



# Mosquito, Vector & Disease Control

by the Delta Mosquito & Vector Control District

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In early June 2021, ballots will be mailed to property owners in the Delta Mosquito and Vector Control District. These ballots will allow property owners to decide if continued, comprehensive, year-round mosquito control and disease prevention services should be provided within the District service area. Below are some of the services that would be provided if this measure is approved:

## Continued Quality Mosquito, Vector and Disease Control

The District previously received funding for its mosquito and disease control services from an assessment that expired in 2019. This new proposed assessment would replace that funding to allow the District to continue protecting our community from mosquitoes that can carry life-threatening diseases.

## Surveillance and Prevention of Disease Outbreaks

Enhance year-round testing of mosquito-borne diseases such as West Nile virus, St. Louis Encephalitis, Western Equine Encephalitis, Dengue, Chikungunya, and Zika, and continue to survey and control the invasive Yellow Fever mosquito, *Aedes aegypti*. Provide appropriate disease prevention services in locations where a mosquito-borne disease is identified.

## Free Mosquito-Eating Fish and Response to Service Requests

Mosquito fish available to the public throughout the District at no extra cost. Property owners and residents could call the District for a service request in the area of their property. A service technician would respond promptly, and without extra cost.

## Fiscal Accountability

Several layers of accountability to ensure that all funds are expended properly. Funds can only be spent on mosquito, vector and disease control services within the District's service area. The proposed budget for the services will be presented to the public annually, and include a public hearing.

## Additional Information

For additional information on the Mosquito, Vector and Disease Control Measure, please contact the Delta Mosquito and Vector Control District at (559) 732-8606 or [www.deltavcd.com](http://www.deltavcd.com).

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# Watch for your Mailed Ballot due July 21, 2021