



Crawford County Career & Technical Center

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Dear Parents, Guardians, Teachers, Staff, and Crawford Tech Family:

On March 2, 2026, we sent a letter detailing events related to the old Integrity Auto Building. In that letter, we indicated that we would provide more information once it becomes available. The purpose of this letter is to update you with more information that we've received thus far.

Amark Environmental has conducted several different types of tests at both the Integrity Auto Building as well as Crawford Tech's campus. Those tests were conducted at the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection's request.

The tests indicate that there is no airborne asbestos on Crawford Tech's campus that would be related to any secondary exposure. Any materials that may have contained asbestos, such as uniforms and tools, have been segregated and tested. Out of an abundance of caution, we will be providing new tools and uniforms; however, those items were also tested and did not reveal asbestos exposure. Also, Crawford Tech's classrooms will all be open today.

Further, in consultation with Amark and Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, and out of an abundance of caution, and before any further use of the Integrity Auto Building would continue, Crawford Tech intends to fully abate any actual or potential asbestos issues that remain. **Again, if you have not been contacted by phone as of the date of this letter, we do not believe you or your child has been affected.**

Additionally, further conversations with medical professionals have created an opportunity for all those individuals involved to work with their primary care physician to provide referrals for testing that Crawford Tech will reimburse at its sole expense.

Lastly, Crawford Tech has been in continuous contact with state agencies and educational leaders in Crawford County to collaborate on further informational opportunities on this subject for staff, students, and community members.

As we stated previously, Crawford Tech has always strived to steward your students' time at our institution with great care and will continue to make safety, as well as education, our top priority. Crawford Tech remains committed to protecting your students and our staff to whom we provide services.

As we also stated previously, we appreciate your continued support of Crawford Tech's mission, including its students and staff. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please call me at (814) 724-6024 ext. 200.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Kevin L. Sprong'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end of the last name.

Kevin L. Sprong
Director