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## FUMIGATION TIME LINE

**PREP DAY:** \_\_\_\_\_ A technician from GPS, Inc. will come by the property we are fumigating and collect the signed paperwork, payment, an extra set of keys (**DO NOT** give us the original set) and answer any questions regarding the fumigation process and/or preparations.

**UP DAY:** \_\_\_\_\_ The property needs to be ready for fumigation, and you need to be vacated from the premises by **8am**. The fumigation crew will arrive at your property **ANYTIME AFTER 8am**. Arrival time will not affect the day or time you will be able to enter the premises.

**DOWN DAY:** \_\_\_\_\_ The crew will arrive 18-24 hours **AFTER** they put the tarp on the home to remove the tarp. **PER the VIKANE LABEL:** a property only needs to have 18-24 for a sufficient eradication.

**CLEAR DAY:** \_\_\_\_\_ Welcome home! **Your property will be available by 6pm on this day.** It is very possible it could be done sooner. Please feel free to drive by the property and check your front door for a **CLEARANCE NOTICE**. If it has not been posted, the property is not safe for occupancy, **DO NOT ATTEMPT TO ENTER**. We cannot schedule a time for clearance.

## EXTERIOR FUMIGATION REQUIREMENTS

The following exterior requirements must be done for a house/building to successfully be fumigated. An airtight seal is best obtained in damp wet soil/sand/ or grass, or any hard smooth surface like concrete, asphalt or cement. It is the customer's responsibility to ensure that the below listed requirements are accomplished before the fumigation prep is scheduled.

- **All plants, flowers, bushes, hedges, gravel, leaves, rocks, mulch & exposed roots MUST BE REMOVED A MINIMUM of 18 inches from the house / building to be fumigated.**
- This 18 inch area must be **TOTALLY FREE** of the plant and items mentioned in #1 or a proper seal cannot be obtained. These areas where the tarp will meet the ground must be prepared so our fume crew can work 'hands on' to obtain the necessary connection to the ground in order to make an airtight and successful seal.
- Failure to follow the seal area guidelines will result in hedges, planters, bushes, trees, shrubs, etc... getting covered with the fumigation tarp. The chances of these bushes /plants, hedges, etc....surviving the fumigation are not likely.
- Tree limbs must be cut away from the area where the work is to be performed and where the tarp will be draped to the ground. Loose limbs & branches must be removed from roofs.
- Fences must be unattached from the house/building and there must be at least 1.5 inches of space between the fence post and the structure. This space will allow the tarp to fit between the fence & house/building so we can seal it on the ground. **NOTE:** If there is a gate that is within 2 feet of the building being fumigated, the tarp can go through that opening instead.
- All clutter, trash, wood piles, bricks, grills, yard furniture, boats, etc.....must be moved at least three feet from the building being fumigated.
- Pet feces or any other unsanitary waste must be picked up prior to the fumigation job. Geiger's employees must spread their tarps out when they come down, then fold & roll them for transport...Geiger's will not jeopardize the health of our employees working in unsanitary areas.
- Window awnings must be lowered or they may collapse from the weight of the tarp. We do realize that some awnings are installed permanently and therefore they cannot be lowered; in this case, the customer accepts responsibility on awnings that are deployed during fumigation.
- Exterior light bulbs (flood / motion detection/ security lights, etc...) must be removed before the fumigation.

If you have a contracted lawn/yard maintenance service, it is highly recommended that **YOU** let them **PERSONALLY KNOW** these requirements for fumigation. Most lawn/yard service contractors do not know the requirements that are needed for fumigation, therefore some homeowners find that they have to personally do the 'prep work' again they just paid for! Check their work before they leave!

Service Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Customer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Please contact \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ with any questions.**