

SB 981

Dear Senator Bartolomeo, and members of the Children Committee:

As an individual member of the Middletown Board of Education I would like to express my individual support for SB 981, extending the prohibition on pesticides beyond k-8 schools and to high school.

Studies have shown the powerful negative effect of pesticides on health of individuals of all ages, but particularly on those who are still experiencing growth.

I'm sure that our students will be better off if we use alternative methods to care for the lawns, gardens and trees which surround our schools.

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