FORCE OF NATURE

THE WHOLE TRUTH FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE from National Organization Responding Against HUJE that seek to harm the Green Space Industry (NORAHG)
Exposing Misconceptions About Alleged Risks to Children

Children More Vulnerable
?!?!
Allegations About Children

The Environmental Protection Agency and its enviro allies claim that CHILDREN ARE MORE VULNERABLE TO AIR POLLUTION THAN ADULTS.

REAL DATA, now revealed for the first time, DEBUNKS this notion.

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

On the issue of CHILDREN, U.S. EPA asserts that —

CHILDREN MAY BE MORE VULNERABLE to environmental exposures than adults because:

- Their bodily systems are still developing
- They eat more, drink more, and breathe more in proportion to their body size
- Their behavior can expose them more to chemicals and organisms
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State of California

On the issue of CHILDREN, State of California states that —

[ ... ] there has been an increasing awareness in recent years that CHILDREN MAY BE MORE SUSCEPTIBLE than adults to the harmful effects of air pollutants.

Natural Resources Defense Council ( NRDC )

NRDC is a U.S. Environmental–Terrorist–Organization that ALLEGES 1.3 million members and on–line activists, with the court–room clout and expertise of more than 350 lawyers, scientists and other. Blah ! Blah ! Blah !

On the issue of CHILDREN, Natural Resources Defense Council asserts —

Nearly 37 million CHILDREN live in areas with unhealthy polluted air.
Their developing bodies are MORE SUSCEPTIBLE TO HARM FROM POLLUTION, yet polluters and their allies in Congress have been trying to weaken existing clean air protections.

Environmental Defense Fund (EDF)

EDF is a U.S. Environmental–Terrorist–Organization that CLAIMS to have 700,000 members and activists who work together to protect wildlife, safeguard human health, and combat climate change to make the world a better place. Blah ! Blah ! Blah !

On the issue of CHILDREN, Environmental Defense Fund says —

CHILDREN are ESPECIALLY VULNERABLE to ozone air pollution.

For millions of CHILDREN, high pollution days make it difficult to attend school, to play outside and to simply breathe.
So while regulators, like Environmental Protection Agency and State of California, are careful to say (at least on their web-sites) ... "MAY be more vulnerable"

... on the other hand, the activists simply make the BALD-FACED ASSERTION that CHILDREN ARE MORE VULNERABLE TO AIR POLLUTION.

While neither the EPA nor the enviros offer ANY data to support the notion that children are more vulnerable, we’ve uncovered data that DEBUNK it.

The WORST Air Pollution Episode in U.S. History

In October 1948, the industrial town of DONORA, PENNSYLVANIA, witnessed perhaps THE WORST AIR POLLUTION EPISODE IN U.S. HISTORY.

TWENTY ELDERLY RESIDENTS DIED as a result of the three-day episode.

For three days, an unusual and stifling temperature inversion trapped noxious fumes from local industry in Donora’s valley.
By the time rain finally came to clear away the SMOG, thousands had been affected, hundreds had been sickened, and twenty elderly persons were dead.

The Donora tragedy was a SENTINEL EVENT on the path to the federal Clean Air Act that finally was enacted in 1963.

**Children Substantially LESS Affected Than Adults**

But what about the children of Donora?

What happened to them during the WORST air pollution episode in U.S. history?

Certainly children were not unaffected by the extreme Donora episode, but as can be seen from the 1949 Public Health Service report, **CHILDREN WERE SUBSTANTIALLY LESS AFFECTED THAN ADULTS**.

Only 15.9 per cent of children under 6, 29 per cent of children between ages 6–12, and 27.3 per cent of children between ages 13–19 were affected, as compared to 42.7 per cent of the population as a whole.
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Children LESS AFFECTED Than Adults Is a CONSTANT

That children were LESS AFFECTED than adults is a CONSTANT regardless of the degree of health effect reported (i.e., mild, moderate or severe).

Moreover, the DURATION OF SYMPTOMS in children in Donora was GENERAL-LY LESS THAN OR COMPARABLE TO ADULTS.

As the 1949 Public Health Service report shows, CHILDREN SEEM TO HAVE RECOVERED MORE QUICKLY THAN ADULTS from whatever health effects suffered.

Additionally, the Donora children with PRE–EXISTING HEART AND LUNG PROBLEMS were LESS AFFECTED THAN ADULTS with those same pre-existing conditions.

Could these results be explained by the possibility, or likelihood, that children spend more time indoors than adults, and that indoor air was less polluted than outdoor air — and so children were less exposed to the foul air than adults?

Perhaps, but that is speculation, and the 1949 Public Health Service report does not even allude to the possibility.
Rather, the 1949 Public Health Service report emphasized in the report’s “Summary and Recommendations” section —

“Both incidence and severity [of health effects] revealed a direct relationship with INCREASING AGE.”

