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Mason Consolidated Schools Asbestos Plan

The following is the overall asbestos plan for Mason Consolidated Schools. This plan is posted to the public and any questions or concerns can be addressed through the Designated Person (Operations Director) for our asbestos program. Mason Consolidated Schools 3-year Inspections are located in each building on campus and can be viewed with a written request to our Designated Person.

Under the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) of 1986, EPA published on October 30, 1987, the Asbestos-Containing Materials in Schools rule (hereinafter referred to as the AHERA rule), 40 CFR Part 763, Subpart E. The AHERA rule became effective on December 14, 1987, and applies to all non-profit elementary and secondary schools nationwide, both public and private. Local Education Agencies (LEAs) are responsible for ensuring compliance with the AHERA rule and are required, among other things, to develop and maintain an up-to-date Asbestos Management Plan (AMP), conduct training, inspections, and sampling related to asbestos, manage asbestos properly and provide yearly notification to parents, teachers and employee organizations about the AMP and any asbestos-related activities.

Mason Consolidated Schools maintains an Asbestos Plan/Program and has it posted on the school website. Mason Consolidated Schools requires training for school personnel who work with or may come in contact with asbestos. Inspections and sampling are done when required within all school buildings. Staff manage asbestos to the best of their ability, and if an outside asbestos contractor is needed, they are brought in to do the work. All asbestos guidelines are used in any disturbed or removed asbestos. Mason Consolidated Schools notifies parent/guardians and staff yearly by posting the information on the school website.

LEAs are also responsible for designating a contact person known as the Designated Person (DP) to oversee asbestos-related activities in the school and ensure that the AHERA responsibilities of the LEA are met. The quality of a school's asbestos program depends heavily upon the dedication



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and work of the DP with the support of the LEA. The LEA and the DP work together to ensure that each school is in compliance with federal, state and local asbestos regulations and that there are no uncontrolled releases of asbestos fibers in the school which could pose a health threat to children and school workers.

Mason Consolidated Schools Designated Person is properly trained, reviews the asbestos inspections/reports, and has staff do monthly visual asbestos inspections. If any issues are identified by the reports and inspections, the Designated Person will take care of the items in a timely manner. All Mason Consolidated Schools administrative and maintenance staff work together to ensure a release that will pose a threat to students or staff does not happen.