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PESTICIDES _____ after 7:00PM.

(day & date) WEATHER PERMITTING

Who is at higher risk for adverse effects from the pesticide?

Children, pregnant women, the immune-compromised, people with chemical sensitivities, allergies, asthma, and respiratory problems

Precautions: Stay inside 30 minutes minimum & close up house, bring in pets, water bowls, children's toys, & cover fish ponds. **See full list of precautions, possible symptoms for Anvil 2+2 and their treatments at nospraynashville.org.** (Some symptoms are: respiratory irritation, sore throat, head ache, burning eyes, nausea, cramps and vomiting.)

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- **Get on the NO SPRAY LIST** call 340-5653 to OPT OUT or see our website for how to do it on-line. (You must opt out every year.)
- **Buy a NO SPRAY SIGN** at The Wood Trush Shop 6029 Highway 100, 356-7640 or at other locations listed on the web site below.

IF YOU EXPERIENCE SYMPTOMS:

1. Call Poison Control 936-2034 or your physician.
2. Refer to nospraynashville.org to read about what to do in a spraying emergency, download the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), and print out an incident report. Contact nospraynashville@earthlink.net or 327-8515 to help us make a record of the problems citizens have experienced

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