

**Chat Transcript from Pesticides & the Chesapeake Bay Conference
December 9th, 2020 – Day 4 Session**

- 10:28:11 **From Robert SanGeorge:** Thanks for an inspiring presentation, Jay! And the beard looks very distinguished...
- 10:28:50 **From gwen DuBois:** thoughts about choice of vilsackms
- 10:29:13 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Great message Jay, so helpful as we look ahead?
- 10:29:18 **From gwen DuBois:** thoughts about vilsack as head of Agriculture?
- 10:29:21 **From Clean Water Action:** Hey, everyone. I'm still looking for an answer, but I can't figure out why you cannot chat privately. Everyone should be able to chat to and attendees, but that's not working. Sorry about that!
- 10:33:37 **From Arthur:** What about legislation and policies in Maryland?
- 10:33:53 **From Clean Water Action:** I even checked our settings, and private chat is enabled, so it makes no sense why this webinar is different than the others. My apologies!
- 10:36:12 **From Susan Beal:** Cultural shift is imperative here, most certainly. Other than party line" has been marginalized for way too long - and has been largely viewed as reactionary (in the negative sense). Thanks for the work you are doing.
- 10:38:00 **From Marjorie Roswell:** https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/115004809306-Controlling-and-disabling-in-meeting-chat#h_d9a04597-0138-4fb9-86cd-81cc4c68b21f
- 10:40:29 **From Clean Water Action:** The webinar option of and attendees is checked, and in our settings private chat is enabled. My guess is that when I set up the webinar, private chat was disabled in our settings and that is what this webinar saved.
- 10:45:06 **From stuart stainman:** George, good to see you. Good points in presentation
- 10:57:37 **From Susan Beal:** Another large source of exposure is the spot on flea / tick and other livestock parasite control products. Ironically, many who are protesting the farm and garden use of these products are still using them on their pets. Huge exposures to family, environment, animals,... via this route. <https://www.whole-dog-journal.com/care/flea-care/are-topical-flea-killers-safe/>
- 11:06:04 **From Clean Water Action:** [MDFoodAndFarmWorkerProtection](#)
- 11:06:08 **From gwen DuBois:** excellent presentation Virginia
- 11:07:02 **From Susan Beal:** Also rodent and insect control exposures in housing and processing
- 11:07:03 **From Clean Water Action:** Want to attend the conversations? Sign up on our Facebook or the Google Form: <https://docs.google.com/>
- 11:22:17 **From Ana Rule:** Oooooooo.... how exciting! fingers crossed!
- 11:22:37 **From Donna Scott:** YAH!
- 11:22:44 **From D' Williams:** Congrats Donna
- 11:22:44 **From Ana Rule:** Yay!!! congrats Donna!
- 11:22:57 **From sheen goldberg:** Congratulations!!
- 11:23:06 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Donna we ll mail this out to you right away!
- 11:23:47 **From Donna Scott:** that is fantastic !!! thank you all for all of the great information! this has been very informational for work and home.

11:23:54 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Please take 1 minute to give us feedback using this survey: <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6051425/New-Survey>

11:23:58 **From sdery:** this has been a great conference and I wouldn't have been able to attend if not online. I plan to join volunteer ranks soon.

11:24:28 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Terrific new sdery!!!

11:24:43 **From Cathy Smith:** Thanks Greg and all the organizers for this conference to continue such critical and important work! We appreciate the creative efforts to come up with the alternative format.

11:25:26 **From sheen goldberg:** I hope so. This conference is always amazing. If it is virtual next year please select a different day (not Wednesday) since a lot of organizations pick Wednesdays for meetings.

11:25:46 **From Robert SanGeorge:** Wonderful job, Greg! Many thanks!

11:25:48 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Look for my email with the link to our conference webpage for all the videos and resources and a reminder to file out our SURVEY!! Thanks so much for attending.

11:27:13 **From Doug Miller:** A pleasure! Thank you, Greg!

11:27:21 **From Susan Beal:** Thanks all, for doing this - and for helping it to function on this new virtual meeting. I miss Pearlstone - though I didn't miss the drive in the wee hours to get there. Take good care

11:27:23 **From D' Williams:** Thank you!

11:27:31 **From Kedzior, Sya B.:** thank you

11:27:35 **From Donna Scott:** thank you all again

11:27:36 **From HG Doebel:** Thanks a lot!

11:27:38 **From Ana Rule:** thank you!!!

11:27:39 **From Bonnie Raindrop:** Arthur I missed answering your question in Q&A, the answer is only certified applicators can use neonic-containing products—farmers and professional/certified applicators.

11:27:51 **From Mike Ichniowski-Maryland AAP:** Thanks everyone for so much useful and inspiring information!