Public Notice of Application for a Permit to Construct a Source of Hazardous Air Emissions

TO: The parents and/or guardians of children enrolled at:

Faith Christian Elementary,
Faith Christian Junior/High School,
All residential and business neighbors located within 1,000 feet of:
2700 Colusa Hwy Yuba City, CA 95993.

The Feather River Air Quality Management District is a local agency that regulates stationary sources of air pollution such as manufacturing facilities, coating operations, and gasoline stations. State law requires that the Air District must notify the public when it receives a permit application for a new or modified source of toxic air contaminants located within 1,000 feet of a school site. To comply with this requirement, the Air District distributes a Public Notice to the parents or guardians of students enrolled at schools located within 1,000 feet of the proposed source, and all residents and businesses located within 1,000 feet of the proposed source.

A description of the proposed project:

Orchard Machinery Corporation has applied for an Authority to Construct and/or Permit to Operate for an Amada Vents 3015 AJ Fiber Laser Cutter and a Camfill Gold Series X-FLO dust collector. Thermal laser cutting emits air contaminants that include manganese, cadmium, chromium, nickel, lead, and particulate matter. Orchard Machinery Corporation will use the thermal laser cutter to manufacture agricultural equipment parts. The Camfill Gold Series X-FLO dust collector will be used to remove fumes and metal particulates from the thermal laser cutting operation.

The District is currently evaluating the application and hereby invites written public comment in accordance with California Health and Safety Code 42301.6. Written comments must be received 8/7/2020. Please address written comments to:

Christopher D. Brown AICP - Air Pollution Control Officer
Feather River Air Quality Management District
541 Washington Avenue
Yuba City, California 95991

For further information regarding the project, contact Paul Stricklin, Air Quality Engineer, at (530) 634-7659 ext. 212.