

I am writing to you to oppose SB443, concerning the ban on non-organic pesticides to municipal greens.

We are licensed supervisory / applicator professionals that optimize the use of Integrated Pest Management principals and do not attempt any applications unless a predetermined threshold of the pest has been exceeded. Banning our ability to perform our jobs and provide a safe, satisfactory recreational experience for our customers will be significantly more impactful from many fronts if this bill is passed.

My hope is you gather the important facts and make the right choice, defeating SB433.

Thank you,

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