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Hi,

We have several concerns about the new permit that is being proposed on Mosquito Control Districts.

We have no concerns with how the Mosquito Control District in our area is treating mosquito's but under the proposed permit, are very concerned that our way of life and health are at risk.

1. There should be no distinction between nuisance and vector mosquitos - all most people see is a mosquito and they don't want it to be around them. Both should be controlled.
2. How can you define waters of the state - is it the irrigation canal behind my house? The sewer drain in front of the sidewalk in front of my house?
3. If the districts can not be proactive and implement control programs that are effective before there is a problem, homeowners will take action in their own hands, and at the end of the day, cause more harm to the environment and the public by misapplying pesticides to get rid of mosquitos. how is that in the best interest of the public?

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