

To the Chairman of the Environment Committee,

I am writing to you today to implore you to ban the use of residential automatic pesticide misting systems in the state of Connecticut.

To have these pesticides sprayed at these heights and throughout the day is absolutely wrong. These sprayers will be at the edges of properties and the mist will not stay on the intended property. The mist will be detrimental to the health of children, adults and pets in the surrounding areas. Furthermore, when signing up in Connecticut to be notified when your neighbor is spraying pesticides, how would this conform?

A better solution for mosquitos would to remove any standing water from a property, not poison the entire environment. This spray will affect birds and our waterways which will have a negative impact on fishing and our Sound. This needs to be outlawed in Connecticut.

Sincerely,

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