Notification

Mosquito control is everyone’s responsibility; please do your part by preventing mosquitoes from inhabiting your property. For more information on mosquitoes & mosquito control, contact the Essex County Public Works Department Division of Environmental Affairs program at 973-239-3366 ext 2480 or visit our website at http://ecdpw.org/division_of_environmental_affairs.php

In compliance with section 9.10 & 9.15 of the New Jersey Pesticide Control Code (N.J.A.C. Title 7, Chapter 30) the Essex County Division of Environmental Affairs may be applying pesticides for the control of mosquito populations on an area-wide basis as needed throughout Essex County during the period of April 1, 2017 through November 30, 2017.

The pesticides used for the control of adult mosquitoes may include: resmethrin & piperonyl butoxide (Scourge), etofenprox (Zenivex), permethrin & piperonyl butoxide (Aqua-Reslin), prallethrin, sumithrin, and piperonyl butoxide (Duet), sumithrin and piperonyl butoxide (Anvil) or malathion (Fyfanon). Products will be applied from the ground by truck or handheld equipment and/or by aircraft, using Low Volume or Ultra-Low Volume techniques. All applications will be made according the product labeling.

For emergencies, contact the New Jersey Poison Information and Education System at 1-800-222-1222. For routine pesticide-related health inquiries and to obtain information about signs and symptoms of pesticide exposure, contact the National Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-858-7378. For pesticide regulation information, pesticide complaints and health referrals, contact the New Jersey Pesticide Control Program at 1-609-530-4070.

Upon request the Essex County Division of Environmental Affairs shall provide a resident with notification at least 12 hours prior to the application; except for quarantine or vector control conditions which may necessitate pesticide applications sooner than that time.

Those seeking further information regarding Essex County Division of Environmental Affairs activities are urged to contact:

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   Cedar Grove, New Jersey 07009