

**COMPTON CREEK MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT
GENERAL MANAGER’S REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2024**

WEATHER

Temperatures at Noon:	High – 85	Low – 71	Ave. – 82
Days Clear – 25	Overcast – 0		
Service Requests – 0	Rain – 0”		

OPERATIONAL REPORT

The District’s Autumn surveillance program continued throughout the month. District personnel continue to routinely inspect public areas, such as street gutters, catch basins, box drains, swimming pools, etc., for any evidence of mosquito breeding. Breeding was found in separate locations within the City of Compton, and control applications were administered in response.

Regarding Compton Creek, routine inspections were completed, and no breeding was found.

The San Gabriel Valley Mosquito and Vector Control District (SGVMVCD) conducted Ultra-Low Volume (ULV) truck-mounted adulticide treatments to address an increase in mosquito abundance and risk of mosquito-borne diseases. This took place on October 4th and October 7th from 12am – 5am in the city of El Monte between Buffington Road and San Gabriel River Trail, south of Rio Hondo Parkway and north of Ranchito Street. The (ULV) treatment targeted mosquitos at multiple stages to control the population and reduce the risk of mosquito-borne disease.

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Public Education

The District has continued its public awareness campaign to promote public safety through effective mosquito control and shared public responsibility. Social media platforms are being updated daily with information, stories, and best practices for protecting yourself from mosquitoes. District personnel are also in the neighborhoods daily, distributing mosquito awareness literature and promoting the District’s message directly to residents. On Saturday October 5, 2024, the District participated in the 13th Annual Compton Walk For A Cure. During this event, the District informed the attendees of the current state of the viruses Dengue, West Nile, and Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE).

Compton Creek Maintenance

The District has received information that the United States Army Corp of Engineers (USACE) is in litigation due to contract approvals. Due to this situation, the USACE cannot confirm the clean-up of Compton Creek in November.

Annexation

The General Manager of Greater Los Angeles County Vector Control District (Susanne Kluh) stated that the Resolution needed from GLACVCD will be presented for approval during their District Board Meeting on October 10,2024

District Modernization Program

The District partnered with the Los Angeles County Water Board to test chemical trace levels in the pond water, which would determine permit status if approved.

Respectfully submitted:

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