

DEPARTMENTAL ROLES

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The California State Legislature has annually appropriated funds to the Department of General Services, Real Estate Services Division (formerly the Division of the State Architect) for the administration of an underground storage tank program for state departments, including CDF. DGS, RESD acts as an agent for CDF in instances that involve leaking tank removal and replacement, related site investigation and cleanup, precision tank testing, and the installation of tank monitoring equipment. CDF's role in this relationship is one of a client; however, we are still responsible for all permitting, monitoring, and leak reporting activities.

This agent/client relationship between DGS, RESD and CDF will continue until all of our UST's are brought into compliance with state law. After that time, the responsibility for all aspects of tank management will be transferred to CDF.

All formal communication and direction to DGS, RESD regarding UST programs shall be coordinated and directed through the Sacramento Headquarters Technical Services Section.

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