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Dear DPS Parents, Staff, and District Employees:

Pursuant to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act, **AHERA**, 40 CFR 763, Detroit Public Schools is complying with the annual asbestos notification with this publication. Certain construction materials may contain asbestos and are considered Asbestos Containing Building Materials (ACBM).

The Detroit Public Schools Community District continuously monitors the status of known and assumed ACBM throughout its facilities. This is accomplished by conducting six-month periodic surveillances in conjunction with three-year re-inspections of newly identified or remaining ACBM. Based upon these activities, required maintenance or renovation response actions, and abatement of asbestos materials may be necessary.

Asbestos Management Plans (Red Books) are available at each school and /or office building and can be reviewed by interested individuals during normal business hours. Additionally, your school and/or facility Asbestos Management Plan is also available for review during normal business hours at the Department of Environmental Health and Safety (EHS).

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the Department of Environmental Health and Safety at (313) 578-7431.