

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
Department of Energy and Environment



September 19, 2019

To: Companies that Deliver Heating Oil and Fuel Oil in Washington, D.C.

Subject: Notice of New Heating Oil and Fuel Oil Assessment

The Department of Energy and Environment (DOEE) hereby notifies anyone who delivers heating oil or fuel oil to an end-user in Washington, D.C., of a requirement to pay an assessment of \$0.084 per gallon. This new requirement goes into effect on October 1, 2019.

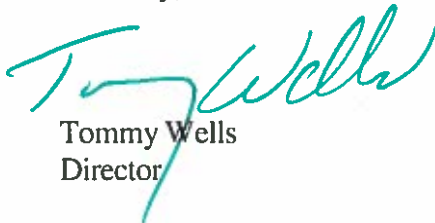
Section 201(c)(2)(C) of the CleanEnergy DC Omnibus Amendment Act of 2018, D.C. Act 22-583 (to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 8-1774.10(b)(2A)), states: "There shall be imposed upon a person who delivers heating oil or fuel oil to an end-user in the District [of Columbia], whether for industrial, commercial, or residential use, an assessment of \$0.084 per gallon, calculated on sales." Funds collected from the assessment will be deposited into the Sustainable Energy Trust Fund which provides funding for clean energy programs.

Entities delivering heating or fuel oil to Washington, D.C., must pay the assessment before the 21<sup>st</sup> day of the month following the delivery. For example, if a heating or fuel oil delivery is made during the month of October 2019, the first payment to the District will be due by November 20, 2019.

Heating and fuel oil deliverers may recover the assessment as a surcharge on a customer's bill. Customers who pay the surcharge should be made aware of the assessment through a line item on their sales receipt. The line item should include the amount of the assessment per gallon, the total gallons delivered, and the total amount of the assessment paid by the customer.

Please contact Mackenzie Mathews at [mackenzie.mathews@dc.gov](mailto:mackenzie.mathews@dc.gov) or (202) 671-3042 if you make heating or fuel oil deliveries in Washington, D.C., to obtain instructions on how to pay the assessment.

Sincerely,



Tommy Wells  
Director