



COQUITLAM'S PESTICIDE USE CONTROL BYLAW

Since Coquitlam City Council adopted the Pesticide Use Control Bylaw No. 4254 on April 23, 2012, many pesticides can no longer be used for garden and lawn beautification or maintenance on residential and City land, even if they are legally allowed for sale. This Bylaw regulates the use of pesticides on all residential and City-owned land within Coquitlam.

ARE ALL PESTICIDES NOW RESTRICTED?

Most conventional pesticides, including products labeled herbicide, insecticide, fungicide or combined fertilizer/herbicide products (often referred to as “weed and feed”) are now restricted, except:

- Pesticides listed as Permitted on this notice
- Biological pest controls including nematodes, lady beetles and bacterial pesticides such as *Bacillus thuringiensis* or Bt.

HOW DO I KNOW IF A PESTICIDE IS RESTRICTED OR PERMITTED?

Read the label. Common active ingredients in most conventional pesticides, such as 2,4-D, Mecoprop, Dicamba, Glyphosate, Carbaryl and Malathion are now restricted under the Bylaw. However, many safer alternatives are available, effective and exempt from the Bylaw. If the active ingredient of your product is on the **Permitted List** on this notice, it is still allowed by this Bylaw.

WHO DO I CONTACT ABOUT THIS BYLAW?

The City's Pesticide Use Control Bylaw No. 4254 and related information is available on the City's website at www.coquitlam.ca/pesticides. If you have any questions or comments, please call 604-927-3583.

LIST OF PERMITTED PESTICIDES

Approved by the City of Coquitlam's Pesticide Use Control Bylaw No. 4254.

- ✓ Acetic acid
- ✓ Animal repellents except thiram
- ✓ Anti-fouling paints
- ✓ Antisapstain wood preservatives
- ✓ Asphalt solids (pruning paints)
- ✓ *Bacillus thuringiensis kurstaki* (Btk)
- ✓ Bactericides used in petroleum products
- ✓ Boron compounds
- ✓ Boron compounds with up to 5% copper for insect control and wood preservation
- ✓ Capsaicin
- ✓ Cleansers
- ✓ Corn gluten meal
- ✓ D-phenothryn
- ✓ D-trans-allethrin (also referred to as d-cis-trans allethrin)
- ✓ Deodorizers
- ✓ Fatty acids
- ✓ Ferric phosphate
- ✓ Ferrous sulphate
- ✓ Hard surface disinfectants
- ✓ Insect bait stations, pheromones & repellants
- ✓ Laundry additives (eg. borax)
- ✓ Material preservatives
- ✓ Methoprene
- ✓ Mineral oils for insect and mite control
- ✓ N-octyl bicycloheptene dicarboximide
- ✓ Naphthalene for fabric protection
- ✓ Paradichlorobenzene for fabric protection
- ✓ Pesticides in aerosol containers
- ✓ Pesticides registered under the Pest Control Products Act (Canada) for application to pets
- ✓ Piperonyl butoxide
- ✓ Plant growth regulators
- ✓ Polybutene bird repellents
- ✓ Pyrethrins
- ✓ Resmethrin
- ✓ Rotenone
- ✓ Silica aerogel also referred to as silica gel, amorphous silica and amorphous silica gel
- ✓ Silicon dioxide, also referred to as “diatomaceous earth”
- ✓ Slimicides
- ✓ Soaps
- ✓ Sulphur, including lime sulphur, sulphide sulphur and calcium polysulphide
- ✓ Surfactants
- ✓ Swimming pool algicides and bactericides
- ✓ Tetramethrin
- ✓ Wood preservatives

Note: This list is compiled from Schedule 2 “Exempted Pesticides” of the BC Integrated Pest Management Regulation.