

San Joaquin  
County  
Mosquito &  
Vector Control  
District



7759 S. Airport Way  
Stockton, CA 95206

Request for Service  
209.982.4675 or  
1.800.300.4675

**Fight The Bite!**

>Dump & Drain  
standing Water

>Dusk & Dawn are  
when mosquitoes  
that carry WNV are  
most active.

>DEET is an  
effective ingredient  
to look for in insect  
repellents

# News Alert

For Immediate Release  
July 27, 2010  
NR10-10

John Stroh, Manager  
(209) 982-4675  
After Hours (209) 327-1461

Aaron Devencenzi  
Public Information Officer  
Office: (209) 982-4675

## ADDITIONAL SPRAY AREA FOR ADULT MOSQUITO CONTROL

(STOCKTON, CA) – In response to increased adult mosquito populations and the detection of West Nile virus in several areas of San Joaquin County, the San Joaquin County Mosquito and Vector Control District (District) is preparing to conduct ground spraying for adult mosquito control.

The District will continue to implement the California Mosquito-Borne Virus Surveillance and Response Plan to protect public health and welfare. Spray locations and times will normally be available 24 hours in advance. **People can access spray information and spray schedules by calling the District at (209) 982-4675 or toll-free at 1-800-300-4675 during business hours from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 a.m., Monday through Friday or by visiting the District's website online at [www.sjmosquito.org](http://www.sjmosquito.org).**

Due to increased adult mosquito populations and/or detection of West Nile virus, the following area is scheduled for spraying:

**Ground spraying for adult mosquito control using MGK Pyrocide 7396 or Evergreen 60-6 is scheduled for the morning of Thursday July 29, 2010, between 4:00 a.m. – 6:00 a.m. or the morning of Friday July 30, 2010 between 4:00 a.m. – 6:00 a.m.**

- **Brookside - Stockton** > North to Fourteen Mile Slough, > South to March Ln., > East to Feather River Dr., > West to Ten Mile Slough

Spraying for adult mosquitoes is done near sunset or sunrise with trucks and airplanes when mosquitoes are most active. The District will be using sprayers that apply a very fine mist of material that kills adult mosquitoes on contact. Control operations are contingent upon favorable weather conditions and if canceled, will **typically be rescheduled to the following morning or evening.**

2010 update on West Nile virus activity for San Joaquin County: 5 dead birds, 8 mosquito samples, 0 horses and 0 sentinel chickens have tested West Nile virus positive.

To request District service, call (209) 982-4675, 1-800-300-4675 or visit the District website at [www.sjmosquito.org](http://www.sjmosquito.org)

For more information about mosquito control and WNV:

- California West Nile virus information and to report dead birds and squirrels: Call toll-free at 1-877-968-2473, or California Website: [www.westnile.ca.gov](http://www.westnile.ca.gov)
- San Joaquin County Public Health website: <http://www.sjcphs.org/emprep/WestNileVirus.htm>

####