



HARTSVILLE
SOUTH CAROLINA



South Carolina Zika Forum
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Streets and Grounds
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ZIKA PLAN?

Yes & No

Source Reduction

- Great American Cleanup
- Removal & Clean Up of Abandoned Houses

Reinitiating Surveillance Program

- SC DHEC Vector Surveillance Program

Larviciding

- Increase Larviciding Efforts
 - Bicycle
 - Gambusia

Mosquito Spraying

- Based on Surveillance & Complaints
- Increased IF Disease is Detected



COMMUNICATION

Within The City of Hartsville

- Talking With Other Departments
 - City Manager
 - Codes Enforcement
 - Public Service
 - Utilities
 - Environmental Services

With The Public

- Mailers on Prevention & What We are Doing
- Being as Visible as Possible



PUBLIC EDUCATION

Spring FORECAST for Mosquitos

Steps **You** can take to get **your** yard ready for mosquito season.

- ◆ Empty, overturn or remove water-holding containers such as tires, cans, bottles, buckets, etc.
- ◆ Clean out gutters so water flows
- ◆ Change water weekly in bird baths and potted plant saucers
- ◆ Maintain swimming pools or treat with mosquito larvicides

Reducing standing water means reducing mosquitoes

Steps The City will be taking

- ◆ Larviciding will begin by May 1, 2016
- ◆ Mosquito trapping and monitoring will begin within 2 weeks
- ◆ Spraying will begin as needed to keep populations in check

This time frame may change depending on weather conditions.

City of Hartsville Mosquito Control
843-383-3019
See ClickFix

Steps Taken

- Mailer Added to Water Bill

Steps We Are Working On

- Trifold Handout
- Add Info to Message Boards
- Info Added to Web Site
 - Trapping Dates
 - Spray Schedule
 - Links to Edu. Sites
- Adding New Equipment With Ability to Map Applications