

CMMCP WEEKLY SURVEILLANCE REPORT



EPI week #35
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Weekly Report- 8/25/19-8/31/19
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Cumulative Surveillance Summary

Target Species	<i>Ae. vex</i>	<i>Cq. per</i>	<i>Cs. mel</i>	<i>Oc. can</i>	<i>Culex</i>	All Species
No. Pools	200	1095	317	286	1038	5165
Total Specimens	1264	166597	2094	4446	16487	200345
No. Pools WNV +	0	0	0	0	9 [†]	9 [†]
No. Pools EEE +	2 [†]	15 [†]	0	0	3 [†]	20 [†]

[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Worcester on 7/26/19

[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Stow on 7/31/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Coquillettidia perturbans* collected in Southborough on 7/31/19

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[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Worcester on 8/6/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Coquillettidia perturbans* collected in Hopkinton on 8/6/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Coquillettidia perturbans* collected in Westborough on 8/8/19

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[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Worcester on 8/20/19

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[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Leominster on 8/20/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Coquillettidia perturbans* collected in Southborough on 8/21/19

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[†]Pool of EEE+ *Aedes vexans* collected in Southborough on 8/21/19

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[†]Pool of EEE+ *Culex* species collected in Hudson on 8/21/19

[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Holliston on 8/21/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Culex* species collected in Marlborough on 8/21/19

[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Littleton on 8/22/19

[†]Pool of WNV+ *Culex* species collected in Auburn on 8/23/19

[†]Pool of EEE+ *Coquillettidia perturbans* collected in Sherborn on 8/25/19

Weather Summary (Northborough, MA): The weather for this particular week averaged 65.91°F with a recorded high temperature of 87.10°F and a recorded low temperature of only 46.20°F. For this week there was also a total of 1.42 inches of rain observed. Compared to the previous week, it was approximately 7.62°F cooler on

average, and rained about 1.27 inches more. There has been 3.37 inches of rain accumulated in August, after 5.20 inches for the month of July.

CMMCP Mosquito Summary-

Target Species	Δ From Last Week	Δ From Last Year	Predominant Trap Site(s)
<i>Aedes vexans</i>	-21.54%	+7.940%	Devens, Natick
<i>Coquillettidia perturbans</i>	-40.50%	+284.3%	Boxborough, Milford
<i>Culiseta melanura</i>	+123.3%	+612.6%	Boxborough, Hopkinton
<i>Ochlerotatus canadensis</i>	+140.0%	+135.2%	Millbury, Sherborn
<i>Culex</i> Species	-34.74%	-50.07%	Hopkinton, Hopedale
All Species	-24.84%	+133.3%	Hopkinton, Boxborough

