

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 2025

TO: Parents and Staff of Waterbury Public Schools

FROM: Michal Konopka, School Inspector 

SUBJECT: AHERA Compliance

Notification of Asbestos Management Compliance

In accordance with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), appropriate agency has conducted a thorough inspection of the building for asbestos-containing materials. The findings of this inspection, along with the asbestos management plan, are maintained on file in the school's administrative office.

As mandated by the EPA, re-inspections of asbestos-containing materials are conducted every three years. These inspections are performed by accredited asbestos inspectors, and the results are subsequently reviewed by an accredited management planner. The management planner provides recommendations to ensure the continued safe management of asbestos materials within our building.

At present, all asbestos-containing materials in the school are in good condition. Based on the recommendations of the accredited management planner, these materials will continue to be managed in place to maintain safety. Additionally, in compliance with Sections 19a-333-1 through 13 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "Asbestos-Containing Materials in Schools," the condition of identified asbestos-containing materials is inspected every six (6) months to monitor any changes.

The results of these inspections are included in the asbestos management plan, which is available for review in the school's administrative office during normal business hours (Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.). Please note that this notification is provided as required by law and does not indicate the presence of any hazardous conditions within our school building.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at mike.konopka@waterbury.k12.ct.us as the Asbestos Designated Person.
