

## NEW MILFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Under the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act *(ESEA)*, as amended by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)*, public high schools must give the names, addresses and telephone numbers of students to military recruiters, college/university recruiters and prospective employers if the recruiters request the information (*ESSA*, Title VIII, §8528). However, students or their parents have the right to instruct the school in writing that this information is not to be released.

If you do not consent to the release of this information to 1) military recruiters, 2) colleges/university recruiters and/or 3) prospective employers, please check the appropriate box or boxes below. To be certain your wishes are respected, return this form to the Guidance Department at NMHS, by the last week of October.

Very truly yours,

Michael A. Polizzi Superintendent of Schools

To the Guidance Department, New Milford High School:

- DO NOT release student contact information to Military Recruiters.
- DO NOT release student contact information to College/University Recruiters.
- DO NOT release student contact information to prospective employers.

Student's Name (please print)

Student's Name (please print)

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)

Signature of Student or Parent/Guardian\*\*\*

Date of Signature

\*\*\* Students have the right to request that their contact information not be released to recruiters. Parents can override a child's decision by notifying the school in writing, <u>only</u> if the student is under age 18. We encourage parents and students to discuss this information.