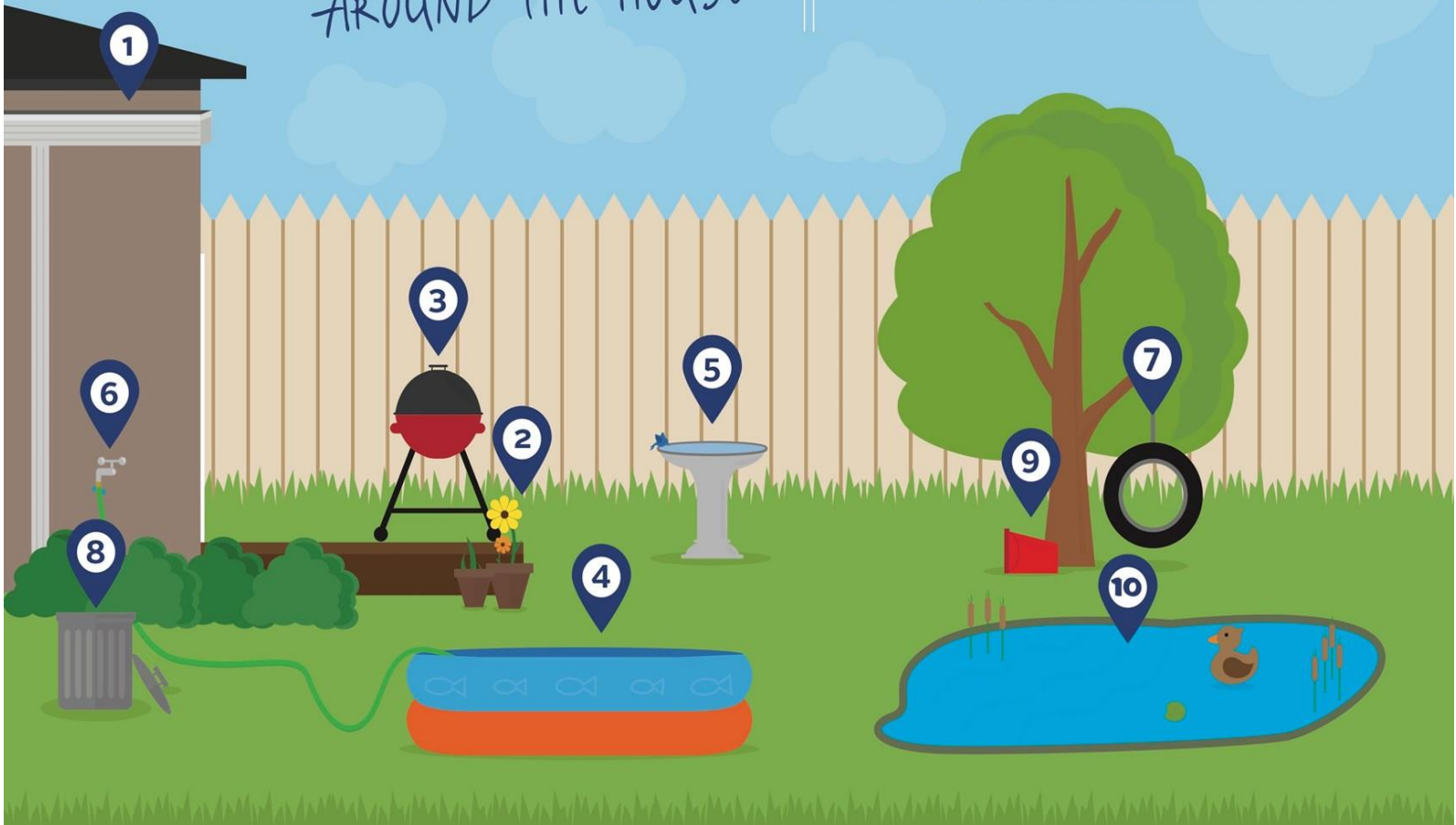


PREVENTING MOSQUITO BREEDING GROUNDS AROUND THE HOUSE

Are you unknowingly attracting mosquitoes to your property? Mosquitoes can breed in as little as a ½ inch of standing water, so even items containing water the size of a bottle cap may be mosquito magnets. The diagram below shows the areas around the home that may be prone to mosquitoes.



1 GUTTERS – Remove leaves and other debris from gutters

2 FLOWERPOTS – Pour out stagnant water from flowerpots and planters

3 GRILL COVER – Make sure water isn't gathering on top of the grill cover

4 BABY POOL – Don't let water sit in baby pools for long periods of time

5 BIRDBATH – Frequently change out the water in birdbaths

6 LEAKY PIPES – Repair any leaky pipes or faucets

7 TIRES – Drill holes in the bottom of tire swings and wheel barrels to allow water to drain

8 TRASH CANS – Ensure trash cans are tightly sealed and lids aren't flipped upside down

9 BUCKETS – Remove water collecting in buckets and toys

10 PONDS – Keep swimming pools and ponds adequately treated