

THE COLORADO

Pesticide Network

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A primary concern is notification of pesticide use on public properties .

Page 6 lines 6-18 or Section 35-10-24(3) is a start to assist interested users of public properties to begin to learn what pesticides are used on what properties. To better assist in this effort it would be helpful to modify this section to include the affiliations of the individuals (CO and QS) with their credentialed employer(s).

This may be more of a question than an amendment.

I understand "credentialed" to mean
Licensed and registered

"Licensed" I believe include
licensed private applicators
licensed commercial businesses
licensed certified operators (CO)
qualified supervisors (QS)

"registered" would include
Registered public applicators
Registered limited-commercial applicators

The glitch I perceive is with the CO's and QS's . These licensed individuals can change employers or contracts with employers. These changes can impact their ability to purchase and apply restricted use pesticides. (RUPs)

Licensed commercial businesses, registered and not registered Public Applicators and Limited-Commercial Applicators may employ multiple CO's and QS's. The connection with their credentialed or non-credentialed employers can impact their ability to apply restricted use pesticides.

This variable personal QS, CO ability to use RUPs needs to somehow be addressed in the public listing to serve as an aid for the Licensed Pesticide Retailers as well as the interested public guest, and employees..

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