

Public Information Meeting
"The Gypsy Moth Problem"

Monday, January 26, 2004
7:00-9:00pm

Crest Drive Elementary School
1155 Crest Drive
Eugene, OR 97405

The Oregon Department of Agriculture is proposing an eradication program for a gypsy moth infestation detected in the Crest Drive area in the south hills of Eugene. The department proposes three applications applied by helicopter of the biological insecticide *Bacillus thuringiensis var. kurstaki* in late April - May 2004, to eradicate gypsy moth from the area. An intensive pheromone trapping program would follow. The eradication area is about 183 acres roughly centered on the intersection of Crest Drive and Courtney Place.

You are invited to attend this public information meeting to learn more about the gypsy moth and the proposed eradication program. For more information contact the **Oregon Department of Agriculture: Kathleen Johnson 1-800-525-0137, Bruce Pokarney 503-986-4559, TTY (hearing impaired), 503-986-4762; or by email at gypsymoth@oda.state.or.us.**

Individuals with disabilities requiring accommodations at the public information meeting should contact Kathleen Johnson as soon as possible at the number above.