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Private Property Owner's Checklist

- ☐ Remove or overturn containers capable of holding water (for example tire piles, urns, vases, buckets, etc.).
- ☐ Ensure that roof gutters are cleared of debris and roof is free of standing water.
- ☐ Sweep away puddles that last more than 5 days.
- ☐ Fill in holes or trenches in the ground.
- ☐ Regrade or repave roads, paths and/or walkways to avoid accumulating water.
- ☐ Redesign and/or repair inadequate drainage systems.
- ☐ Apply for larvicide permit, as necessary
- ☐ Have licensed applicators apply larvicide to catch basins and water bodies in the property.
- ☐ Advise employees on occupational health and safety protocols and provide personal protective equipment as necessary.