

BUREAU OF LIFE SAFETY SERVICES
DIVISION OF FIRE CODE ENFORCEMENT
ADMINISTRATIVE EXCEPTION 01-01

CODE REFERENCE: Montgomery County Fire Safety Code Section 22-45 "Above Ground Tank Storage of Flammable Liquids."

BACKGROUND: This code section prohibits the use of above ground storage for class I and class II flammable and class I and class II combustible liquids, except when being used on farms, or temporary basis not to exceed six months and existing tanks approved prior to 4/28/59.

EXCEPTION: To allow the use of above ground tanks for storage of class I and class II flammable and combustible liquids.

COMPENSATORY PROTECTION: Day tanks for generators must be installed in accordance with NFPA 110. Fuel tanks for fire pumps must be installed in compliance with NFPA 20. All other above ground fuel tanks must be listed in accordance with Underwriters Laboratory Standard 2085 or equivalent. Tank must be marked on all four sides per NFPA 704.

This Administrative Exception replaces Exception 94-1.

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