

## Fairfield Department of Health Awarded 2017 OEPA Mosquito Control Grant

Fairfield Department of Health is pleased to announce the department has been awarded \$11,900 for the 2017 Mosquito Control Grant from OEPA. Pictured below at the May 17, 2017 Awards Ceremony is ODH Interim Director Lance Himes, Craig Butler Director OEPA, Larry Hanna Administrator Fairfield Department of Health, Leeanne Greenlee OEPA. Grant monies will be used to help prevent Zika, West Nile virus and other mosquito borne diseases in Fairfield County. With this funding, Fairfield Department of Health will be able to purchase mosquito surveillance supplies, hire a seasonal employee to carry out mosquito surveillance, purchase educational materials and conduct mosquito control activities if needed. Thanks to the 2016 Mosquito Control Grant, last year Fairfield Department of Health was able to conduct limited mosquito surveillance for the first time in several years. Fairfield Department of Health is very fortunate to have been awarded these grant monies. This grant will help protect Fairfield County residents from mosquito borne diseases.

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