

## Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture

### 2021 Spruce Budworm Early Intervention Strategy Program Daily Update

**Date:** June 22, 2021    **Time:** 11:30 am

#### **Message:**

The Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture will be conducting a Spruce Budworm Early Intervention Strategy Program on the west coast of Newfoundland during June 2021 using the biological control product Btk.

Information regarding the program, including maps of spruce budworm treatment block locations, is available on the Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture website at: [2021 Insect Control Program - Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture \(gov.nl.ca\)](http://2021.InsectControlProgram-Fisheries,ForestryandAgriculture.gov.nl.ca).

Individuals seeking further information about this year's program can call the department at: 1-877-636-2996 and leave a voice mail message. Messages are checked throughout the day for reply by staff. The public can also contact the department at: 709-637-2343 or by email at: [jeffmotty@gov.nl.ca](mailto:jeffmotty@gov.nl.ca).

#### **Daily Update Information:**

Treatment block 300 (South of Gros Morne) received treatment last evening (June 21) and is complete.

Treatment blocks 306, 319 and 320 (South of Gros Morne) received treatment this morning (June 22) and are complete. Treatment block 210 (East of Gros Morne) received partial treatment this morning (June 22). Treatment blocks 303 and 318 (South of Gros Morne) received partial treatment this morning (June 22).

Subject to weather conditions, treatment blocks 209 and 210 (East of Gros Morne) and treatment blocks 303, 305 and 318 (South of Gros Morne) are scheduled for further treatment today (Tuesday, June 22).

Daily updates will be provided throughout duration of the program.

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