Where do Mosquitoes Go in Winter?

ON A POSITIVE NOTE...

I HAVEN'T SEEN ANY MOSQUITOS IN WEEKS!
NO, they don’t just die...

Recorded: 12/10/2019
Geographic clustering of *Culex pipiens/restuans*

Inlet survey locations along the Richmond/Henrico border
Observations so far...

Thanksgiving - Mosquitoes!!!

Christmas - Mosquitoes!!!

Near-even split of males/females

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What’s Next?

- Continue monitoring to pinpoint when *Culex pipiens/restuans* reappear inside inlet basins and begin egg-laying
- Continue to conduct RAMP to detect possible vertical transmission
- Assess methods for treatment of basins and consider incorporating “off-season” treatments to further reduce yearly numbers
- Continue to assess inlet characteristics to determine overwintering habitat selection preferences
Questions???