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Date: February 15, 2018

To: Tim Van Tassel, Principal

From: Richard Calarco, CSFM, CRRP, AOLCP
Director of Parks and Recreation

Re: IPM Plan-Hebron Elementary and Gilead Hill School

Any time prior to March 15, the Hebron board of education shall provide the staff of each school with written guidelines on how the integrated pest management plan is to be implemented and shall provide the parents or guardians of each child enrolled in each school with a statement that shall include a summary of the integrated pest management plan for the school. Such statement shall be provided to the parents or guardian of any child who transfers to a school during the school year. Such statements shall (1) indicate that the staff, parents or guardians may register for notice of pesticide applications at the school, and (2) describe the emergency notification procedures provided for this section. Notice of any modification to the integrated pest management plan shall be sent to any person who registers for notice under this section.

Each school shall maintain a registry of persons requesting such notice. Notice under this subsection shall include (1) the name of the active ingredient of the pesticide being applied, (2) the location of the application on the school property, (3) the date of the application, and (4) the name of the school administrator, or a designee, who may be contacted for further information.

The Town of Hebron's Parks Department uses an integrated pest management plan. This plan entails using common sense and good cultural practices in the maintenance of turf.

Best Management Practices using Integrated Pest Management:
Keys to Success

- Maintain the site history
- Identification of the source of any problems
- Soil samples will be collected by the Supervisor and analyzed
- If problem-what is the cause (i.e., disease, insect, weed)

- Determination of the tolerance level for pest
- Regular Scouting
- Determination other means available then pesticides
- Identification and implementation of cultural techniques to manage pest problems
- Select the proper tactic, cultural, biological, or chemical
- Evaluate the control measure used

Each school will have their own IPM binder. The Town on a monthly basis will provide updates which must be kept in the binder. The binder must be kept for 5 years.

Please post on the IPM Program on the schools web page.