



STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
MOKULELE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
250 AUPAKA ST.
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HONOLULU, HAWAII 96818

October 24, 2016

Dear Faculty, Staff, Parents, Guardians:

IN 1986, Congress passed the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), which mandated the Asbestos-Containing Materials in School Rule, 40CFR Part 763. It requires all primary and secondary school buildings to be inspected by AHERA credited inspectors and to identify all asbestos-containing building materials. The rule further requires the development of a management plan by an AHERA accredited management planner that is based on the findings of inspection. The management plan outlines our intent in controlling the potential for exposure to asbestos fibers in our school.

In February 2001, Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter 11-502, was adopted by the Hawaii State Legislature. These rules essentially mirror the requirements of the AHERA regulations. In both cases, the rules require the school to notify parents, teachers, and employees of the presence and status of asbestos-containing materials in our school buildings.

The initial inspection of our school was conducted in 1998 and identifies some asbestos-containing materials. Since that time, we continue to conduct periodic surveillance and re-inspections to ensure that the asbestos-containing materials remain in good condition and do not pose a hazard to our students and staff.

A copy of the management plan is on file in the administrative office and is available for your review during our regular school hours.

Should you have any questions, please call the school at (808) 421-4180.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Tovey".

Peter Tovey
Principal, Mokulele Elementary School