Mosquito Control in Florida. Mosquito control in Florida has a long history dating back to 1922 when the Anti-mosquito Control Association was founded and the first Independent Mosquito Control District was formed in Vero Beach (Indian River County) in 1925. This paper will give an overview of the structure and composition of the districts in Florida. There are 67 Counties in Florida and nearly all have a mosquito control district that is governed under Chapter 388 of the Florida Statues. Most of the early districts formed are "Independent Special Districts" and the later ones that were formed under the counties and became County Programs, "Dependent Mosquito Control Districts".

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