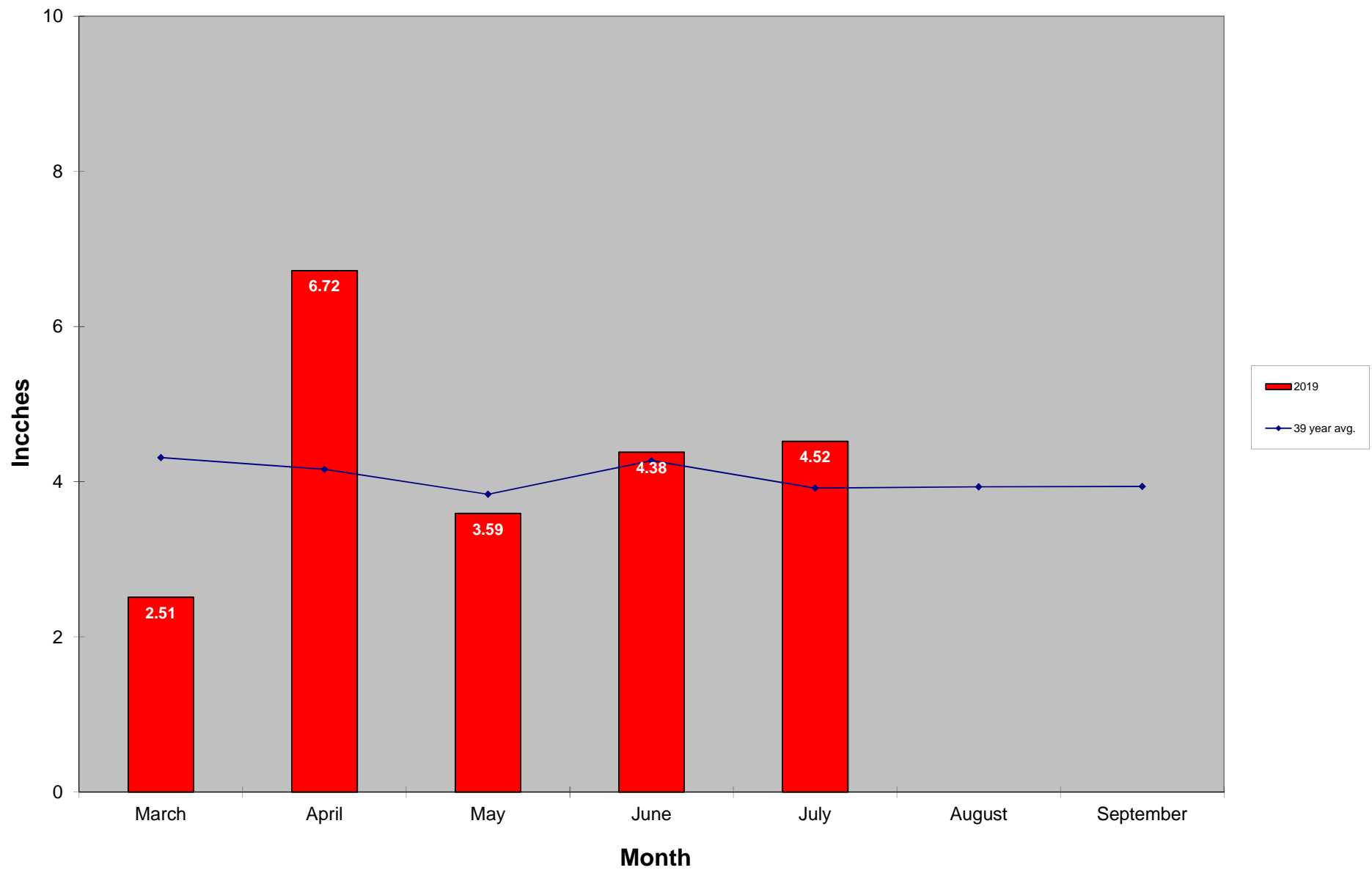
The predominant mosquito for the week was *Coquillettidia perturbans*, followed by *Culex*.

General narrative: The temperatures for EPI week 35 averaged approximately 7.62°F cooler than the previous week, with 1.42 inches of precipitation observed. *Culiseta melanura* and *Ochlerotatus canadensis* were the only target mosquitoes that experienced an increase this surveillance week, while all others decreased. Overall there was significant reduction in the general mosquito population, influenced by a decrease in *Coquillettidia perturbans*. *Coquillettidia perturbans* was once again the most abundant mosquito species for the week, followed by *Culex*. All target species have been collected in higher numbers this year compared to last, except for *Culex*. *Coquillettidia perturbans* should continue to decrease as we enter the last weeks of the 2019 mosquito surveillance season. Surveillance for *Aedes albopictus* using ovitraps has been suspended per a request from MDPH.

