

NOTIFICATION OF PESTICIDE APPLICATION
ON OR WITHIN NW BOCES BUILDINGS

Pursuant to W.S. §35-7-375, if NW BOCES receives notice from any commercial applicator licensed under W.S. §35-7-359, or any other person providing notification that such person will apply a pesticide under W.S. §35-7-374 (d) on or within any building or other real property used by NW BOCES primarily for the education of students, including any property used by NW BOCES for students activities, playground, or residences NW BOCES shall notify students, teachers and staff of the anticipated pesticide application. The Administrative Director or his/her designee shall further distribute a copy of the notice to students, teachers, and staff under his/her supervision at the time the notice is received. The Administrative Director shall ensure that the notices distributed shall be marked with a distribution date, including a distribution date when the notices were distributed to students, teachers and staff and that the notices also include information indicating the date of application, location of application or treatment area, the pest to be controlled, name and type of pesticide to be applied, and a contact for additional information. The NW BOCES shall retain the notices distributed for two (2) years following the application of the pesticide.

The NW BOCES shall, prior to application of the pesticide, contact the applicator and coordinate with the applicator to ensure that signs are posted on the building or property stating the date of the application, the location of the application or treatment area, the name and type of pesticide to be applied, and the contact for additional information. The NW BOCES, upon request, shall provide information on how to obtain additional information on the pesticide. Not less than twelve (12) hours before application of pesticides within school buildings, signs shall be posted at main entrances to school buildings and at entrances to the specific application areas within the buildings. If pesticide application is made outdoors to any area adjacent to a school building or on property used by NW BOCES

for student activities or playgrounds, signs shall be posted immediately adjacent to the treated area and at the entrance to NW BOCES property. The signs shall remain posted for seventy-two (72) hours.

Anti-microbial pesticides, defined by W.S. §35-7-354(d) such as disinfectants and sanitizers used by school employees for cleaning purposes and insect or rodent-bait stations of the type available for home use are exempted from the notification and posting requirements described above.

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