

NEWS ADVISORY

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FOGGING FOR MOSQUITOES TO BE CONDUCTED IN ANTIOCH AND BRENTWOOD TOMORROW

-Current conditions indicate higher risk for West Nile virus transmission-

WHAT/WHY: Due to the high number of mosquitoes and the detection of West Nile virus in the area, the Contra Costa Mosquito & Vector Control District will be fogging by truck to control adult mosquitoes.

WHEN: Wednesday, August 6, 2008. Fogging will take place between dusk (approximately 8:15 p.m.) and midnight, weather permitting.

WHERE: Antioch (2 areas) and Brentwood (1 area):

Antioch:

- 1. Area bordered by Ridgerock Drive and Boulder Drive to the north, Rocky Point Drive and Eagleridge Drive to the east, and Lone Tree Drive to the southwest.
- 2. Area bordered by Gentrytown Drive to the west, Morton Way and South Francisco Way and Gatter Drive to the north, and G Street to the east; Contra Loma Regional Park and the Contra Costa Canal to the south.

Brentwood:

1. Area bordered by Sand Creek Parkway to the north, Brentwood City limits to the east, 2nd Street and Oak Street to the south, Hwy 4 to the west.

TREATMENT will be made with truck-mounted ultra-low-volume equipment using Pyrenone 25-5 Public Health Insecticide (pyrethrin) applied at a rate of 0.75 ounces per acre.

ACTION REQUIRED BY RESIDENTS: None. All products used are registered with the Environmental Protection Agency for the use of controlling mosquitoes and protecting public health.

MAPS/INFO: Visit the District's Web site to see maps of areas to be fogged/sprayed, as well as information on all West Nile virus activity/cases in Contra Costa County.

MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES: On the District's Web site's media page.