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<<u>Mosquito Control Director></u> Address Line 1 Address Line 2 City, State ZIP

Dear Mosquito Control Director Name,

This letter, in conjunction with baseline and post-storm mosquito count data from your office, is provided in support of your request to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Agricultural Environmental Services, to provide <describe mosquito control request> in XXXX County. In month year, Hurricane XXX produced approximately XX inches of rain in this county. Standing water remains in many areas, providing ideal conditions for mosquito breeding. The resulting mosquito population increase is anticipated to hamper disaster assessment, post-storm debris removal, and community recovery activities. In addition, West Nile virus (WNV) is present throughout the state and activity typically peaks in late summer and fall. With this public health concern, it is imperative that action is taken to help reduce mosquito populations.

If the Florida Department of Health can be of further assistance in this matter, please contact XXX.

Sincerely,

County Health Officer Title Florida Department of Health-<mark>XXX</mark> County

