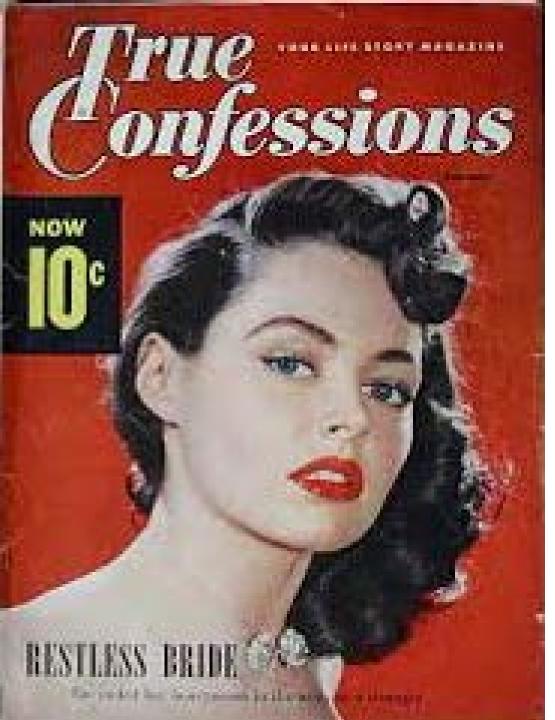
# Confessions of a serial association president

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- Love
- Crime
- Drama
- Relationships
- Advice
- Lessons Learned







#### Vice President 2008-09 President Elect 2009-10 President 2010-11 Past President 2011-12

Vice President 2011-12 President Elect 2012-13 President 2013-14 Past President 2014-15



### A time for change

- Executive Director
  - ALWAYS have more than one person on the Board who is looking at the original bank statements
- Move towards electronic
- Website
- Transparency
- Responsibilities of Board Members
  - Ask questions, no matter how trivial they may seem
  - If something doesn't seem quite right, follow your instinct, act now!

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## Looking to the future

- Association Headquarters
- Young Professionals
- Generational differences
- Board size
- Keeping the state associations close to the national association

- First Man
  - Logistics and transportation
- Friends, co-workers





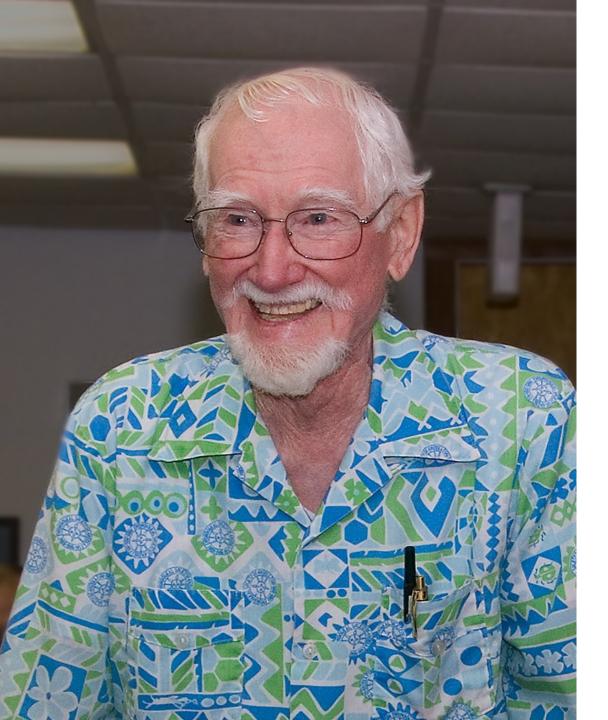


## Some considerations if you are called on to be an officer

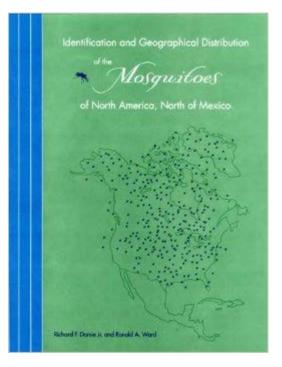
- Experience on the Board is helpful
- Employer's blessing
- Employee's blessing
- Funding
- Time
- Electronic advances have changed the way Boards do business
- I've never known a past president who said....

