



PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Date: June 17, 2022
To: Media Outlets
From: Todd Darden, City Manager
Re: Mosquito Spraying

Due to the high concentration of mosquitoes in our city, we will conduct aerial spraying for mosquitoes beginning on Wednesday, June 22, 2022.

- The plane will spray Big Spring sometime during a time period starting on Wednesday, June 22nd, late evening, and again on Thursday, June 23rd, weather permitting.
- The actual time of spraying will be determined by where we fit in the line-up of cities.
- Aerial spraying is particularly effective to reach hillside and rural areas in Big Spring that truck-mounted sprayers cannot reach.
- Vector Disease Control International is the company that will be spraying. They specialize in aerial application, have been in business since 1992, and have over 40 offices across the United States. These products are being applied in strict accordance with label instructions as set forth and approved by the Environmental Protection Agency. The company is fully licensed and certified by Federal monitoring agencies. Visit www.vdci.net for more information about the company.
- The product used will be Perm-X UL 31-66; visit www.clarke.com for product information.

Thank you for your patience with this process! The City of Big Spring is committed to the health and safety of our citizens. Please direct any questions or concerns to the office of Todd Darden, City Manager, at 432-264-2401.