

FIGHT THE BITE!

AND ELIMINATE COMMON MOSQUITO HANGOUTS

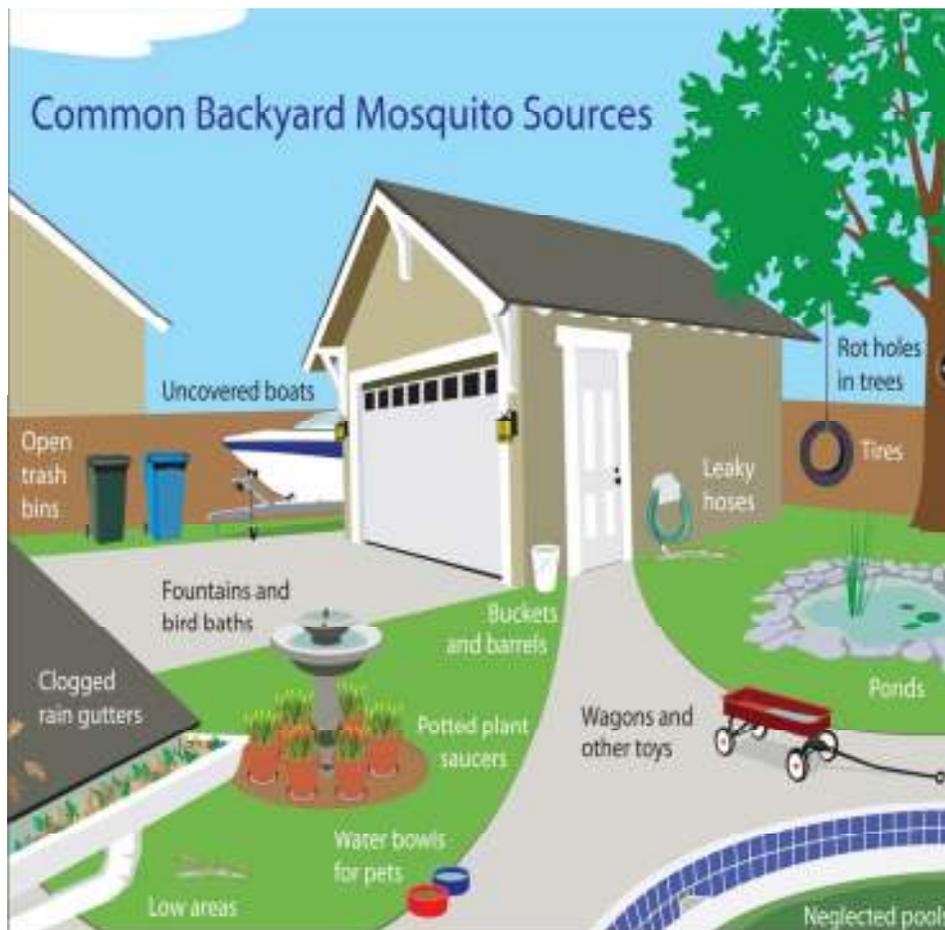


The City of Weatherford has recently implemented a **Mosquito Surveillance & Response Plan**, a comprehensive plan aimed at reducing the risk of illness due to West Nile Virus (WNV). The main goal of the plan is to decrease the number of adult mosquitoes by eliminating breeding sites wherever possible. In areas where the elimination of mosquito breeding grounds is not possible, larvicides such as *Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis* (Bti) will be applied.

Targeted adulticide applications using up to and including ground based Ultra Low Volume Equipment (ULV fog or spray) will only be considered if there are conditions indicative of a Public Health Warning. If adulticiding is implemented, citizens residing in areas where applications will occur will be notified through several methods including press releases, Blackboard Message, City's cable channel (channel 27), and through the City's website at www.weatherfordtx.gov/news.

The City's mosquito control responses will be based on the likelihood of threat to human health from WNV. To view the current risk level that the City is operating under, please visit www.weatherfordtx.gov/mosquito.

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Some mosquitoes carry WNV, others are just a nuisance. They only need a few tablespoons of water to breed, and water can collect just about anywhere. Eliminate common mosquito breeding grounds-places where standing water has accumulated. Check out the graphic and discover all the places around your house and yard where mosquitoes may be hiding. Protect yourself and help prevent WNV!

