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Dear Port of the Islands Resident,

We're excited to share news that the Collier Mosquito Control District (CMCD) will be continuing our residual barrier treatment service in Port of the Islands this spring and summer. Residual barrier treatments are designed to provide extended protection against adult mosquitoes and enhance your outdoor comfort. These treatments involve applying a small amount of insecticide to shaded vegetation and other outdoor areas where mosquitoes tend to rest. Products used this year will include Nature-Cide Pest Management X2 Plus and Wisdom TC Flowable.

Our focus in Port of the Islands is the black salt marsh mosquito, which is an aggressive daytime biting mosquito, most active in the months of May, June, and July. To maximize effectiveness, residual barrier treatments will occur every 4 weeks during this period. All applications will be performed by trained professionals and follow strict safety protocols. Once the product dries (typically within 30 to 60 minutes) your outdoor spaces will be safe for people, children, and pets.

CMCD will take every precaution to protect pollinators, beneficial insects, and aquatic life. To minimize any unintended negative impact, treatments will avoid flowering plants and aquatic habitats and will only be applied under specific weather conditions. If you have registered beehives nearby, please contact our office so we can take any necessary precautions. To learn more about our residual barrier treatment applications, please visit [https://cmcd.org/science/barrier\\_treatments/](https://cmcd.org/science/barrier_treatments/).

*Participation is entirely voluntary, and we encourage you to take part in this effort to make mosquito control more effective throughout your neighborhood. **If you prefer to not participate, simply complete our opt-out form on our website at [https://cmcd.org/science/barrier\\_treatments/](https://cmcd.org/science/barrier_treatments/) or give us a call at 239-436-1000.***

We look forward to this opportunity to serve you and remain committed to protecting public health and comfort in Port of the Islands. If you would like to learn more about mosquito control, CMCD operations, or sign-up for advance treatment notifications, visit our website at [www.cmcd.org](http://www.cmcd.org). If you have any additional questions or would like to schedule a tour of our facilities, you can reach us at [info@cmcd.org](mailto:info@cmcd.org) or 239-436-1000.

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