



## *Billerica Board of Health*


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FROM: Kristel Bennett, Director of Public Health 

RE: 2026 Aerial Application of Mosquito Larvacide

DATE: April 15, 2026

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Please be advised that the Billerica Board of Health has received notification from the Central Massachusetts Mosquito Control Project (CMMCP) that the aerial applications for larval mosquito control over selected Billerica wetlands is scheduled for Tuesday, April 21, 2026.

CMMCP has received a permit for the aerial application of mosquito larvacide from the Massachusetts Pesticide Bureau. This is part of a program to control the spread of the Culex species of mosquito, the primary vector of the West Nile Virus. This is the same program that has been performed for over 20 years to control the spread of mosquitoes.

CMMCP and North Fork Helicopters will conduct helicopter applications. The aerial applications will be conducted from a low flying helicopter spreading larvacide granules over mosquito breeding grounds such as wetlands and other swampy areas from dawn to dusk. Enclosed is the aerial map for identified wetlands to be treated, there will be no application in residential areas. CMMCP and North Fork Helicopters will be utilizing Vietnam Veterans Park as the landing zone.

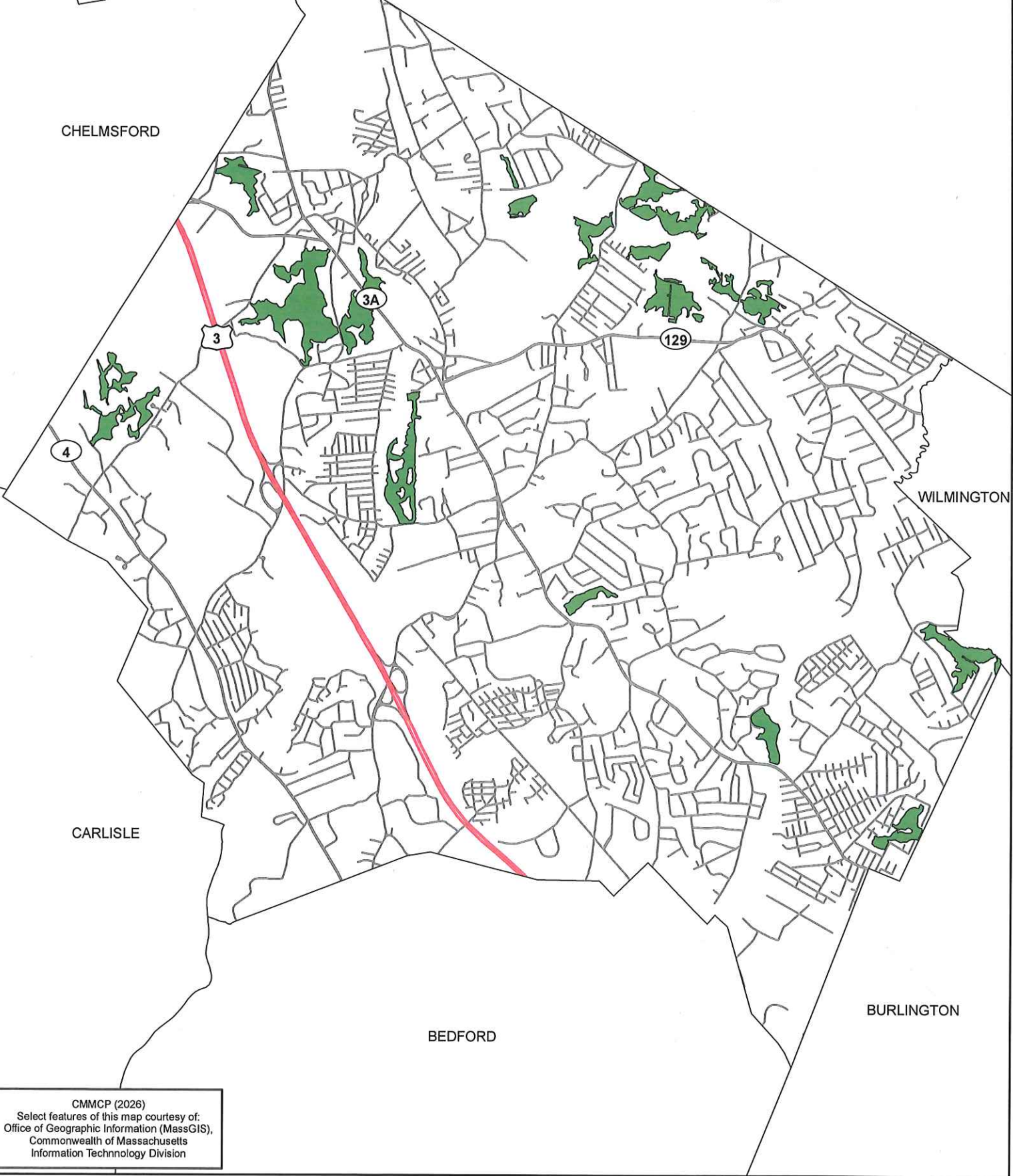
If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

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# Town of Billerica: Aerial Larvicide Program 2026

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CMMCP (2026)  
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