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Public Comment Form for:

Ecology Aquatic Mosquito Control NPDES Draft General Permit

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To whom it may concern,

I believe that our local Mosquito control has been doing a good job of controlling most of the mosquitos in Burbank. Since I live in an area that is surrounded by water such as the Snake and Colombia rivers. There are many ponds and marshes in Burbank and if we were to change the way by not fogging there would be a lot more mosquito's that carry diseases.

The parks in Burbank would be flooded with mosquitos and nobody wants their kids and themselves to get bit by a bunch of mosquitos. The wording needs to be changed on this permit because it is saying basically; they will take care of the mosquito problem if it gets out of hand. If this were to happen many mosquitos will hatch and there wouldn't be anything we could do about it until next year. Excessive mosquitoes could cause a lot of problems to our community.

Some of the main causes are our health, quality of life, use of parks, recreation and economic impact on our community. If there are more mosquitoes then there is a higher risk of getting bit by a mosquito that carries a disease. We would probly not be able to go to our parks or do as much outdoor activities if there were a lot more mosquitoes than now. Burbank would be basically a shitty place to live because I know that nobody wants to always be worrying about getting bit every time we step outside. So change it or there is going to be a lot of pissed off people.

Respectfully Submitted,



Forest Gordon