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To: Jennings, Jonathan (ECY);
Subject: Permits
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Dear Mr. Jennings,

Regarding the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits.

It has come to our attention that my mosquito district will not be able to apply pesticide for adult mosquitoes as the new permit is currently written. Please reconsider and alter the permit to read: "The Permittee is authorized to discharge incidental amounts of adulticides and their residues to waters of the state for nuisance and vector mosquito control."

I grew up in the Tri-Cities and can remember when mosquitoes were so bad there was no way you could spend much time outside without being totally covered with mosquito bites.

For many years now we have had a very effective program for controlling them. If we can no longer control the mosquitoes then we will be looking to seeing many cases of illness that mosquitos can bring.

Please don't let this happen.

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