



PUBLIC INFORMATION

ITEM NO. 1.

DATE OF MEETING: July 8, 2013

REQUESTED BY: Pat Simmons, Pender County Public Works-Mosquito Control Division;
Michael Mack-Director

SHORT TITLE: Mosquito Control Awareness: "Skeeter" Defeater Team Presents Storyteller Steve Myott Presenting Mosquito Awareness for Pender County. This event will be held at the Pender County Libraries on July 18, 2013: Hampstead – 11:00 a.m.; Burgaw – 3:00 p.m.

BACKGROUND: The Pender County Public Works Departments attempts to keep mosquitoes at tolerable levels. Educating the public is an important factor in attempting our goal. Our mosquito control program is implemented to reduce mosquito populations and reduce the risk to residents and animals. For several years the Mosquito Control Department has worked together to inform residents of mosquito problems and to alleviate the problem as effectively and safely as possible through our "Skeeter" Defeater Team. Our objective is to encourage communities and individuals to follow preventive steps to reduce mosquito breeding and protect themselves.