



Fire Ants in Lubbock

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Fire ants have been in the City of Lubbock since at least 1984 and have spread since then. Dr. Harlan Thorvilson, Entomologist at Texas Tech University, conducted a city-wide survey in the fall of 2005, and his map is reprinted below. **Fire ants have spread since this map was created, and fire ants may be present in areas where they did not show up on the 2005 survey.**

Fall 2005 Fire Ant Survey Red circles indicate that fire ants were present