So the Donora episode, a severe, real-life air pollution episode that was investigated in detail by the Public Health Service, FAILS TO SHOW THAT CHILDREN ARE MORE VULNERABLE TO AIR POLLUTION.

That beats whatever the EPA and the enviros have offered so far.
Children that are MORE vulnerable to pest control products is a MYTH!

ENVIRO–LUNATICS

WRONG

ABOUT CHILDREN
**Exposing Misconceptions About Alleged Risks to Children**

**WEASEL-Words and TERROR-Talk**

Environmental-Lunatic-Activists use lots of «WEASEL-Words and TERROR-Talk».

This gives them a great deal of wiggle room, because they never come out and definitively state that things are factual.

Did it ever occur to anyone that Enviro-Lunatic-Activists DO NOT KNOW WHAT THEY ARE TALKING ABOUT?!?!

Enviro-Lunatic-Activists CAN ONLY GUESS since they have NO TRAINING AND NO BACKGROUND in matters concerning issues like pest control products.

Furthermore, Enviro-Lunatic-Activists have NO recognized expertise, training, or background in matters concerning pest control products.

Overall, the opinions of Enviro-Lunatic-Activists are TOTALLY VALUELESS AND UTTERLY WORTHLESS in matters concerning pest control products.

Enviro-Lunatics have compensated for their lack of expertise by frequently resorting to MYTHS, DECEPTIONS, FEAR-MONGERING, FRAUDULENT LIES, MISCONCEPTIONS, COERCION, THREATS, TERROR, and PARANOID CONSPIRACIES about pest control products.
Here are some examples of Enviro–Lunatic « Weasel–Words and Terror–Talk » that are DESIGNED AND DOCTORED TO DESPICABLY SPREAD NEEDLESS HYSTERIA, FEAR, PARANOIA, and TERROR throughout an unsuspecting society —

« Children are at risk » — Wrong !
« Children more highly exposed » — Wrong !
« Children more vulnerable » — Wrong !

Enviro–Lunatics heard using the above HOLLOW and DESPICABLE expressions DO NOT KNOW WHAT THEY ARE TALKING ABOUT !

Enviro–Lunatics and their Environmental–Terrorist–Organizations have been MOSTLY WRONG, and MALICIOUSLY ALARMIST, as well as DECEPTIVE, for almost one–half century now !

WRONG FOR ALMOST 50 YEARS !

Furthermore, Enviro–Lunatic–Activists and their Environmental–Terrorist–Organizations are WRONG about conventional PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS !

And they are WRONG ABOUT CHILDREN !
Children and Pest Control Products

Anti-Pesticide Activists SCAM and DECEIVE the public by blurtling out HOLLOW and DESPICABLY–ALARMIST expressions like « children at risk » and « serious illness » and « cancer » and « birth defects »!

Anti-Pesticide Activists compare the use of pest control products with Russian Roulette, and suggest we should protect the lives of those we love.

ALLEGATIONS about the IMAGINARY DANGER TO CHILDREN are TOTALLY FALSE, and are UNTRUE MIS–REPRESENTATIONS designed to ALARM AND ENRAGE the public for MONEY AND PROFIT given to Anti–Pesticide Organizations.

The ASSESSMENT of pest control products takes into consideration sensitive groups, such as CHILDREN, as well as INFANTS and PREGNANT WOMEN.

CHILDREN’s physiology, behaviours and habits WHILE PLAYING ON TREATED GRASS are also CONSIDERED when determining the safety of pest control products.

EXTRA SAFETY FACTORS are applied to protect CHILDREN, as well as INFANTS and PREGNANT WOMEN.

Pest control product applications cause NO HARM TO CHILDREN.

Pest control products cause NO HARM, including chronic effects such as CANCER.

Moreover, pest control products are applied at VERY LOW DOSES, and DO NOT PRESENT A CONCERN to humans, and even CHILDREN.
Pest control product applications DO NOT HARM CHILDREN!

Prohibition NOT Necessary

Any PROHIBITION of pest control products is NOT JUSTIFIED because STRICT REGULATIONS BASED ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH ALREADY PROTECT OUR HEALTH and OUR ENVIRONMENT.

Incredibly, some jurisdictions ARBITRARILY PROHIBIT pest control products that are, in fact, ...

- Health–Canada–Approved,
- Federally–Legal,
- Safe For Children *
- Scientifically–Safe, and
- Practically–Non–Toxic.

* Except when stored improperly in the home.
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Since April 1st, 1996, JunkScience.com has had a discernible impact in the fight against junk science and garnered numerous awards, including being named...

- Hot Pick by Science
- Leading Debunker of global warming by Rolling Stone magazine
- One of the 50 Best Web Sites by Popular Science
- Top Resource and one of the Most Popular health news websites by Yahoo!

