West Nile Virus activity* detected recently in the following

Staten Island zip codes: 10301, 10302, 10305, 10306, 10307, 10309, 10310, 10312, 10314

Neighborhoods: Annadale, Arrochar, Brighton, Bull's Head, Chelsea, Elm Park, Eltingville, Granteville, Greenridge, Grymes Hill,Livingston, Mariners Harbor, Midland Beach, New Dorp Beach, Oakwood, Old Town, Port Richmond, Richmond Valley, Rossville, Sunny Side, Westerleigh

Now is the time for New Yorkers – especially people over 50 – to take
personal precautions to prevent mosquito bites:

- **Use repellents that contain DEET, Oil of Lemon Eucalyptus, IR3535, or Picaridin** and **ALWAYS** follow label instructions.
- If outside from dusk to dawn, **wear protective clothing** if possible, such as loose-fitting pants, long-sleeved shirts, and socks.
- **Make sure that your doors and windows have tight-fitting screens.**
  Fix or replace screens that have tears or holes.

Reduce mosquito exposure around your home:

- Eliminate any standing water that collects on your property.
- Remind or help neighbors to eliminate standing water on their properties.
- Call **311** to report standing water.

*Source: Mosquito and human West Nile virus surveillance data, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

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For more information about West Nile virus, call 311, or go to www.nyc.gov/health.

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