

Attention Surrounding Municipalities and School Districts:

Hamilton Township has entered into a cooperative gypsy moth control program with the New Jersey Department of Agriculture. DOWNTOWN AEROCROP SERVICE (DEP license #90029) 339 HARDING HIGHWAY, VINELAND, NEW JERSEY has been awarded the contract to apply *Bacillus thuringiensis var. kurstaki* (FORAY 76B, EPA Reg. # 73049-49) using aircraft to areas infested with gypsy moth larvae.

Aerial application will begin on or after **May 1, 2008 through June 1, 2008** or until completion. Operations will be conducted Monday through Friday from 5:30 to 7:50 am and 8:50 am to 2:00 pm; Saturday and Sunday from 5:30 am to 2:00 pm and possibly in the evenings from 5:00 pm to 8:00 p in the affected areas.

A map indicating the exact areas to be treated is available for inspection at the municipal building. Interested parties may contact Robert C. Poppert, Shade Tree Commission Chairman at rpoppert@hamiltonnj.com or (609) 890-3674, 2090 Greenwood Avenue, Hamilton, New Jersey 08650 for information regarding the exact date, application times and any other information concerning the treatment program.

Individuals wishing additional information about pesticides may contact the national Pesticide Information Center at 1-800-858-7378. For emergencies call the New Jersey Poison Information and Education System at 1-800-222-1222. For pesticide regulation information, pesticide complaints, and health referrals call the New Jersey pesticide Control Program at 609-984-6507.

Respectfully submitted,

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