH INSPECTIONS AT UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS SITES**

North Dakota Department of Health

Division of Waste Management – Underground Storage Tank Program

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As part of the 2005 Energy Policy Act, facilities that operate regulated underground storage tank (UST) systems are required to have their Class B operator perform or oversee the performance of a monthly inspection of their UST system(s). These inspections are conducted to ensure essential equipment is operating properly. The North Dakota Department of Health's Underground Storage Tank Program has developed a "Monthly Walk-Through Inspection Checklist" in order to assist UST owners and operators with this requirement (see reverse).

Inspections are required on a monthly basis and must be documented to be in compliance. **Initial** each box below the date of inspection to indicate that the device/system was inspected and found to be operating properly on that date. ***A minimum of one year's monthly walk-through inspections must be kept on site.*** If the monthly inspection results indicate a potential leak in your underground storage tank system, the reason for the leak must be investigated and corrective action taken to address the source. In addition, if a release of product has occurred, it must be reported to the **North Dakota Department of Health's Underground Storage Tank Program** at **(701) 328-5166**.