

Pennington County

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MOSQUITO MANAGEMENT/WNV ADVISORY

Pennington County Weed & Pest mosquito adult trap counts have indicated a recent rise in the *Culex Tarsalis* mosquito population.

The *Culex Tarsalis* species is the most common mosquito found in South Dakota to carry the west Nile virus vector. With the increase in the *Culex Tarsalis* mosquito population, so does the risk of West Nile Virus transmission to humans.

Pennington County crews will be adulticiding between dusk and dawn on selected county roads when conditions are favorable for adult mosquito control.

Pennington County wants to remind the public of the importance of wearing proper clothing and insect repellent during outdoor activities particularly between dusk and dawn.

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