

## **PROCEDURE**

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There are several factors that need to be considered when analyzing the economic and mission feasibility for the continued use of an AST or UST. Some include:

1. Location, on or off-site, of alternative sources of fuel.
2. Cost of annual fuel tank permit fees and precision tank testing.
3. Staff time required to comply with monitoring and record keeping requirements and all other applicable regulations.
4. Site investigation and remediation costs in the event of an unauthorized release (also referred to as leaks and spills).
5. The use of AST's instead of UST's for the on-site storage of hazardous substances.

NOTE: Fuel tank storage technology is constantly changing with frequent innovations. Please check with the Technical Services Section if you have special needs and applications.

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