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Dear Colleague:

Please join us for our 51st annual meeting and training conference of the Pennsylvania Vector Control Association (PVCA) taking place October 20-22, 2025 (Monday through Wednesday), at the Graduate State College, 125 South Atherton Street, State College, PA 16801.

Fee structure for this conference is as follows:

Class 1 – Non-license and public license attendee	\$145.00
Class 2 – Commercial license with exhibit and/or presentation	\$600.00
Class 3 – Additional commercial license(s) from same company	\$145.00

Please pre-register by mailing or e-mailing a separate registration form with the name and complete mailing address for each attendee to me at address above by Saturday, September 20, 2025. Note any special needs you may have on the reservation form. (To speed up registration at the door, please mail your registration check payable to "PVCA" prior to the conference, if possible.) If attaching a business card to the registration form, complete only the items not on your card. A link for the online payments will be posted on the pavectorcontrol.org website. If sending a check, please send to the address above.

Room rates are \$139.00/night plus applicable taxes. We have a block of rooms reserved ONLY until September 20. You must make your own reservation with the Graduate State College by that date, or you will not be guaranteed a room. Even if you have not received approval to attend, you are encouraged to reserve a room. You can always cancel the reservation if you do not receive final approval. Be sure to ask for the PA Vector Control Association annual meeting when you make your reservation, to be assured of obtaining the above rate. The hotel phone number is (814) 231-2100. The link for on-line booking is:

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Attached is a preliminary agenda for the conference. If there are any changes, an updated agenda will be posted on the website http://pavectorcontrol.org. Continuing Education Credits for PA Pesticide Applicator licenses will be issued by the PA Department of Agriculture. Please have your license number with you if you wish to receive credits.

Photo Salon: Submit photos to Christian Boyer of PA DEP <u>chrboyer@pa.gov</u> or Brooke Coder at <u>brocoder@pa.gov</u>. See the website for more information.

Sincerely,

Christian Boyer, President – PVCA

Enclosures