## **Anode Test Kit Instructions**

## <u>Anode Testing/Measuring Cathodic Protection Potentials</u>

- 1. Using the anode test kit P/N 30101, select the 2 volt DC scale. Connect the red lead to the tank test point or an uncoated metallic area of the tank (do not connect to the tank shroud)
- 2. Connect the black lead from the meter to a charged 6A half cell electrode (see instruction below for charging)
- 3. Remove protective cap from the 6A electrode. Place the end of the plug directly into the soil above the buried tank. Moisten soil with water or dig a plug into the soil if difficulty is encountered obtaining a reading.
- 4. Observe meter reading and record. Readings should be at least -.85v or above (-.80v replace anode, -.90v good).

## Charging 6A Half Cell

- 1. Remove end of 6A half cell
- 2. Fill with water (Distilled water preferred, however almost all potable will work).
- 3. Replace end piece making sure end is firmly closed for proper sealing.
- 4. Shake electrode to obtain proper saturation