

591—13.6(455G) Completion of corrective action design reports.

13.6(1) The selection of a consultant to prepare the corrective action design shall be by public bidding. The board shall establish guidelines which measure the technical and cost aspects of the proposal. Owners or operators that are affected may also provide input into the process based on the overall effects to business operations.

13.6(2) Selection shall be based on the best combination of the proposed technology and the capital and long-term costs.

13.6(3) The board shall have the right to renegotiate the cost of services after the completion of the corrective action design report and prior to the actual installation of corrective action measures designed to remediate the site.

13.6(4) The board's selection of technology does not relieve an owner/operator from the obligation to cooperate with the board. Failure to cooperate may result in the loss of benefits. The board reserves the right to rebid during the review of submitted proposals. The technology selected by the board shall be provided to the owner/operator for review. The owner may propose alternative technology, provided that it does not slow down the process and has DNR approval and the cost of presenting such alternatives is borne by the owner or operator. The board is not obligated to follow alternative suggestions.