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## **Dallas County Conducts Ground Spraying in Lancaster**

**Lancaster, TX –** Dallas County Health and Human Services will conduct ground spraying on Saturday, July 27, 2013 in the 600 block of Pierson and 2800 block of McCormick. Spraying will begin at approximately 10:00 p.m. Tests throughout the city remain negative.

Although the pesticide is approved by the Environmental Protection Agency, residents are advised to take the following precautions: Minimize exposure, remain indoors during the hours while spraying is in progress. Close windows and keep pets inside. If skin or clothes are exposed, wash them with soap and water. Rinse homegrown fruits and vegetables as a precaution. Cover small ornamental fish ponds and keep outdoor pets covered. The chemical breaks down quickly in sunlight and water, so no special precautions are suggested for outdoor swimming pools.

The City of Lancaster invites you to "like" the City on <u>Facebook</u>, follow us on <u>Twitter</u>, or register for weekly e-mail alerts regarding upcoming events on our website at <u>www.lancaster-tx.com</u> and clicking on "Notify Me."

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