

BOROUGH OF BRADLEY BEACH

RESOLUTION 2023-79

**AUTHORIZES THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH MOSQUITO CONTROL DIVISION TO
CONDUCT AERIAL MOSQUITO CONTROL OPERATIONS WITHIN THE
BOROUGH OF BRADLEY BEACH**

Mayor Fox offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 26:9-27 et seq. has elected through its Mosquito Control Division to perform all acts necessary for the elimination of mosquito breeding areas and/or to exterminate mosquitoes within the county; and

WHEREAS, the County has instituted an Integrated Pest Management Program consisting of surveillance, water management, biological control, and chemical control to exterminate the mosquito population within the County of Monmouth; and

WHEREAS, prior to conducting aerial dispensing operations over a designated “congested area,” the County is required, pursuant to Federal Aviation Administration Regulation (FAR Part 137.51), to secure written approval from the governing body of the political subdivision over which the aircraft is to be operated; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Bradley Beach is designated as a “congested area” by the Federal Aviation Administration and the County has requested that this governing body consent to its proposed aerial dispensing operations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, as follows:

1. The Governing Body hereby authorizes the County of Monmouth Mosquito Control Division or its agent to apply pesticides by aircraft for mosquito control in certain areas of the municipality designated by the County as being either larval mosquito habitat or areas harboring high populations of mosquitoes constituting either a nuisance, a health hazard, or both with the understanding that:
 - a. The County shall utilize pesticides, application equipment and aircraft that are approved for aerial applications by the applicable Federal (USEPA) and State (NJDEP) agencies, and
 - b. Such operations will be performed in compliance with applicable Federal and State regulations, and
 - c. The County will notify the Police Department of each municipality over which aerial pesticide operations are planned prior to commencement of such operations.

Seconded by Councilperson _____ and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

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Ms. DeMarco
Ms. DeNoble
Mr. Gubitosi
Mr. Weber
Mayor Fox

CERTIFICATION

I, Erica Kostyz, Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council at the February 22, 2023 Council Business Meeting.

Erica Kostyz, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk