



# MVCAC

Mosquito and Vector Control  
Association of California

## MVCAC 94<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference

**February 1-4**

**Omni Rancho Las Palmas**

**DRAFT as of 9/15/2025**

### **Sunday February 1, 2026**

8:00 AM	Munzy Golf Tournament*	Omni Rancho Las Palmas Country Club
10:00 AM-2:00 PM	Trustee Training/Coachella District Tour* Leadership Training for Elected/Appointees provided by Sedgwick	Fiesta 1-3/Coachella District
12:00 Noon	Tours of Coachella MVCD Begin (open to all)*	
2:00 pm	Outrunning Mosquitoes 5K*	Location TBD
2:00 pm	Registration opens	Ballroom Foyer
4:00-5:00 pm	Moderator training/Speaker practice	Fiesta Ballroom
6:00-8:00 pm	Exhibit Hall open/Welcome Reception	Las Palmas Ballroom

### **Monday February 2, 2026**

7:00am-4:00pm	Exhibitor Show/Registration Open	
7:00-8:00 am	Morning coffee inside Exhibit Hall	
Plenary Session 8:00 am- 12:00 pm 8:00 am	Plenary Session Welcome to the conference Paula Macedo, DVM, PhD, MVCAC President	Fiesta Ballroom
8:15 am	What is One Health and WHY does it matter to 'you'? Cheryl Stroud, DVM, PhD Executive Director, One Health Commission  One Health in California Kim Conway, DVM, MPVM, DACVPM One Health Lead, Center for Environmental Health, California Department of Public Health  One Health in Action: Vector Borne Diseases in California Anne Kjemtrup, DVM, MPVM, PhD Research And Development Scientist at California Department of Public Health  Jack Raney Closing Plenary Speaker: Life After West Nile: A Survivor's Story	

10:30-11:00 am	Morning Break with exhibitors	
11:00 am	William C. Reeves New Investigator Awards	
12:00-1:15 pm	Poster session lunch (Lunch provided)	Las Palmas Ballroom
1:30-5:00	Breakouts	
5:00 PM	Sessions End	

**Tuesday February 3, 2026**

7:00am-2:00 pm	Exhibitor Show/Registration Open	Las Palmas Ballroom
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Concurrent Sessions:

8:00-12:00 pm

12:00-2:00 PM	Awards/Networking lunch (provided) MVCAC and AMCA updates	Starlight Terrace
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2:00-4:00 pm  
Session's end

**Evening events**

5:30 pm	Social reception/Managers Photo	Omni Lawn
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6:30 pm	Closing Event (included or optional)	Omni Lawn
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**Wednesday February 4, 2026**

8:30 AM	Board of Directors Meeting	Fiesta 4
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10:00 AM	Drone workshop*	Coachella MVCD District
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\*Additional sign up or fee applies