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To: Town Manager, Wayne

From: Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of Disease Surveillance

Subject: Mosquito-borne disease

Date: August 15, 2025

Dear Town Manager, Town Selectperson, and Local Health Officer,

Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention (Maine CDC) would like to notify you of a recently identified case of West Nile virus (WNV) in a hawk in your town. Educational materials about mosquito-borne diseases are included for your use. Please take time to review this information and post in an area where the public can easily view them.

Mosquito-borne disease prevention information for municipalities is included in this package – see the document titled "Town Guidance for Arboviral Infections." We also include fact sheets and other educational materials for your use.

Mosquito-borne disease fact sheets, checklists, videos, and a social media toolkit are available at <a href="https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/vectorborne">www.maine.gov/dhhs/vectorborne</a>. Selected free print materials are available at <a href="https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/order">www.maine.gov/dhhs/order</a>.

If you have any questions, please contact Maine CDC, Division of Disease Surveillance at 1-800-821-5821.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.