

## **2011 Legal Notice for Treatment of Gypsy Moth Control Dane County**

Dane County intends to participate in the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources 2011 Gypsy Moth Suppression Program and treat approximately 917 acres at 15 different sites in Dane County. There are 12 sites in the City of Madison, one in the City of Monona and two in the Town of Middleton. In mid-May to early June, a small low-flying airplane will apply Foray®, a bacterial insecticide containing *Bacillus thuringiensis kurstaki* (Btk). Btk is a naturally occurring strain of soil bacteria that produces proteins that interact with bacteria in gypsy moth caterpillars' digestive tracts to cause 90-95% mortality. Commonly used by organic gardeners to control pests, Btk has no apparent toxicity to people, animals, or insects other than caterpillars.

Landowners and residents within the proposed treatment blocks have the option to request that their property or residence (as well as a 250 foot buffer area surrounding the parcel) not be treated by writing to Darren Marsh, Parks Division, Dane County Land and Water Resources Department, 1 Fen Oak Court, Madison, WI 53718. **Objection requests must be in writing and received by 4:30 pm on Tuesday, February 18, 2011.**

**Dane County Parks, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, and the Dane County Tree Board have scheduled a public meeting on Wednesday, February 2, 2011, 7:00 pm, at the Lyman Anderson Agriculture and Conservation Center, Room A-B, 1 Fen Oak Ct., Madison WI 53718** to discuss the 2011 Gypsy Moth Suppression Aerial Treatment Program. Representatives from the three agencies will provide information on the biology and life cycle of the gypsy moth and discuss gypsy moth management and control. Questions from the public will be welcomed.

Treatment will take place in the following treatment blocks (blocks are located approximately between roads listed, please see web sites listed below for treatment block maps):

**Dane County Parks 2011 Gypsy Moth Suppression Program**

[http://www.countyofdane.com/lwrp/parks/gypsy\\_moth.aspx](http://www.countyofdane.com/lwrp/parks/gypsy_moth.aspx)

**Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources**

<http://gypsymoth.wi.gov> (available 2/1/11)

### **City of Madison**

**Madison1: Arbor Hills**-Milford Rd/Nottingham Way, Heatherdell Ln, Sandwood Way, Leyton Ln

**Madison2: Orton Park**-Jennifer St, South Few St, Rutledge St, South Breatly St

**Madison3: Glendale**-Crestview Dr, Parkview Dr, Woodlawn Dr, Indian Trace

**Madison4: Turner Ave**-Linda Vista Rd, Maher Rd, Douglas Trl, Spaanem Ave/Herro Ln

**Madison5: Allis School**-Monona Dr, Major Ave, Davies St, Jerome St, East Winnequah Rd

**Madison6: Elvehjem**-Eldorado Ln, Timothy Ave, Woodvale Circle, Ironwood Circle, Painted Post Dr, Vondron Rd, East Buckeye Rd, Brynwood Dr

**Madison7: Kennedy Park**-Goldfinch Dr, Agate Ln, Valley Rd, Twin Oaks Dr

**Madison8: Worthington Park**-Webb Ave, Rethke Ave, Worthington Ave, Clyde Gallagher Ave, East Washington Ave Frontage Rd

**Madison9: Crescent Oaks**-Esker Dr, Bultman Rd, Golden Leaf Trl, North Thompson Dr

**Madison10: Carpenter-Ridgeway**-Carpenter St, North Fair Oaks Ave, Powers Ave

**Madison11: Warner Park**-Trailsway, Monterey Dr, extends northwest into Warner Park toward Lake Mendota

**Madison12: International Ln**-Darwin Rd, International Ln

**City of Monona**

**CMonona1:** Lake Monona shoreline, Winn Dr, Shore Acres Rd, Vogts Ln

**Town of Middleton**

**TMiddletn1:** Blackhawk Rd, Twin Valley Rd

**TMiddletn2:** Ox Trail Way, Richie Rd