

# PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT

## Bingham County Mosquito Abatement - 2026 Mosquito Surveillance and Control Activities

### Purpose of Notice

The Bingham County Mosquito Abatement Board hereby provides notice to residents, landowners, agricultural operators, public agencies, and other interested members of the public of its intent to conduct mosquito surveillance and mosquito control activities during the 2026 mosquito season within Bingham County, Idaho. This notice informs the public that mosquito monitoring and control activities may occur as needed to reduce mosquito populations, protect public health, and reduce the risk of mosquito-borne disease, including West Nile virus.

### Area Covered

Activities may occur within Bingham County and may include public rights-of-way, drainage areas, standing-water habitats, flood-irrigated areas, roadside ditches, canals, wetlands, retention areas, nuisance mosquito complaint locations, and other mosquito-producing sites where access is authorized or treatment is otherwise permitted by law.

### Planned Activities

<b>Surveillance</b>	Mosquito trapping, species identification, field inspections, larval dipping, and monitoring of known or suspected mosquito-producing habitats.
<b>Larval Control</b>	Larvicide applications to breeding habitats when larvae or pupae are present or when conditions indicate likely mosquito production. Products may include Bti, pupal-control oils, insect growth regulators, or equivalent products approved for mosquito control.
<b>Adult Control</b>	Truck-mounted ULV adulticide applications may be conducted when surveillance data, mosquito abundance, disease risk, public health concerns, or service requests indicate treatment is warranted.
<b>Service Requests</b>	Program staff may respond to mosquito complaints, inspect reported problem areas, and conduct treatment where appropriate.

### Application Timing

Mosquito control activities are expected to occur from spring through fall, with the highest activity typically occurring during periods of warm weather, irrigation, flooding, standing water, and increased mosquito production. Adult mosquito control, when necessary, is generally conducted during evening, nighttime, or early morning hours when conditions are appropriate and mosquitoes are most active.

### Public Health and Environmental Considerations

The program will use an Integrated Pest Management approach intended to target mosquitoes while limiting unnecessary pesticide applications. Product labels and applicable federal, state, and local requirements will be followed. Weather conditions, wind, sensitive sites, pollinator considerations, and public health priorities will be considered before treatment decisions are made.

### Access, Questions, and Service Requests

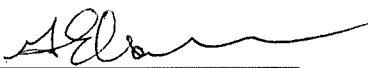
Residents may contact the mosquito abatement program through the public office phone number listed below with questions, mosquito complaints, access concerns, beekeeper notification requests, or requests for additional information regarding mosquito surveillance and control activities.

<b>Program / Office Phone:</b>	208-604-7882	<b>Public Email / Website:</b>	To be posted when available
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### Publication and Effective Period

This notice is intended for public posting and distribution by the Bingham County Mosquito Abatement Board. Unless amended or replaced, this notice applies to mosquito surveillance and control activities conducted during the 2026 mosquito season.

Date Posted: 5/6/26

Authorized By:   
Board President / Chair

This notice is provided for public awareness and does not replace pesticide product labels, regulatory requirements, or site-specific treatment decisions made under the program's Integrated Pest Management procedures.