



**COUNTY OF NASSAU
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
1194 PROSPECT AVENUE
WESTBURY, NEW YORK 11590-2723**

For Release:

**PUBLIC SCOPING MEETING
FOR THE
NASSAU COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PLAN**

The Nassau County Department of Public Works (NCDPW) and the Nassau County Department of Health (NCDOH) will hold a public scoping meeting to accept public comments on the draft scope for the Nassau County Mosquito Control Plan General Environmental Impact Statement (GEIS).

The meeting will be held in two (2) sessions on **Wednesday, November 18, 2009**, from 2:00-4:00pm and 7:00 to 9:00pm at the Nassau County Legislative Chamber, 1550 Franklin Avenue Mineola, NY 11501

Persons are invited to come to the meeting to express their ideas and opinions concerning the draft EIS scope. The public meeting will be an open house format, which will allow the public to meet informally with staff, discuss their concerns and provide written comments. Beginning at 2:00pm, there will be a presentation offering an overview of the Nassau County Mosquito Control Plan. This will be followed by an official public comment period. This format will be repeated for the second session beginning at 7pm.

Those unable to attend the meeting may submit comments to the NCDPW by mail to the following address:

Nassau County Department of Public Works
c/o Mosquito Control Comments - Draft EIS Scope
1194 Prospect Avenue Westbury, NY 11590-2723

Comments may also be submitted by email to MosquitoControl@nassaucountyny.gov, or by fax to (516) 571-9657.

The draft scope is available for public review at the NCDPW office listed above, and is also available online at www.nassaucountyny.gov/agencies/DPW/MosquitoControl.

NCDPW will accept comments regarding the EIS scope until 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2009.
