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To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Lee Graybill and I have replaced Thomas Smith as the York County West Nile Virus Program Administrator. Tom has been the program administrator for the past 12 years and has accepted another position within the county.

I have been with the program since 2001 as a field technician and will aim to provide the same level of commitment to the community that Tom has been known for.

There have and will continue to be, some changes to the program that I would like to make each municipality aware of.

1. We are no longer affiliated with Penn State Extension and directly answer to the York County Commissioners.
2. The program name has changed to York County Mosquito Surveillance Program
3. There is a pending address change, that we expect to be effective by the start of the 2020 season and I will update you when the final determination has been made.
4. Residents with complaints or concerns, should visit the PA DEP (Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection) West Nile Virus Control Program website <http://www.depgis.state.pa.us/WNV/index.html> Here, they will be able to submit a concern directly to DEP, which will be assigned to the appropriate county for investigation. As always, municipalities should contact us directly, regarding abandoned properties, swimming pools, illegal dumping, or any areas of concern within the municipality.
5. Program administrator contact info:
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Along with the above information, I would like to inform you about the status of our current mosquito season. Due to record levels of virus samples and control measures, throughout the county in 2018, there has been a significant drop in the mosquito population for 2019. We expect the population to rebound, however at this point in the season, surveillance numbers remain low.

As always, the participation of the residents in eliminating standing water around their own properties, is paramount to our efforts at controlling virus and mosquito population control measures.

Please use the above information to update websites and newsletters.

Thank you for the continued commitment to the health and safety of your residents.

Sincerely,
Lee M. Graybill
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