Mr. Milloy’s columns and op-ed pieces have appeared in the Wall Street Journal, USA Today, Financial Times, and Los Angeles Times.

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- CNBC’s Kudlow & Co. and SquawkBox
- CNN’s Crossfire and Talk Back Live
- CNNfn, the financial network
- CNN International’s Insight
- Comedy Central’s The Daily Show
- MSNBC’s News with Brian Williams
- National Public Radio’s Talk of the Nation
- The G. Gordon Liddy Show

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In the 9/11 Era of Environmental–Terror, at least ONE MALICIOUS ACT OF TERROISM is Perpetrated EVERY SINGLE DAY by Environmental–Lunatics.

National Organization Responding Against HUJE that seeks to harm the Green Space Industry / NORAHG is a NATIONAL NON–PROFIT, NON–PARTISAN organization representing RESPECTED EXPERTS who promote PESTICIDE REALISM — scientific research PROVES that pest control products cause NO HARM and can be USED SAFELY.

HUJE are ANTI–PESTICIDE ACTIVISTS and LAWN HATERS, and they particularly DESPISE the Golf Industry. They are Hateful Un–PROVES that pest control products cause NO HARM and can be USED SAFELY.

PROFIT NON–PARTISAN organization representing RESPECTED EXPERTS who promote PESTICIDE REALISM — scientific research has identified on the basis of statements, activities, affiliations, and whereabouts.

NORAHG also produces FORCE OF NATURE, reports that present THE WHOLE TRUTH FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE about Environmental Issues, including Anti Pesticide Terrorism.

FORCE OF NATURE is a series of reports destined for the green space industry, the environmental terrorist movement, government, and the media, nationwide across Canada, the United States, and overseas.

NORAHG also produces A LOOK AT, is a series of reports providing TECHNICAL INFORMATION on issues such as Career Management, Golf Course Maintenance, Green Alternatives, Summer Stress, Turfgrass Pests, and Turfgrass Species.

The information presented in FORCE OF NATURE has been developed for the education and entertainment of the reader by providing a sequence of events WITH COMMENTARY, striving for accuracy in history, politics, and science.

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FORCE OF NATURE and its various incarnations, was the brainchild of William H. Gathercole (now retired) and his colleagues.

Here is a brief summary of Mr. Gathercole’s career —

Fields of study — Horticulture/Agriculture, Mathematics, Physics

Alma mater — McGill University • University of Guelph • first person ever to obtain university degrees and contribute to both the professional lawn care and golf maintenance industries

Expertise in — environmental issues and environmental terrorism • turf and ornamental maintenance and troubleshooting • history of the industry • sales and distribution of seeds, chemicals, fertilizers, and equipment • fertilizer manufacturing

Notable activities — worked in virtually all aspects of the green space industry, including golf, professional lawn care, distribution, environmental compliance, government negotiations, public affairs, and workplace safety • supervisor, consultant, and, programmer for the successful execution of hundreds of thousands of management operations in the golf and urban landscape, as well as millions of pest control applications • advisor, instructor, and trainer for thousands of turf and ornamental managers and technicians • pesticide certification instructor for thousands of industry workers • founder of the modern professional lawn care industry • prolific writer for industry publications and e–newsletters • first to confirm the invasion of European Chafer insects in both the Montreal region and the Vancouver/Fraser Valley region • with Dr. Peter Dernoeden, confirmed the presence of Take–All Patch as a disease of turf in Eastern Canada • with Dr. David Shetler, confirmed the presence of Kentucky Bluegrass Scale as an insect pest in South–Western Ontario, and later, in the Montreal and Vancouver regions.

Special contributions — creator of the exception status that has allowed the golf industry to avoid being subjected to the prohibitions of pest control products • creator of the signs that are now used for posting after application • co–founder of annual winter convention for Quebec golf course superintendent • the major influence in the decision by Canadian Cancer Society to stop selling for profit pesticide treated daffodils • the only true reliable witness who intervened in the development of prohibition in the town of Hudson, Quebec • retired founder of FORCE OF NATURE and A LOOK AT e–newsletters

Notable awards — man of the year for contributions leading to the successful founding of Quebec professional lawn care industry, which served as a beacon–head against activism in the 1990s and 1990s.

Legacy — Mr. Gathercole and his colleagues designed and implemented strategies that reigned environmental activists to provide peace and prosperity for the entire modern green space industry across Canada • orchestrated legal action against activists in the town of Hudson, Quebec • launched the largest early professional lawn care business in Canada • quadrupled the business revenues of one of the largest suppliers in Canada.

Mr. Gathercole is now retired, although his name continues to appear as founder of FORCE OF NATURE and A LOOK AT e–newsletters.
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