




Portland Public Schools
**ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH &
SAFETY UPDATE**
September 27, 2016 Board Presentation

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Agenda

- Recap of Lead Management Status
- Recap of Other Ongoing Environmental Activities
- Environmental Health and Safety Long Term Needs

Lead Management Status

Water Fixture Testing Results "A" Samples*

Cold Water Fixtures	Tested	Elevated Lead ***	% of elevated lead
Drinking Fountains	2,017	243	12%
Other fixtures **	8,786	3,384	39%
All Fixtures	10,803	3,627	34%

* Testing is nearly complete with exception of a few missed during first go around.
**Federal lead standard applies to drinking water and food preparation only – very little if any lead is absorbed through skin so mitigation of these type fixtures will likely be limited.
*** We also tested for copper and a small number of fixtures (3%) recorded elevated levels.

Blood / Lead Screening Results (through 9/26/16)

Multnomah County	Screened	Elevated Level	% of elevated lead
Students	519	2	0.4%
Staff	0	0	0.0%
Subtotal	519	2	0.4%
On Site Clinics (Kadalyst)			
Students	1273	14	1.1%
Staff	658	11	1.7%
Subtotal	1931	25	1.3%
Mail Kits (ZRT)			
Mailed	1565		
Returned	716	1	0.1%
Total Tested	3166	28	0.9%

Note: Subsequent follow up testing by county has reduced number considerably. To date, no notification from county that cause was PPS.

Lead in Water – progress being made

- **Highlights:**
- Fixture testing 99.9% complete
- Blood screening also almost complete
- Bottled water system is working
- Do Not Drink signage added districtwide
- Finalizing phase 1 of water system analysis
- Kitchens back to regular operations October 3rd

Leadin Water Work plan

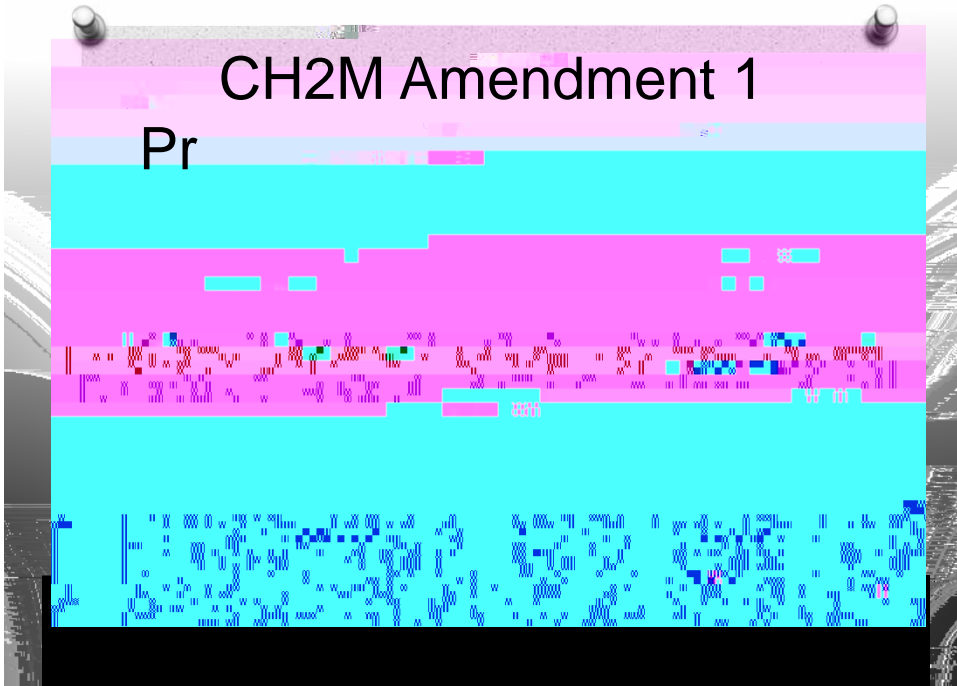
Water	Done	In Progress	To/Do
Cold water fixture testing at all schools	X		
Phase 1 of water consulting analysis	X		
Decommission all drinking fountains / shut valves / remove plastic	X		
Establish bottled water system at all schools	X		
Do Not Drink signage on all non drinking fixture rooms	X		
Additional kitchen sink testing and analysis	X		
Label and release kitchen sinks for operation with flush protocol	X		
Release various career tech. classrooms and gardens		X	
Final water test report along with fixture maps		X	
Analysis of B samples		X	
Phase 2 of water consulting analysis		X	
Measure and release of food fountains			X
Sink fixture replacements			X
Fountain replacements			X

