

Notice of Aerial Pesticide Application to the Board of Pesticides Control & Maine Poison Center

Instructions: For forest insect notices to the Board complete sections 1 - 6.
For forest insect notices to the Poison Center complete Sections 1 - 5. For
other than forest insect notices skip section 5.

Section 1 Company/Agency Information

Company/Agency Filing Notice: JBI Helicopters working for the Maine Budworm
Response Coalition

Contact Person: Ronald C. Lemin, Jr **Street Address:** 291 Lincoln St
City: Bangor **State:** MAINE **Zip Code:** 04401
Telephone Number: (207) 944-6160

Section 2 Type of Application

☒ Forest Insect ☐ Forest Vegetation ☐ Other Forest
☐ Ornamental ☐ Right-of-Way ☐ Biting Fly/Public Health

Date(s) of Proposed Application: Predicted between May 20 and June 25, 2025. The
application will be targeting the L4 instar phase and is most likely to be
starting the last week of May given current weather conditions.

General Description of Application Area: In the Aroostook County towns of
Allagash, Big Twenty Twp., New Canada, St. John Plt., T11 R15, T13 R15, T13 R16,
T14 R11, T14 R12, T14 R14, T14 R15, T14 R16, T15 R10, T15 R11, T15 R12, T15 R13,
T15 R14, T15 R15, T16 R12, T16 R13, T16 R14, T16 R5, T17 R12, T17 R13, T17 R14,
T17 R4, T17 R5, T18 R10 T18 R11, T18 R12, T18 R13, T19 R11, T19 R12, and
Wallagrass.

Total Acres Scheduled for Treatment: 240,300 acres

Section 3 Spray Contracting Firm

Firm Name: JBI Helicopter Services

Street Address: 720 Clough Mill Road

City: Pembroke **State:** NH **Zip Code:** 03275

Telephone #: (603)225-3134 **License #:** SCF15193

Delivery Mechanism: Aerial - Helicopter and fixed wing with Micronair nozzles
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Section 4**Pesticides/Acres to be Treated**

BRAND NAME	ACTIVE INGREDIENT(S) , % of Mixture	EPA REG. No.	ACRES
Mimic 2LV	Tebufenozide - 24%	8033-113-73049	238,644
Foray 76B	BTK -Bacillus thuringiensis subsp. 18.44%	73049-49	1656 (sprayed twice within the notification period)

Diluent(s): Water

Experimental Rate? Yes ☒ (Circle One)

Section 5**Forest Insect Only**

Aircraft Summary: JBI Helicopters (3 total) and Fixed wing airplanes (8 total)

Monitors: Ronald Lemin (Master for the fixed wing), Chris Huston, Kurt West and Thomas Wolf

Spotters: Chris Huston, Jason Desjardin, Ray Newcomb, Roanld Lemin, Rick Dionne

Storage & Mixing Facilities: Frenchville Airport

Maintenance Personnel: Fixed Wing maintenance crews and mechanics at the Frenchville airport, each Helicopter has a mechanic an 2 ground crew support

Section 6**Required For Board Notice Only**

Please Enclose copies of:

1. Detailed map(s) showing area(s) of application and which pesticide(s) to be used on each area, sensitive areas and major public routes of ingress and egress.

2. Copies of the newspaper notice and notification posters

Please send to:

Board of Pesticides Control
28 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0028
Tel: (207)287-2731 Fax: (207)287-7548

