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IPM Notification Letter for Staff, Parents/Guardians of Students

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Queen Bee School District uses an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach for controlling insects and rodents at all Queen Bee schools and the Administration/Operations Center. The district works with Orkin, a reputable national provider of IPM services for school districts.

The IPM approach is a targeted strategy to make the school buildings and grounds an unfavorable place for pests. Sometimes, it may be necessary to use chemicals to control a pest problem. When chemicals are used, the district will use approved products as recommended by Orkin and the EPA. Notices will be posted at application sites and will remain there until the posted safe re-entry time is met. The district maintains a list of pesticides (Safety Data Sheets SDS) that are used in the school district.

If you have questions, please contact the district's IPM coordinator, **Scott Tamkus**, at **630-260-6126**. Parents(s)/guardian(s) that have requested to be on the notification registry will be notified by the IPM Coordinator at least 72 hours before a pesticide is applied.

Sincerely,
Scott Tamkus
Director of Buildings & Grounds
Queen Bee School District 16