

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF EDGERTON
ANNUAL ASBESTOS NOTIFICATION 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR**

Under *AHERA (Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act)*, all primary and secondary schools are required to develop and implement a plan for managing all building materials which contain asbestos. Included in the *AHERA Act* is the requirement to annually notify all workers and building occupants (or their guardians) of asbestos-related activities.

Beginning in 1988, all buildings owned, leased and/or “under the control of” the District were inspected by EPA accredited inspectors, with building material samples analyzed by an independent laboratory. Based on the inspection, the District prepared and the state approved a comprehensive management plan for managing the asbestos.

Where the asbestos-containing materials are found, the District has in place an Operations and Maintenance Program.

The District has accomplished the following compliance mandates regarding the administration of asbestos in school buildings:

- *Environmental Management Consulting, Inc. (EMC)* is contracted to be the District’s asbestos consultant for the 2019-2020 school year.
- The District is continuing with the Operations and Maintenance Program as designed for the District. This ensures that all asbestos materials are kept in good condition.
- Periodic “surveillance” in each area containing asbestos has been completed every six months by *EMC*.
- Buildings are re-inspected by an accredited inspector every three years. The last three years re-inspection was conducted in August 2018 by *EMC*, another inspection will be completed this year.
- In the past year the District conducted removal of asbestos containing floor tile and mastic from two rooms at the High School (Rooms 213 & 220/224). All asbestos removal was conducted by a certified asbestos abatement company and conducted in accordance with OSHA and EPA requirements.

The District’s goal is to be in full compliance with asbestos regulations. The District’s Asbestos Management Plan is available for review by contacting Jared Tobin. Copies are available at \$.25 per page. Questions related to this plan or any other asbestos concerns should also be directed to Jared Tobin, the District’s Asbestos Designated Person, at (608) 561-6169. All outside contractors shall contact Jared Tobin, the Coordinator of Buildings and Grounds, in person before commencing work.