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To: Livingston County Board of Commissioners

From: Matt Bolang

Re: Acceptance of Grant from the Michigan Mosquito Control Association

The Livingston County Health Department has historically conducted vector borne disease surveillance in the county focused on mosquitoes and ticks. We have some limited funding from the MDHHS Comprehensive agreement to cover the costs of this program. LCHD was made aware of some small grant opportunities through the Michigan Mosquito Control Association and applied for and were recently notified of the award in the amount of \$1,000.

LCHD's proposal is to use this funding to support existing staff and their resources to create a GIS Mosquito Dashboard. The goal of this dashboard is to summarize mosquito collection data and laboratory findings to help allocate resources more effectively and make informed decisions when human cases are identified.

If you have any questions about this grant, please feel free to contact myself or Heather Blair, Environmental Health Director.

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