

Annual Notification of Asbestos-Containing Building Materials

August 2011

Tahoma School District No. 409 has inspected all school buildings for the presence of suspected asbestos-containing materials in accordance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) EPA 40 CFR 763.

The AHERA Management Plan is available for inspection by the general public at: **Lake Wilderness Elementary; Shadow Lake Elementary; Cedar River Middle School; Tahoma Middle School; Facilities Management Office.**

The plans may be inspected during normal office hours and an appointment should be made. Copies of the plans can be provided at a cost of 14 cents per page.

The Management Plan is a guidance document outlining operational procedures designed for the proper maintenance and safety of all people who work, study, or are otherwise present in any of the following facilities:

Lake Wilderness Elementary; Shadow Lake Elementary; Cedar River Middle School; Tahoma Middle School; Facilities Management Office.

The AHERA (ASBESTOS HAZARD EMERGENCY ACT) program is a Federal Government regulation designed specifically to test, monitor, and regulate asbestos-containing materials in schools and public buildings to maintain safe building conditions. The regulation requires testing for asbestos-containing materials, regular inspections of known asbestos-containing materials to make sure the material is still in good condition, specific regulated and monitored removals, and Plan and training updates. There are some materials that do contain asbestos in some of our school buildings and we strictly follow the AHERA program to maintain these materials in safe conditions.

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