

Ms. Gena Santharam PRINCIPAL/DIRECTOR OF PUPIL SERVICES

ANNUAL ASBESTOS NOTIFICATION

Dear Parents, Staff, School Board and Community of Richmond School:

As a result of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), schools are required to complete a comprehensive asbestos inspection and develop a management plan for all asbestos-containing building materials (ACBM) present within the school district. In an effort to comply with this regulation, Richmond School District had all buildings initially inspected by an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) accredited inspector, and an independent laboratory analyzed any samples taken. This information was then utilized to develop a comprehensive asbestos management plan.

A comprehensive inspection by an accredited inspector of all ACBM is required every three years, while the periodic six-month surveillance is an additional requirement. The Richmond School District contracted with Environmental Management Consulting, Inc., (EMC) to perform out latest three-year inspection. This report is available for your review, during normal business hours in the school office. Also, copies of this report are available to you for the cost of photocopying.

All ACBM found within Richmond School has been identified, with location and condition assessed. Any areas noted as being in moderate to poor condition will be repaired or removed by the school district. A long-range plan for the management of all ACBM has been developed.

Any questions relating to ACBM presence, or the district's on-going operations and maintenance program, should be directed to the Buildings and Grounds Office of the Richmond School District.

Sincerely,

Ed Blake

Designated Person, Asbestos Report Buildings and Grounds