

**Marin County IPM Program  
Application for Limited Use and Notification Exemption**

Person Requesting: Jon Wright Date: 01-12-2010

Department: Department of Public Works Phone: 415-499-6576

Proposed Material: Max Force Roach Gel Bait EPA Reg Number: 432-1259

Active Ingredient: Fipronil Amount of Material Needed: According to Label

Location of Proposed Use: Marin County Civic Center Café and other facilities in need of cockroach control services.

Reason why Restricted:\* possible carcinogen

Reason for Need: Roach infestations routinely invade county facilities often being brought in on boxes delivered to various departments. Fipronil has a higher acceptance and efficacy rate than most products available. As monitoring take place there is a need to have available a leave behind product for cockroaches to feed on. With out an effective product in place cockroach population may rise considerably effective public health.

Options/Alternatives Sanitation and cleaning is the first choice. Mechanical eradication such as vacuum etc. services will be utilized by pest control provider. Trapping within monitoring stations will provide limited eradication.

Plan to Preclude Future Use: Regularly evaluate alternatives. Follow recommendations to reduce harborage and food available to cockroaches and establishing break down areas for boxes being delivered.

Time Period Needed: Until an Approved Pesticide List is adopted containing the above product on the Special Needs List.

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 Request Approved,  Request Denied

[Signature]  
Ed Hulme, IPM Coordinator

1/21/10  
Date

\*Materials restricted by Marin County IPM Ordinance (Marin County Code Chapter 23.19) are Category I/II materials, materials listed as per Proposition 65,



or any material classified by USEPA as a human carcinogen, probable or possible human carcinogen, reproductive toxin or developmental toxin. The complete list of Proposition 65 chemicals is available at:

[http://www.oehha.ca.gov/prop65/prop65\\_list/Newlist.html#files](http://www.oehha.ca.gov/prop65/prop65_list/Newlist.html#files)

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<http://www.epa.gov/iris/search.htm>