

# Gasoline Dispensing Facility (GDF) Vapor Recovery Test Policy



MDAQMD Rule 461 – *Gasoline Transfer and Dispensing* requires performance testing to be conducted at a minimum annually, no later than the last day of the same month the testing occurred in the prior year OR within 60 days of alterations of the Vapor Recovery System. Notice to the District at least 10 days prior to the test is mandatory. District staff may or may not be present to witness the performance testing.

For violations of performance testing requirements the following penalties may be assessed:

Violation	Minimum Penalties
10-day testing notification not received	\$250.00 per test and/or facility required to retest
Testing performed before notified time	Facility required to repeat tests
Test cancellation not submitted at least 24 hours prior to the originally scheduled time. Testing beginning after notified time is deemed a cancellation (30-minute grace period provided)	Facility charged staff hourly rate per Rule 301 (minimum of one hour) including travel time or \$250.00, whichever is greater, and/or testing required to be rescheduled
PASS/FAIL testing results not received within 30 days	\$250.00
All tests, as notified or required, not completed	\$250.00 per test not completed
Tests, other than those specified on the notice, completed	Facility may be required to notify for and repeat un-noticed tests
Certified persons not present or equipment not properly calibrated	Facility charged staff hourly rate (minimum of one hour) including travel time or \$250.00, whichever is greater, and testing required to be rescheduled

Testing should be scheduled to start between 7:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Requests for testing times outside of these days and hours may be approved on a case-by-case basis.

MDAQMD requires that at least one person conducting the testing have current ICC VT – Vapor Recovery System Testing and Repair – Certification. To perform repairs or replacement of failed parts identified during a test, current ICC VT or VR – Vapor Recovery Systems Repair – Certification is also required. For stations equipped with In-Station Diagnostics at least one person with current Veeder Root ISD or INCON Level V Certification, as applicable to the system, is required to be present during testing and repairs. A certified person must remain on-site for the duration of the testing.

PV Valve testing (TP 201.1E) is required annually and must be performed prior to Static Pressure Performance Testing.

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