Step by Step Check Sheet for Pesticide Applications

☐ Training and training records for pesticide handlers

☐ Respiratory Program (when applicable)
  ☐ Medical evaluation/examination, once approved
  ☐ Fit tested
  ☐ Training on the use and maintenance of respirators
  ☐ Voluntary use posting (when applicable)

☐ Review pesticide product label
  ☐ Personal protective equipment (PPE)
  ☐ Crop/rate
  ☐ Restricted Entry Interval (REI)
  ☐ Pre harvest interval (PHI)

☐ Posting Signs
  ☐ Hazard Communication
  ☐ Emergency medical care contact information

☐ Application Log Form/SDS
  ☐ Filled out

☐ REI posting sign (if applicable)
  ☐ If the label requires posting
  ☐ REI is greater that 48 hours (field) / 4 hours (greenhouse)

☐ Decontamination Supplies
  ☐ Water – 3 gallons per pesticide handlers
  ☐ Soap
  ☐ Single use towels
  ☐ Eyewash
    ▪ 1 pint for emergencies
    ▪ 6 gallons at 0.4 gals/min at the mix and load site
    ▪ Change of coveralls

☐ Application Preparation
  ☐ Proper PPE worn
  ☐ Proper measuring supplies
  ☐ Spray application equipment safe for operation
  ☐ Communicate application will be starting to workers in that area and for them to stay out of field

☐ Pesticide Application
  ☐ Mix and load the pesticide
    ▪ Use measuring supplies
    ▪ Triple rinse the container and pour rinsate into the tank
  ☐ Ensure no one is in the AEZ, stop applying if some enters the AEZ
  ☐ Apply according to the label instructions
  ☐ Stop applying if conditions change that may cause drift
    ▪ Like wind, rain, equipment leak
  ☐ Lock up unused pesticides

☐ Clean-Up
  ☐ Rinse out the application equipment and put away
  ☐ Wash and remove PPE
  ☐ Store PPE in an area free from pesticide contamination once it is clean and dry
  ☐ Dispose of PPE if …
    ▪ It cannot be cleaned
    ▪ Respirator cartridge/filter has been used more than 8 hours
    ▪ PPE is damaged