BAY AREA AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

PUBLIC NOTICE

June 29, 2022

TO: Parents or guardians of children enrolled at the following school:

Hayward Twin Oaks Montessori School – Elementary Campus

All residential and business neighbors located within 1,000 feet of the proposed new or modified source of air pollution listed below.

FROM: Bay Area Air Quality Management District

RE: Permit Application #30307 for the following source of air pollution:

Golden State Pet Crematorium
Animal Cremator: 250 pounds per hour, 4.25 MMBtu/hr, natural gas fired
2423 Grove Way
Castro Valley, CA 94546

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (the "District") is a local agency that regulates stationary sources of air pollution such as factories, industrial sites, and gasoline stations.

Whenever we receive a permit application for a new or modified source of toxic air contaminants located within 1,000 feet of a school site, State law requires that we notify the public. To comply with this requirement, we distribute or mail a Public Notice to the parents or guardians of students enrolled at schools located within ¼ mile, and all residents and businesses located within 1,000 feet of the proposed source.

You are receiving this Public Notice because a permit application has been filed with the District for the above referenced source of air pollution. A description of the proposed project follows:

Golden State Pet Crematorium has applied for a crematory unit that will be used to cremate animal carcasses.

PRELIMINARY EVALUATION

The District has evaluated the permit application for the proposed project and has made a preliminary determination that the project is expected to comply with all applicable District, state, and federal air quality-related regulations, including the health risks resulting from toxic air contaminant emissions. The preliminary recommendation is to issue a permit for this project. After considering all comments received, the District will make a final determination.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you are interested in getting more information, you may request copies of the District's evaluation report by calling the District at the telephone number listed at the end of this notice. This information is also accessible on the District website at:

http://www.baaqmd.gov/permits/public-notices

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

There is a 30-day period for public response to this proposal. If you wish to comment on the proposed project, you may do so in writing or by email. Alternatively, you may call and leave a telephone message up to one minute in length. Please leave your name and telephone number so that a District staff member may respond to your message.

Please use the following contact information if you would like to comment on the proposed project:

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Engineering Division
375 Beale Street, Suite 600
San Francisco, CA 94105
Attn: Youjin Kim

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The public comment period for this project ends on July 29, 2022