Change to CH2M Consulting Scope

- Changes since original proposal 6/13/16 \$1m:
- 1. Broke into phase 1 and planned phase 2
- 2. Changes and Mostly Reduced Scope
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CH2M Amendment 1

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Lead Paint Management

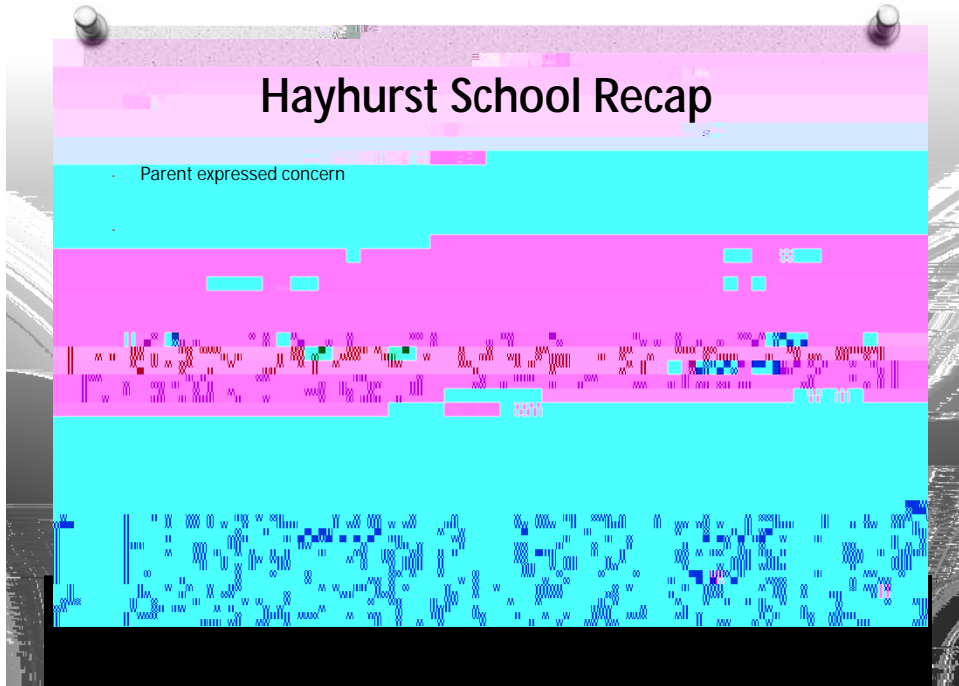
- Paint abatement and encapsulation work completed at around forty schools over summer

