

Institutional Review Board (IRB) Authorization Agreement

Name of Institution or Organization Providing IRB Review (Institution/Organization A):
Western Connecticut State University

Federalwide Assurance (FWA) #: **00007761**

Name of Institution Relying on the Designated IRB (Institution B): **University of Rhode Island**

FWA #: **00003132**

The Officials signing below agree that University of Rhode Island may rely on the designated IRB for review and continuing oversight of its human subjects research described below: *(check one)*

This agreement applies to all human subjects research covered by Institution B's FWA.

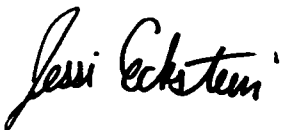
This agreement is limited to the following specific protocol(s):

Name of Research Project: **Backyard Integrated Tick Management**
Name of Principal Investigator (Institution A): **Neeta Connally**
Name of Principal Investigator (Institution B): **Thomas Mather**
Sponsor or Funding Agency: CDC Award Number, if any: **1U01CK0004912-01**

Other *(describe)*: _____

The review performed by the designated IRB will meet the human subject protection requirements of Institution B's OHRP-approved FWA. The IRB at Institution/Organization A will follow written procedures for reporting its findings and actions to appropriate officials at Institution B. Relevant minutes of IRB meetings will be made available to Institution B upon request. Institution B remains responsible for ensuring compliance with the IRB's determinations and with the Terms of its OHRP-approved FWA. This document must be kept on file by both parties and provided to OHRP upon request.

Signature of Signatory Official (Institution/Organization A):



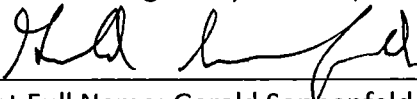
Date: 1/30/17

Print Full Name: *Jessica Eckstein*

Institutional Title: Chair, WCSU Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects Research

NOTE: The IRB of Institution A must be designated on the OHRP-approved FWA for Institution B.

Signature of Signatory Official (Institution B):



Date: 2/1/2017

Print Full Name: **Gerald Sonnenfeld, Ph.D.**

Vice President of Research and Economic Development

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