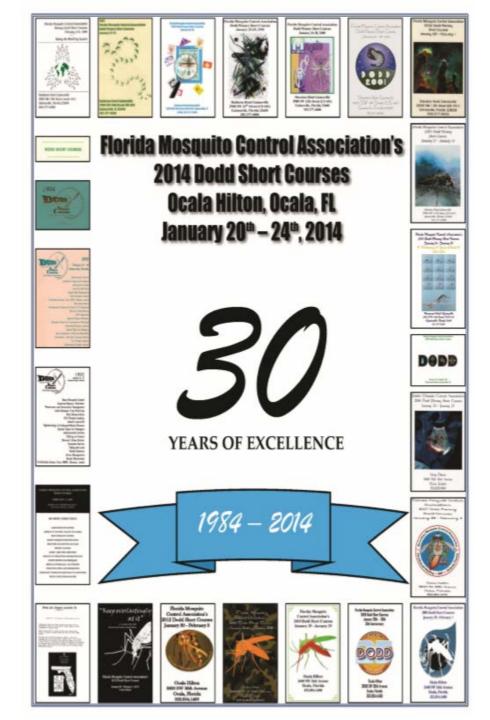


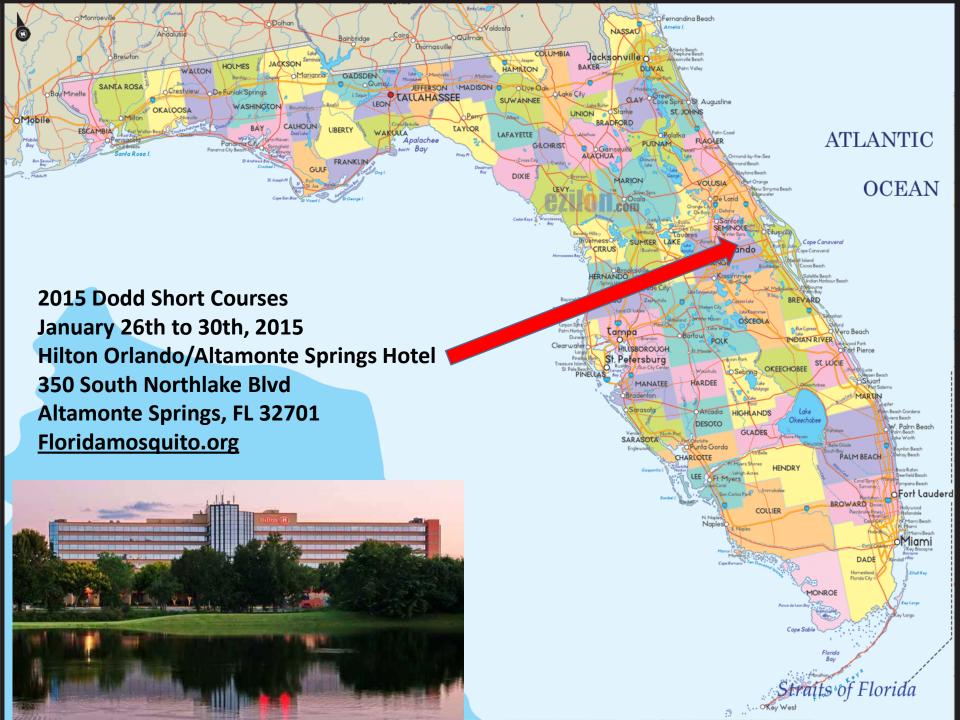
Life after being a President



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|                      | Travel-associated cases |        | Locally-transmitted cases |        |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
|                      | (N=:                    | 1,371) | (N=1                      | .1)    |
| State                | No.                     | (%)    | No.                       | (%)    |
| Alabama              | 13                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Arizona              | 8                       | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Arkansas             | 4                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| California           | 34                      | (2)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Colorado             | 9                       | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Connecticut          | 24                      | (2)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Delaware             | 3                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| District of Columbia | 8                       | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Florida              | 248                     | (18)   | 11                        | (100)  |
| Georgia              | 21                      | (2)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Hawaii               | 5                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Idaho                | 1                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Illinois             | 9                       | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Indiana              | 21                      | (2)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| lowa                 | 2                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Kansas               | 5                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Kentucky             | 20                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Louisiana            | 12                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Maine                | 4                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Maryland             | 37                      | (3)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Massachusetts        | 73                      | (5)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Michigan             | 15                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Minnesota            | 21                      | (2)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Mississippi          | 7                       | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Missouri             | 10                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| Nebraska             | 5                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| Nevada               | 1                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0)    |
| New Hampshire        | 13                      | (1)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| New Jersey           | 122                     | (9)    | 0                         | (0)    |
| New Mexico           | 1                       | (<1)   | 0                         | (0) Se |
| New York             | 342                     | (25)   | 0                         | (0) D  |

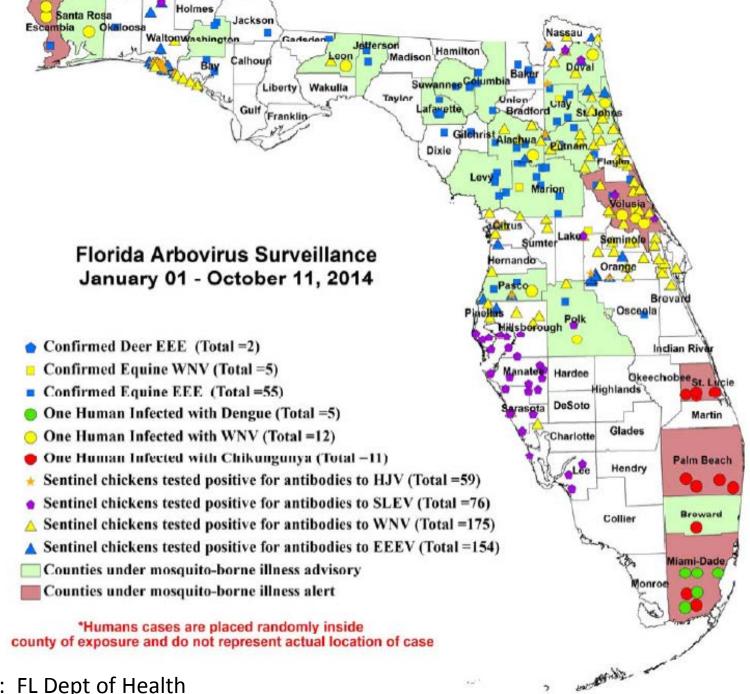
#### Table 1. Laboratory-confirmed chikungunya virus disease cases reported to ArboNET by state — United States, 2014 (as of October 14)\*

Source, Centers for Disease Control

#### Protecting Florida from dengue and chikungunya through control of *Aedes aegypti* and *Aedes albopictus June 3 – 4 , 2014*







Source: FL Dept of Health

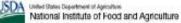
#### Florida Resident's

#### **Guide to Mosquito Control**

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Thank you for the invitation to come to the GMCA meeting!

