

TABLE 4. COST CONTROL MEASURES AND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES USED BY STATE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FUNDS

State	Use Standard Forms for Site Assessment and Corrective Action Plans	Approve Cleanup Plans and/or Budget Prior to Implementation	Specify Cleanup Plans	Require Competitive Bidding		Payment Limits for Site Assessment/Receptor Assessment	Certify Contractors or Set Contractor Qualification Requirements	Limit Types of Activities at Sites	Limit Extent or Amounts of Allowed Activities	Limit Overhead Paid	Limit Fees and/or Profits Paid	Oversee Cleanups	Prioritize Claims to Conserve Funds	Employ a Third-Party Administrator	Employ a Board to Oversee Fund Activities
				Tank Owner	State as agent of owner										
AK		✓		✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
AL	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
AR		✓				reasonable costs			✓	✓	✓				✓
AZ		✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
CA		✓		✓			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		
CO	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
CT		✓		✓		reasonable costs		✓							✓
DE		✓					✓	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓
FL		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
GA	✓	✓				Reasonable costs		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
IA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
ID	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
IL	✓	✓						✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
IN		(voluntary)	✓			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
KS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	Prioritize Work	✓ 3 rd party only	
KY		pending				Reasonable costs	✓			✓	✓		✓		

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LA	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
MA	pending					✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MD		✓	✓			✓		✓				✓	✓		
ME	✓	✓										✓	✓	✓	✓
MI	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
MN	✓			✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
MO		✓		✓				✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
MS	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
MT		✓	✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Sometimes	✓
NC				✓ (for expenses over \$2,000)		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓				✓
ND	✓		✓			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
NE	✓	✓		✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
NH	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓		✓			✓
NM		✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
NV		✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
NY	✓	✓	✓		✓					✓	✓	✓		✓	

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OH		✓							✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
OK	✓	✓					✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			
PA		✓								✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
RI															
SC	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
SD		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓
TN	✓	✓	✓	some-times			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓
TX	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
UT		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
VA	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
VT	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
WA	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Private insurance	
WI		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			
WV		✓	✓	✓		✓				✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
WY	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
TOTAL	24	39	21	20	12	28	25	35	38	37	39	39	17	13	28