

Public Statement Regarding 2026 Pesticide Applications at Wilson Creek School District

We would like to inform our school community about our planned pesticide applications on school grounds. The safety and well-being of our students, staff, and families remain our highest priority, and we take concerns about environmental health very seriously.

Pesticide treatments are part of our ongoing efforts to maintain a safe and clean learning environment. These applications are intended to address weed infestations in grass, garden beds, and surrounding areas, as well as to prevent the spread of pests that could pose safety risks or cause damage to school property. All products used are selected in accordance with applicable regulations and guidelines, and the application is carried out by licensed professionals following recommended safety procedures.

We recognize that the use of pesticides can raise valid concerns. To minimize any potential risks, applications are scheduled during times when students and staff are not present, and all required waiting periods and safety precautions are strictly observed before re-entry to treated areas.

Moving forward, we are committed to transparency and will continue to use approved chemical treatments as part of our pest management program, ensuring they are applied responsibly and in accordance with all safety regulations.

If you have questions, concerns, or would like more detailed information about the products used or safety measures taken, please contact **Director of Facilities and Grounds, Seth Kukes, at **

(509) 899-0502.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support as we work to maintain a safe and healthy environment for everyone.

Sincerely,
Seth Kukes
Director of Facilities and Grounds
Wilson Creek School District