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To: Residents of East Kingston
From: Scott Urwick, Health Officer
Subject: Mosquitos & EEE

Please be aware that a mosquito pool in the northern section of East Kingston has tested positive for Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE).

We will soon be conducting mosquito spraying at both the East Kingston Elementary School and Foss Wasson field in the center of Town.

The particular mosquito species that tested positive does bite humans and other mammals, so please re-familiarize yourselves with the following bite prevention measures:

- If possible, stay inside between dusk and dark, when mosquitoes are most active.
- When outside between dusk and dark, wear long pants and long-sleeved shirts.
- Use an insect repellent with DEET according to manufacturer's directions when outside.
- Put screens on windows and make sure they do not have holes.
- Eliminate standing water from your property.

You can also check the following internet websites for more information:

Town of East Kingston: www.eknh.org

New Hampshire Department of
Health & Human Services: www.dhhs.nh.gov

Centers for Disease Control
& Prevention: www.cdc.gov