September 25, 2025 NWGLDE Meeting

Attending:

Don, Mike, Greg, Tim, Mark, David, Oma, Shaheer, Dustin, Wesley

Discussions:

- Should STI create or release an interstitial testing procedure for double wall steel tanks since there were several manufacturers– Steve from STI was present- that could /would meet the "code of practice". Steve commented that not all steel tanks were STI members.
- Tim discussed his "swan song" document and its status and projected timeline for release. plans include group additions and editing, and sending sections to impacted manufacturers
- Purpora (Dawn) commented on lengthy delay to update listing.

Separate discussions

A. With Purpora about what is needed to move forward in updating the listing
B. With Petro Specialties (Gary) – independent vacuum source for intestinal monitoring. Gary wants to list his product so it can be used in CA and elsewhere. Current vacuum monitoring of interstice methods were listed using an STP to create the vacuum. He has approval for use letters from Incon and Veeder-root. Manufacturers will not "add" his product to their listing.

Further discussion on Tims guidance document and the next steps were reviewed, a comment was made that the "Tacoma" presentation had good guidance and should be reviewed for inclusion in the new document. Tim had no problem with citing credit if needed for that or other qualified sources.

Oma reminded the group section leaders to fill in the tracking sheet for listing requests

Don offered the TN training manual to obtain information for Tims document.

**Group discussion recorded by Don to transcribe later:**

Dover Fueling wants to list new sensors on their current listing – it was noted that their current listing did not include the models they referenced. It was agreed they need to first document the main unit was operation the same as the listed unit before and ancillary

equipment changes.  It was suggested we get “what is the same” and “what is different” from the third party testing company.

Wesley- ATG Group- Veeder-Root wants to list a wireless probe

Dustin- to look at Petro Tite ridged and flex test listing.  He also commented on STI vacuum test

Don discussed the Spring meeting and possible meeting locations

Adjourn 5:40

**September 26, 2025**

Attending:

Don, Mike H, Greg, Tim, Mark, David, Oma, Shaheer, Dustin, Wesley, Jake, Mike?

Discussion on pending Dri Sump “new products” and possible listings

Tim- Ethanol effect on leak detection and how we move forward, what “needs” to be tested again or just add a disclaimer.  Thoughts that we release to manufacturers that 2026 (or another date) all proposals need to reference emerging fuels and ASTM standards should be the guide on what we accept Tim will draft this for review. Existing listing should have a disclaimer that they were NOT tested with or for the current fuels used today. The comment was added that fuel additives should be addressed with this at this time. the Battelle study was a reference to the fuel differences.

Greg announced he will retire before the spring meeting

Ajourn

