



What is Kroger's process to ensure we follow proper installation for UST?

1. **Contractor certification from Tank Manufacturer.** Completes Xerxes Install Manual & Operating Guidelines Checklist.
2. **Kroger Project Manager must be certified** by the Corporate Supermarket Petroleum Group – *Extensive training over several projects to ensure knowledge & leadership.*
3. **Kroger PM performs 36-point install checklist:** Pre-Install Visual, Hole requirements Anchoring, Deflection test, Backfill testing & Ballasting.
4. **Local TCEQ Region 4 representative** is invited to witness tank installation.
5. **Keller Fire Department witnesses** tank pressure test and installation of tanks.

Kroger UST Additional Equipment & Procedures

- **Additional equipment and procedures related to the design, construction, and operation of the fueling facility:**
- Entire tank and piping system is constructed with **non-corrosive materials**, **secondary containment**, and **tank monitoring** equipment.
- **Three methods of certification** that the installation has been installed, tested, and inspected in accordance with applicable state and federal regulations.
- **Daily monitoring** of brine levels for the duration of the construction process.
- Installation at a **minimum distance greater than 200 feet** from any private, public, or commercial water well (TCEQ).
- Testing of all systems in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions prior to placing any system in service (**Tank + Piping + Final Inspections**).