

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS



Department of Agricultural Resources

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Request For Exclusion of Wide Area Application of Pesticides

Pursuant to 333 CMR 13.03, individuals may request exclusion from wide area applications of pesticides. This includes applications performed by the Mosquito Control Project/District that may provide services in your city/town. Requests **must be made to the Department of Agricultural Resources** in accordance with 333 CMR 13.03 and **will go into effect fourteen (14) days** from the date the request is made. All exclusion requests expire on December 31st of the calendar year in which it was made.

A. Date of Request

Day Month Year

B. Location of property to be excluded

Name of Requester

Name of Property Owner, if different than Requester (If Tenant, you MUST complete Section D below)

Street Address City/Town County

City/Town Parcel Identification Number (ONLY required if no dwelling or a street address)

Telephone Number Cell Phone/Other

Email Address

C. Mailing Address (if different than above)

Street/P.O. Box

City/Town

State

Zip Code

D. If Tenant, you MUST provide Landlord name and contact information for your application to be considered complete

Landlord Name

Street/P.O. Box

City/Town

State

Zip Code

Telephone Number

Home

Cell Phone/Other

E. Exclusion Request

Requesting exclusion from: ____Adulticide ____Larvicide (**only if area larvicide is applied is one acre or more**)

*Adulticides are pesticides designed to control adult flying insects. Mosquito adulticide treatments are Ultra Low Volume (ULV) and are usually applied using truck based sprayers. These applications provide immediate short term relief from pestiferous mosquitoes and/or mosquitoes that carry disease.

*Larvicides prevent adult mosquito emergence by targeting mosquitos in their immature larval stage. Granular and liquid larvicides are usually applied by hand or aircraft directly to stagnant water containing these immature mosquitoes. The majority of District larvicide applications to wetlands in Massachusetts are made using naturally occurring bacteria such as *Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis* (Bti). Applications of larvicides can effectively reduce future area-wide adulticide applications.

Pursuant to 333 CMR 13.03(3), I understand that requests for exclusions shall not be honored if:

- (a) The request is not made in accordance with 333 CMR 13.03;
- (b) The Commissioner of Public Health has certified that the application is to be made to protect the Public Health;
- (c) The Commissioner of the Department of Conservation and Recreation has certified that the application is necessary to contain an infestation of a recently introduced pest; or
- (d) The Commissioner of the Department of Agricultural Resources has certified that the application is necessary to contain an infestation of a pest which is a significant threat to agriculture.

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the information submit is true and accurate and submitted for its intended purpose and that I am the property owner or lawful tenant and am authorized to submit this request under 333 CMR 13.03.

Signature