

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## TOWN OF NEWINGTON

### Mosquito Control

Mosquito Control begins the week of April 13, 2020 in the Town of Newington. Crews from Dragon Mosquito Control, Inc. will be checking swamps, marshes, woodland pools, ditches, storm drains and other shallow, stagnant water for mosquito larvae. When mosquitoes are found, the following insecticides may be used:

VectoBac (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis 2.8%)  
Natular (spinosad 2.5%)  
Fourstar MBG (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis 3.0% & Bacillus sphaericus 3.0%)  
VectoMax FG (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis 4.5% & Bacillus sphaericus 2.7%)  
CocoBear MLO (mineral oil 10%)  
BVA 2 Mosquito Larvicide Oil (mineral oil 97%)

A truck mounted sprayer will disperse Duet (sumithrin & prallethrin) or Merus 3.0 (pyrethrins) along roadways and private properties (unless property owner notifies town otherwise). Road spraying may begin in June and continue into October as necessary. It is not possible to predict the schedule for road spraying in advance. The spray schedule is based upon mosquito surveillance data, disease test results and weather conditions.

If Eastern Equine Encephalitis, Jamestown Canyon Virus or West Nile Virus is found in or near Newington, then emergency spraying may be conducted using one or more of the following products:

Bifen I/T (bifenthrin 7.9%)	Flit (permethrin 10.0%)
Cross Check Plus (bifenthrin 7.9%)	Merus 3.0 (pyrethrins 5.0%)
Duet (sumithrin 5.0% & prallethrin 1.0%)	

Tick spray treatments are planned at the following locations:

Newington Public School	Town Hall
Police Station	Fire Station
Tennis Courts	Ball Field
Town Garage	Fox Point
South Newington Basketball Court	Old Town Hall
Old School	Carter's Rocks Park
Cemetery	Recreation Area
Transfer Station	Library

Emergency spraying may also occur at the above locations. It is not possible to predict if emergency spraying will be necessary. Disease activity occurs later in the summer. A decision to conduct emergency spraying would be made in consultation with Newington Town Officials. Further communication will be given if this action is required.

Residents who do not want their property sprayed may use our No-Spray Registry online at [www.dragonmosquito.com/no-spray-registry](http://www.dragonmosquito.com/no-spray-registry), call the Town Hall (436-7640) or write to Dragon Mosquito Control, Inc., P.O. Box 46, Stratham, NH 03885. Be sure to include your name, physical address, phone number, the color of your house and acreage or road frontage.

If you have wetlands on your property and you would like us to check it for mosquito activity, email us at [Help@DragonMosquito.com](mailto:Help@DragonMosquito.com), call us at 734-4144 or contact us through our website at [DragonMosquito.com](http://DragonMosquito.com) and request a survey through the contact link. There is no charge for this service. Contact us for more information on spray dates, location, materials used, precautions or other concerns.