

# Resolution # 08-24

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT "MOSQUITO CONTROL: ULTRA LOW VOLUME (ULV) BIOMIST SPRAY APPLICATION GUIDELINES, REVISION 1.1" AS THE MOSQUITO POLICY FOR THE TOWN OF BATTLE GROUND, INDIANA.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Battle Ground, Indiana, desires to protect the citizens of the Town of Battle Ground from conditions which may exist on land, water and in buildings which attract mosquitoes, and

WHEREAS, these conditions and the mosquitoes they attract are likely to contribute to disease and other health hazards in the community,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BATTLE GROUND, INDIANA that:

"Mosquito Control: Ultra Low Volume (ULV) Biomist Spray Application Guidelines, Revision 1.1" (attached hereto) shall be adopted as the Mosquito Misting Policy for the Town of Battle Ground, Indiana.

ADOPTED AND PASSED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BATTLE GROUND, INDIANA this 10 day of March , 2008.

**Attest:**

Phyllis Hall **Phyllis Hall - Clerk-Treasurer**

**Councilpersons:**

Steve Egly

**Steve Egly - Council President**

Brian Brewer

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Becky Holladay

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Karen Pearson

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# Town of Battle Ground

Mosquito Control:

Ultra Low Volume (ULV) Biomist Spray Application Guidelines

Revision 1.1

1. The certified technician and/or licensed Category 8 applicator Public Works Employee will decide when, where and how larviciding and ULV Biomist spraying will be done. The need to conduct larviciding and ULV biomist application may be determined by mosquito trapping (hotspots) and residents' complaints of mosquito activity. The Utility Manager, who is a licensed applicator, may assist the Public Works employee as needed.
2. The designated Public Works employee may inspect, upon permission of the home owner, the surrounding area for mosquito breeding spots. Please give them your full cooperation.
3. ULV Biomist spray application will occur on Thursday nights. If weather conditions prevent the ULV biomist spraying, it will occur the following Monday night.
4. During the course of the summer mosquito season, it may be necessary to spray both Thursday and Monday nights throughout the entire town.
5. When the Tippecanoe County Health Department or White County Health Department have detected West Nile Virus (WNV) in mosquitoes, birds, mammals and/or humans, ULV biomist spraying may be conducted every Thursday and Monday night. The designated Public Works employee will consult with the respective Health Departments to determine the threat level from WNV vector mosquitoes in Battle Ground and Tippecanoe County.
6. When ULV biomist spraying is conducted, the machine will remain on continuously throughout the entire route in town.
7. If you have questions regarding the application of ULV biomist spraying and mosquito control, please contact the Town Hall at 567-2603 to speak with the certified technician and/or licensed pesticide applicator.