

# Emergency Pesticide Use Notification

**Issue Date 12/13/23**

To: Parents/guardians of students, and staff of Readington Middle School

From: The School IPM Coordinator: Don Race, Facilities Manager Phone Number: 908-534-285  
This notice is to advise our that the pesticides were used at Readington Middle School:  
following

Pesticide Common Name TEMPO	Pesticide Trade Name 1% Dust Insecticide (1% Cyfluthrin)	EPA Registration Number 432-1373
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**Location of the pesticide application: Exterior of the building in a storage shed**

**Reason for the pesticide application: Bees and wasps getting into the building and injuring occupants**

**The Date and Time the indoor or outdoor application took place:**

**DATE: 12/14/2023**

**TIME 8:00 am-3:00 pm**

Description of the problem and the factors that qualified the problem as an emergency that threatened the health or safety of a student or staff member:

**Bees are getting into the interior of the building posing a health hazard for those who may have allergies to bee stings.**

If applicable, description of steps to be taken to avoid emergency use of pesticides for this problem in the future:

**Exterior entrances to the building will be sealed to prevent bees entering the building.**

Description of the possible adverse effects of the pesticide(s) as per the Material Safety Data Sheets for the pesticide(s) to be used, if available:

May cause minor eye irritation, non-irritating to skin, brief inhalation not likely to cause adverse effects, low toxicity if swallowed.

Pesticide product label instructions and precautions related to public safety:

Harmful if inhaled, avoid inhaling spray dust, remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse, wash with soap and water after handling product.

Note: as required by law, we are advising you of the following statement:

The Office of Pesticide Programs of the United States Environmental Protection Agency has stated: "Where possible, persons who potentially are sensitive, such as pregnant women, infants, and children, should avoid any unnecessary pesticide exposure.

REMEMBER: Whenever a non-low impact pesticide is used on school property there is also a Restricted Entry Interval (REI) that begins when the pesticide application ends. This Restricted Entry Interval last for seven hours unless the product label uses NUMERIC LANGUAGE, e.g., 4hours or 12 hours; directing a longer or shorter period of time for the product label does not discuss Restricted Entry the period of time defaults to seven (7) hours.