DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION’S GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR THE STATEWIDE PESTICIDE APPLICATION NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

1. **Improve Equity and Transparency** – Provide communities with equitable access to information about the pesticides used around them.

2. **Support Public Health** – Provide timely information about pesticide applications to enable additional health-protective actions.

3. **Prioritize by Health Impact** – Prioritize notification of pesticide applications that have greater potential to cause health impacts.

4. **Encourage Engagement and Communication** – Encourage regular engagement and communication between growers, pesticide applicators, local government, and nearby communities.

5. **Complement Existing Laws/Regulations** – Complement laws and regulations that govern the safe, legal application of pesticides.