

# DNR Now Awarding Underground Storage Tank Grants

In an effort to clean up contaminated properties, the Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is accepting proposals from qualified service providers for the Iowa Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST) Program. The program is a partnership with the United States Environmental Protection Agency and is funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

DNR will award four non-exclusive contracts for site specific plans for underground storage tank cleanup. Each

contract will be for \$625,000. The sites for the cleanup will be selected by DNR and assigned to the contractor. Projects will include site assessment, soil excavation, remediation, high-risk receptor removal, and replacement and other cleanup related activities.

Vendors and consultants interested in being considered for the project must submit a letter of intent by August 19, 2009, to Karen Anderson, Program Planner and Issuing Officer, Underground Storage Tank Section, DNR, 502 East

Ninth St., Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0034; or by fax to (515) 281-8895, or by email to [Karen.Anderson@dnr.iowa.gov](mailto:Karen.Anderson@dnr.iowa.gov). Completed proposals must be received by September 14, 2009.

Additional information can be found at [www.iowadnr.gov/land/ust/index.html](http://www.iowadnr.gov/land/ust/index.html) and Request for Proposals can be found at [www.iowadnr.gov/land/ust/arra/lustarra.html](http://www.iowadnr.gov/land/ust/arra/lustarra.html).