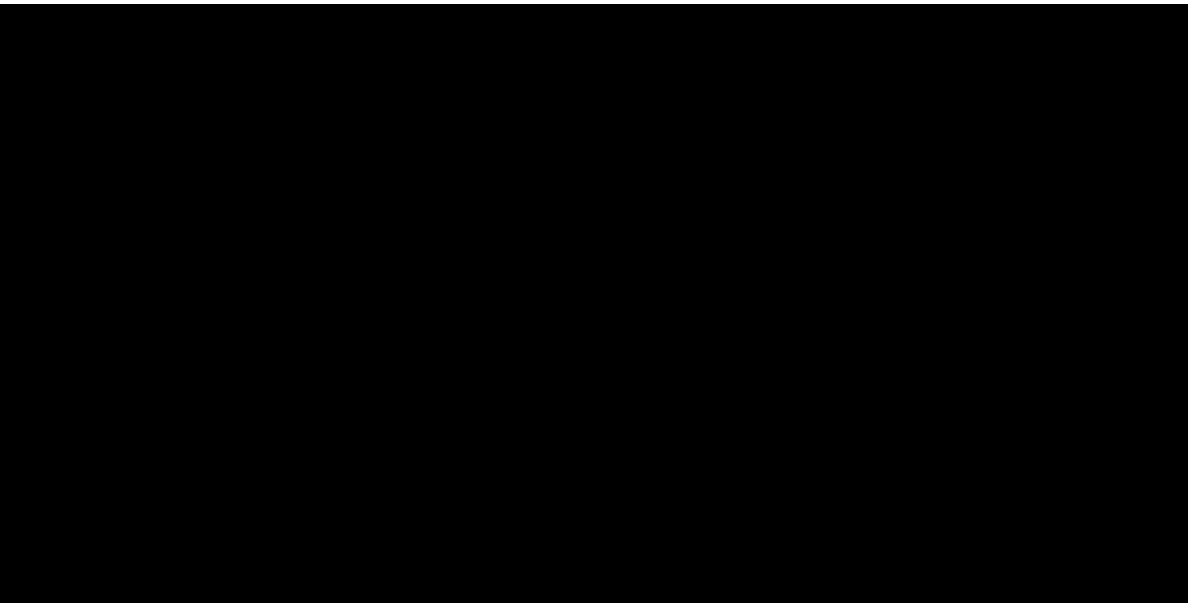
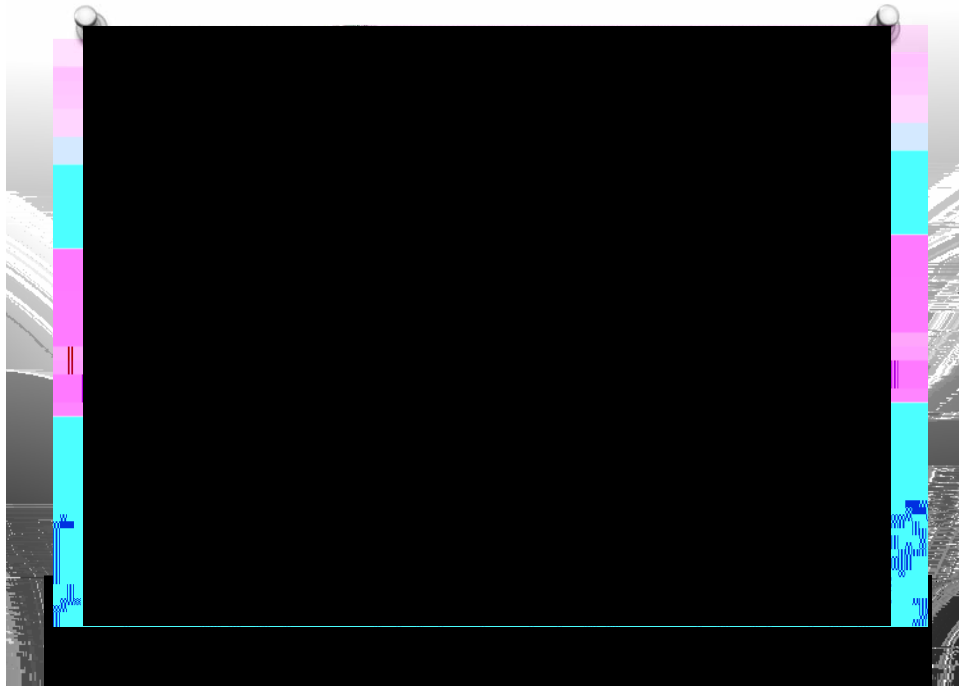
- a) a) Focused on highest risk areas at primary schools
- b) b) Work ongoing during school year on weekends

Contracted with independent, third party to perform site investigations of

Hayhurst School Recap

- Parent expressed concern





Radon Testing

- Radon Plan and results on-line at pps.net/healthyschools

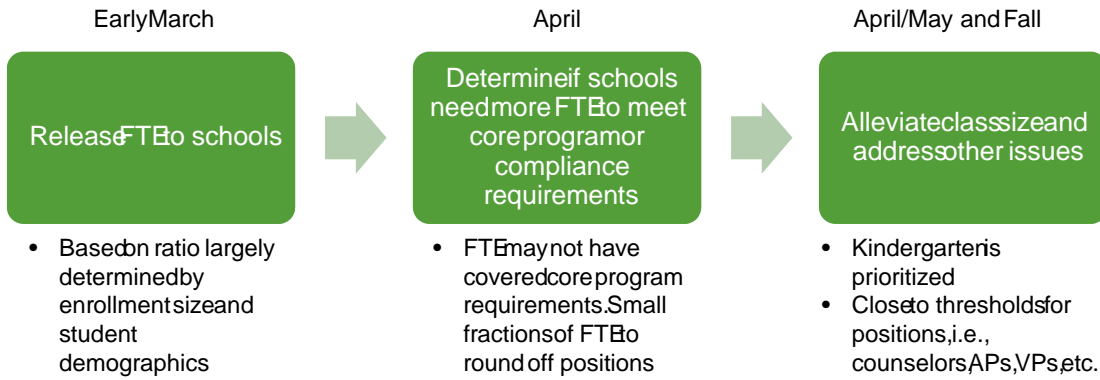
- Testing will be completed ahead of January 1, 2021 OHA requirement

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Staffing Update

SEPTEMBER 27, 2016

Staffing Process Simplified



FTE (Full Time Equivalent) - One FTE is a regular staff position (Administrative, Certified and Classified)

Guidelines for Addressing Class Size K-5

- Kindergarten

- "If average Kindergarten class size exceeds 25 students, then allocation of additional resources



BigPicture

- ReleasedFTEearlier
- Varietyof requestsfor more FTE
- Districtcontextto not createinequality
- NoFTBleft

HighSchoolStaffing

Thereare a variety of factorsthat go into highschoolstaffing, and PP&S staff has

HighSchoolGlidePadSchool

