

Contra Costa Mosquito and Vector Control District

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Trustee Representing Hercules



CONTRA COSTA
**MOSQUITO
& VECTOR
CONTROL**
DISTRICT

District History

protecting public health since 1927

County citizens voted to create the Contra Costa Mosquito Abatement District in 1926, and we opened our doors in 1927.



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In 1993, Contra Costa County transferred its rat and rabies risk reduction programs to us, and that's when we changed our name to Contra Costa Mosquito and Vector Control District (District).



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A Vector is any insect or other animal that can transmit disease or cause discomfort to people or other animals



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Special District

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Funding

Property taxes

Benefit Assessments

No additional charge for county residents who request a District service.



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District Facts

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Board of Trustees:

Represent the best interests of your community, ensure the delivery of essential local services and infrastructure, and faithfully serve the public good while upholding the law.

Source: CSDA Board Member Handbook



District Services

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Mosquitoes - Mosquitofish

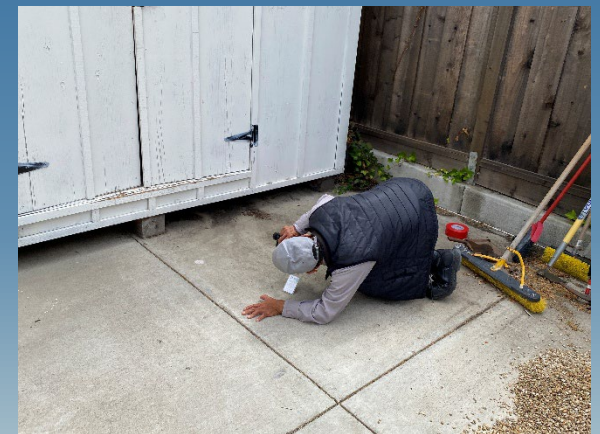
Rats/mice

Skunks

Ticks

Yellowjackets

Bees



Hercules Service Requests — 12 Months

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June 2025 – June 2026

Mosquitoes:	4
Mosquitofish:	2
Unmaintained Swimming Pools:	3
Rats & mice:	6
Skunks:	16
Ticks IDs:	0
Ground-nesting Yellowjackets:	18
Bees:	1



Invasive New Mosquito

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Invasive *Aedes aegypti* mosquito found in Antioch three years in a row.

Species	Common Name	Disease Risk	Habitat	Bite	Flight Range
<i>Aedes aegypti</i>	Yellow Fever Mosquito	Zika, dengue fever, chikungunya, yellow fever	Anything holding water in front or backyard	Day, indoors and outdoors, usually below the knee	Typically less than 500 feet from where they emerged as adults.



How to Request a District Service

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Contact the District

Contra Costa Mosquito and Vector Control District

925-685-9301

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