

# Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California Information Technology Committee Charges 2025

Committee meets twice a year on the  $2^{nd}$  Monday of April and October, and additionally as requested by Drone Committee Members, other Committees, or Board of Directors.

#### **Standing Charges**

1. Serve as a resource for issues related to Information Technology that may affect member agencies and/or the MVCAC.

• Status: Ongoing

2. Plan, provide, and/or provide information for workshops on IT related topics.

Status: Ongoing

3. Provide support for the Google Workspace infrastructure for the MVCAC committees.

Status: Ongoing

#### 2025 Projects

- 1. Cyber Security Best Management Practices Video
  - Real stories of hack attempts at MVCAC or similar agencies
  - What do I do if?...
    - i. I got a suspicious email
    - ii. I clicked a link
  - What is MISAC? Should I be a member?
  - Do I need an IT professional contractor?
  - Hacker's strategies
  - If you see something, say something
  - Human element in the security chain
  - Know B4 and other security awareness training

#### Planning Notes:

- There was interest in the idea of continuing to have videos/webinars on cyber security issues. Various ideas on the way to move forward.
- Assigned: IT Committee
- 2. For MVCAC Google Workspace On-Board the various MVCAC committees, sub-committees, and working groups.
  - Due end of February 2025



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### **Committee members:**

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