



Georgia Mosquito Control Association

"Providing Support for the Mosquito Control Profession in Georgia"

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Why is mosquito control so important? Mosquito control protects the public and their animals from vector-borne diseases. It reduces nuisance levels of mosquitoes and enhances the quality of life for those who work in and enjoy the outdoors. Good mosquito control provides the ability to respond to complaints and to vector-borne disease outbreaks with a minimal impact on the environment.

Association purposes:

- promote mosquito control in Georgia
- maintain public interest in mosquito control
- stay updated on the most recent developments in mosquito control products and techniques
- disseminate information concerning mosquitoes to the membership and the general public through publications and meetings
- unite and coordinate common interest and efforts in controlling mosquitoes throughout the state of Georgia

About the Georgia Mosquito Control Association

The Georgia Mosquito Control Association (GMCA) is a non-profit, professional organization founded in 1977. The membership consists primarily of local and state government officials, industry, and research/academic members from the state.

The Association was founded on the belief that mosquito and other public health pest control problems have a significant impact on the citizens of Georgia. There was a need for interested persons within the state to form an association for these purposes:

- to exchange ideas and procedures to enable mosquito workers to better perform their duties;
- to protect the health and welfare of the people and their environment;
- to keep abreast of the latest and best methods for control of mosquitoes and other pests so the citizens will be served;
- to encourage proper mosquito control, wherever feasible, and to help maintain a positive public interest in areas where mosquito and other public health pest control is operative;
- to keep the general public better informed of the benefits of mosquito and other public health pest control.

The Association hosts an annual educational and trade conference for its members. These conferences help promote inter-governmental cooperation and serve as a forum for the advancement of responsible mosquito and vector control.

Those interested in membership in the Association should meet the following criteria:

Active Membership - All persons who are professionally engaged in any branch of mosquito and related pest control work, and persons interested in the cause of mosquito and related pest control who desire affiliation with this association, shall be eligible for active membership.

Sustaining Membership - Any person or firm interested in the promotion of the purposes of GMCA, upon payment of dues herein provided, may become a Sustaining Member.

For a membership application or for more information, visit our website at www.GAmosquito.org.