

## **General Notes**

- 1. Budgets are based on 2012 dollars.
- Budgets submitted are based on working a regular work week, unless noted otherwise. Work performed during shutdowns, turnarounds, outages, or at night, on weekends, or holidays would necessitate an adjustment in the budget for the overtime expense.
- 3. Budgets submitted **Exclude** per diem cost.
- 4. All external surface painting application budgets were based on utilization of brush and roller method.
- 5. All tank surfaces evaluated were external surfaces. No assessment was made for interior linings.
- 6. All scaffolding and access budgets were based on typical access costs for each given scope of work. Extensive scaffolding costs are not included in budget figures.
- 7. Lead (or other hazardous material) abatement and procedures are not incorporated into the budget figures.
- 8. Excavation for access to painted surfaces is not included in the budgets.
- 9. Provisions are made in the budgets for performing painting program work in a professional manner, based on current industry work practices and requirements.
- 10. Changes in governmental regulations, or their interpretation, new legislation or changes in policy, jurisdictions, or rates could affect budget prices (e.g. insurance premiums, taxes, worker safety, lead, hazardous material, abrasives, waste disposal, air quality, etc.).
- 11. Changes in environment, such as a new process within an area, or new units in adjacent areas, could affect corrosivity and therefore specifications and cost of painting in affected areas.
- 12. Removal of grating for access to supporting steel, if requested, is not included in budgeted prices.
- 13. Corrosive areas which cannot be resolved through coatings, such as leaking valves, perforated substrates, etc. shall not be subject warranties of workmanship. Any repairs of the initial coatings work shall be to the owner's account.
- 14. Damage resulting from process spills, upsets, fires or modifications shall be repaired at owner's account.