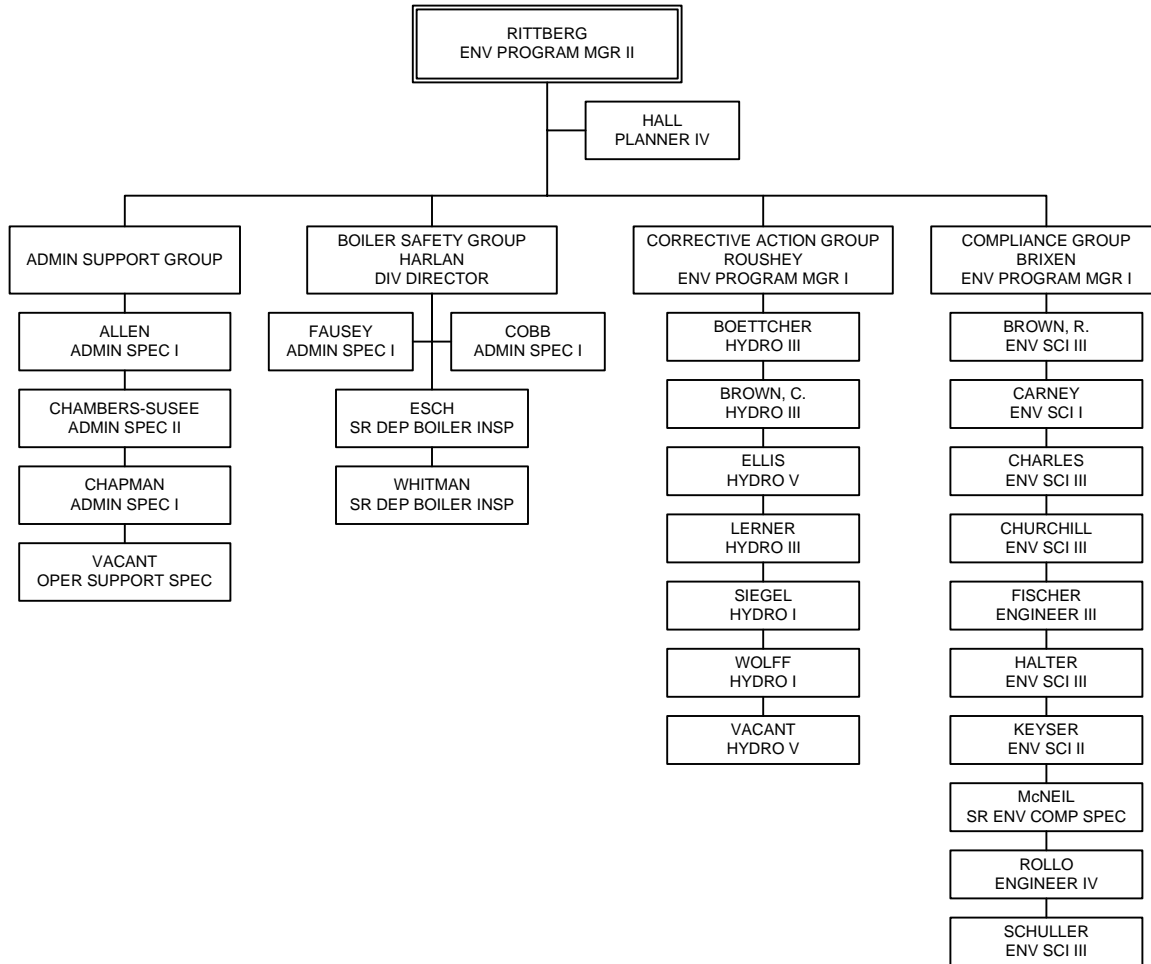


**DIVISION OF AIR & WASTE MANAGEMENT
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- Prevents leaks to the environment by conducting inspections at regulated Underground and Aboveground Storage Tank facilities to make sure equipment is properly installed and maintained. These inspections take place at different types of facilities including gas stations, facilities that have large tank systems, and industrial or manufacturing sites located in Delaware.
- Issues vapor recovery permits and maintains registration information pertaining to Underground and Aboveground Storage tank facilities.
- Oversees or conducts the investigation and clean up of petroleum contamination when spills and releases of petroleum occur on properties with Underground or Aboveground Storage Tanks.
- Maintains and makes available upon request information stored in paper files and electronic databases relating to underground and aboveground storage tanks located on real property.
- Provides financial assistance through various programs for the timely removal and or cleanup of Underground Storage Tanks. This includes managing the use of state funds dedicated towards the removal and cleanup of orphan and abandoned Underground Storage Tank Programs.
- Provides outreach and education by phone, newsletter, website, and presentations to specific groups regarding program activities and requirements.
- Implements the Boiler Safety Program to assure public safety in all public and municipal buildings through inspections of boilers and pressure vessels and by providing education on the operation, maintenance, and repair of boilers and pressure vessels in the State of Delaware