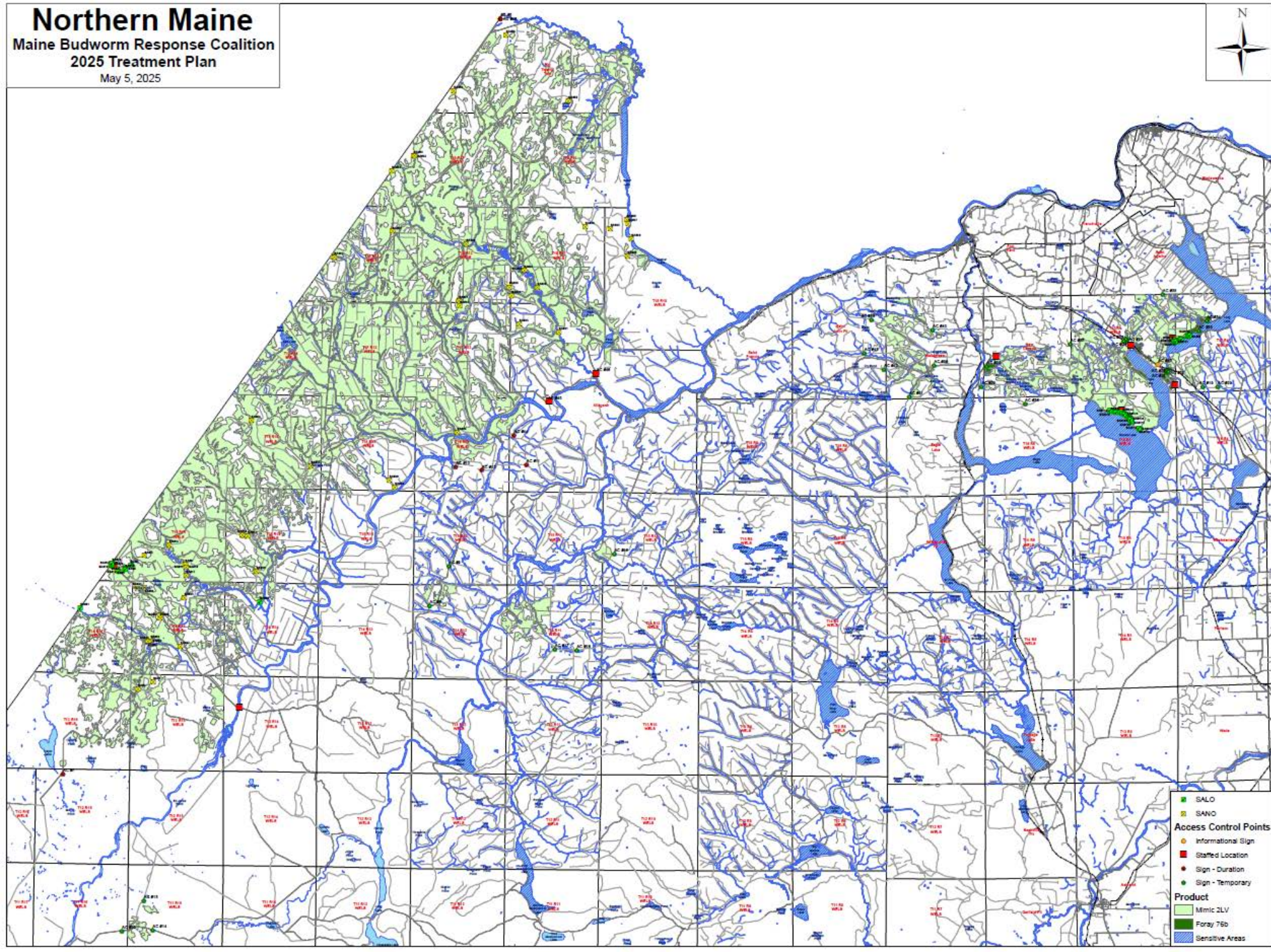
Maine Poison Control Center
Maine Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
22 Bramhall Street
Portland ME 04102
Tel: 1(800)222-1222 Fax: (207)871-6226

Northern Maine

Maine Budworm Response Coalition

2025 Treatment Plan

May 5, 2025





May 5, 2025

Alexander R. Peacock, Director
Board of Pesticides Control
Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
28 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0028

RE: Important PFAS Information on Packaging of Valent BioSciences Forest Health Products

Dear Director Peacock:

Thank you for your inquiry to Valent BioSciences regarding the presence of PFAS substances in Valent BioSciences' Forest Health products packaged for the State of Maine.

I confirm to you that Valent BioSciences does not utilize PFAS compounds as added active or inert ingredients in any of our Forest Health products, nor do the ingredients in our Forest Health products break down into short-chain PFAS chemicals. Additionally, we do not utilize fluorinated containers in any of our Forest Health products used in the State of Maine.

At Valent BioSciences, our purpose within the Public Health & Forest Health Division is straightforward: To improve human lives and protect our forests globally by effectively controlling disease-carrying and nuisance pests with biorational products that are naturally benign to people and the environment. We feel privileged to play a role in this important work. We maintain that role by keeping the safety of our products top of mind in everything we do.

Please feel free to contact me if you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Jason D. Clark'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Jason Clark
Global Director, Public Health & Forest Health

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