

Pesticide Neighbor Notification Law

The New York State Board of Regents continues to enforce Part 155 of the Education Commissioner's regulation to use the least toxic approach to Integrated Pest Management. New legislation has recently been passed banning the use of pesticides on school playgrounds, turf and athletic or playing fields, however, emergency pesticide application may occur with School Board approval. New products have been introduced that are governed by the NYSEPA and Federal EPA and have been deemed environmentally safe for use on school property. Under the Neighbor Notification Law, you continue to have the right to be notified in writing, 48 hours before a product application is to take place on District property, unless the application is not subject to notification requirements. If you desire such notification, please notify the District in writing. Direct your correspondence to: Mr. Dan Connolly, Director of Operations & Facilities, Newfane Central School District, 6273 Charlotteville Road, Newfane, NY 14108. Questions may be directed to Mr. Connolly at 716-778-6586