

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Update from July 2025 Virtual Meeting
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3. No further action RE: RCD Data
 - Were working on this the last year.
 - Data wasn't complete and hasn't been released.
 - Would be released through MPMA.
 - What is the impact of rodenticides being used.
4. Mosquito Mister Label Language
 - Due to chemical trespass and off site impact.
 - Federal level exemption for label language due to chemical trespass. Not happening.
 - Need voluntary label change from manufacturers.
 - EPA has a multiyear backlog.
 - Alabama requires insurance for drift control.
 - [Using Backpack Mist Blowers to Control Adult Mosquitoes](#)
 - Issue is containment on property
 - Incorporate a drift management plan.
 - SFIRIG brought issue to EPA in 2023. EPA suggested registrants voluntarily change the label.
 - Possible solution: Training on use of equipment and how to prevent unwanted drift.
5. Urban housing pests (flies, cockroaches, ants, rodents)
 - Improve knowledge of sanitarians. Not understanding pesticide laws, pesticide applications, pests. How can we train them.
 - Host pest control training for health inspectors.
 - Distance learning. How can we help the sanitarians.
 - Pests in restaurants and links to foodborne illness. Health inspectors love gross photos.
 - The sanitarian can point out conducive conditions.
 - What organizations are sanitarians at that we can provide training. What are their associations and when do they meet?
 - Break the silos of knowledge.
 - Reach out to health departments to set up trainings.
 - Trainings appropriate for their fields.
 - Survey for organizations building and health inspectors.
 - Quality Pro, National and NPMA training resources.
 - Key is continuous/reoccurring training.
 - How do we do all of this.

6. Bedbugs at a community level

- Introduction is one bed bug, more than one bed bug is an infestation.
- Reintroduction of bed bugs. Why are they coming back? Where did they come from?
- New compounds for bed bug control that are working well. Heat treatments are possibly being decreased in use vs chemical control.
- K-9's are getting them when it is a small issue.
- In multiple and single-family homes.
- Schools get concerned. Calm them down and provide information.

7. Additional Comments

- Public health doesn't know about pesticides.