



NEWS ADVISORY

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FOGGING FOR MOSQUITOES TO BE CONDUCTED MONDAY IN TWO AREAS IN PITTSBURG

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: Monday, October 20, 2008. Fogging will take place between dusk (approximately 6:25 p.m.) and 9:30 p.m., weather permitting.

WHERE: Pittsburg

1) The area bordered by Crestview Drive on the east, Alta Vista Circle and the southern edge of the Stoneman Park on the south, Jacqueline Drive on the west and Highway 4 on the north.

2) The area bordered by Railroad Avenue on the east, Parkside Drive on the south, Poinsettia Avenue, Willow Creek on the north to the north-south city limits boundary of Pittsburg, along the shore to the Pittsburg Marina on the northside.

TREATMENT will be made with truck-mounted ultra-low-volume equipment using [Pyrenone 25-5](#) at a rate of .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: Visit the District Web site's [media page](#).