



NOTIFICATION

TO: TEACHERS, SUPPORT STAFF, AND PARENTS OF STUDENTS

FROM: GENESEO COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT #228

RE: CURRENT STATUS OF ASBESTOS CONTAINING MATERIALS

This is to notify you that the Geneseo Community Unit School District #228 has on file and is following its Management Plan prepared pursuant to the requirements of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA, 40 CFR 763) for the School Facilities.

You should be aware that Asbestos Containing Building Materials are contained in the buildings and that airborne asbestos is a potential health hazard. Many of these materials have been removed in past years under the direction of licensed project managers and abatement contractors. Clearance air samples were taken before occupants were readmitted to the removal areas. Geneseo Middle School, constructed in 1998, was built without any asbestos containing materials, and has been certified as such by the architect.

As part of an ongoing Operations and Maintenance program, the remaining asbestos in the other schools is monitored and maintained in a safe condition. The asbestos which remains in place is in good condition and poses no health problems unless damaged or disturbed. Building maintenance and custodial personnel have been trained to safely maintain asbestos containing materials and be watchful for deteriorating conditions. The buildings are inspected every six (6) months by our "in-house" designated person and every three (3) years by a licensed asbestos inspector.

Copies of the Management Plan and the Operations and Maintenance Plan are available in the Office of each school building and the Maintenance Office. These plans are available for your inspection during normal business hours of the Office (Monday through Friday; 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.) and during other times by special arrangement. We request that appointments be made with us to review such plans. To make arrangements, please contact:

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