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Annual Notification of Asbestos Management Plan August 2017

To All Parents and Staff

This notice is to inform all parents, faculty and staff of the availability of the asbestos management plan for Academy for Business & Technology Middle and High School (ABTH) under the jurisdiction of its board of directors, as required by law. In accordance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), 40 CFR Part 763.93, ABTH conducted initial inspections of the building for the presence of Asbestos Containing Building Materials (ACBM). An asbestos management plan for the building was developed at that time, detailing the location and condition of all ACBM along with the short-term actions to be taken to protect building occupants, and documentation of response actions. These management plans are available for review by any interested person at the ABTH main office during normal working hours.

AHERA regulations require re-inspections of all ACBM every three years by an accredited building inspector, and this includes an update of the Management Plan. The latest 3-year re-inspection and management plan update was provided by Environmental Maintenance Engineers, Inc. The AHERA regulations also require surveillance inspections for all ACBM training and knowledge of ACBM every six months, by an individual with training and knowledge of ACBM. These reports and management plan updates are also available for review by an interested person in the ABTH main office. ABT Middle & High School participates in the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response (AHERA) Act of 1986. The school AHERA Management Plan has been submitted and accepted by the State of Michigan Construction Safety and Health Division. The plan, updated on June 2016, certifies there is no friable asbestos within the ABTH school buildings. The plan is available for review in the main office.

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ADVISORY TO ALL PARENTS

Pest Management Plan - 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian:

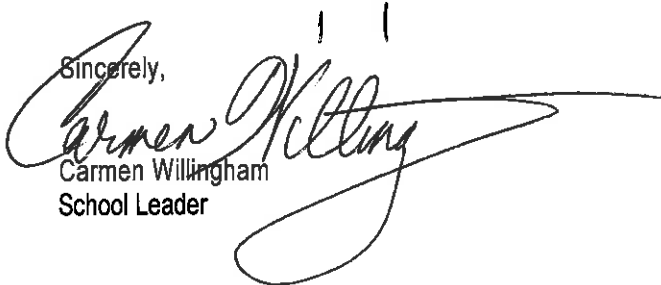
Academy for Business & Technology MS/HS has adopted an Integrated Pest Management program. Inherent with this are the District's efforts to reduce pesticide use as much as possible. While it may occasionally be necessary to apply a pesticide, these will only be used as a last resort. This program does not rely on routine pesticide applications to resolve problems. We use various techniques such as habitat alteration, sanitation, mechanical means, exclusion, etc., to prevent pests from becoming a problem.

You will receive advanced notice of the application of a pesticide, other than a bait or gel formulation, at your child's school. This advance notice of the application will be given 48 hours before the application. The law requires us to provide this notification by using two methods. The first method required by the law is the posting at entrances to your child's school. The second method we will use is the posting in a common area located by the main office of the school. Parents are also entitled to receive this notice by first-class United States mail postmarked at least three days prior to the application. If you would like to be notified by mail, please send a letter to the 19625 Wood St., Melvindale, MI 48122. Please include your name and mailing address.

In an emergency (for example, a bees nest), pesticides may be applied without prior notice, but you will be provided notice following any such application.

You may review our IPM program or pesticide application records for your child's school by calling the Facilities and Operations Department at 313-382-3422. This number may also be used when school is not in regular session.

Sincerely,


Carmen Willingham
School Leader

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