***Aedes albopictus* Surveillance Data**

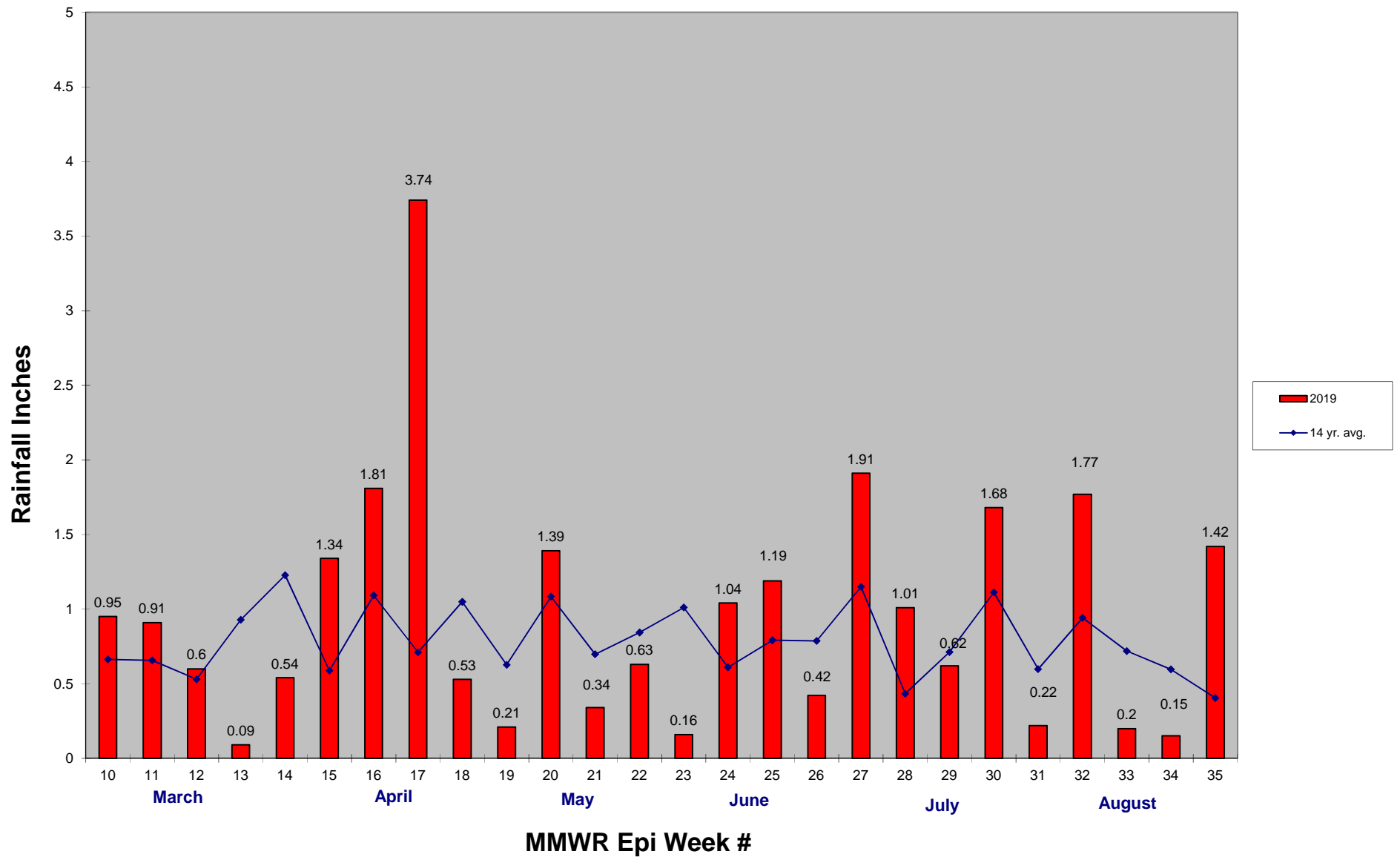
	# Ovitrap	# Eggs
EPI Week #22	31	4
EPI Week #23	21	221
EPI Week #24	33	530
EPI Week #25	37	1294
EPI Week #26	37	1100
EPI Week #27	-	-
EPI Week #28	35	3527
EPI Week #29	35	1481
EPI Week #30	35	1946
EPI Week #31	35	2373
EPI Week #32	25	941
EPI Week #33	-	-
EPI Week #34	-	-
EPI Week #35	-	-

2019 Mass. Rainfall Data vs. 39 Year Average*



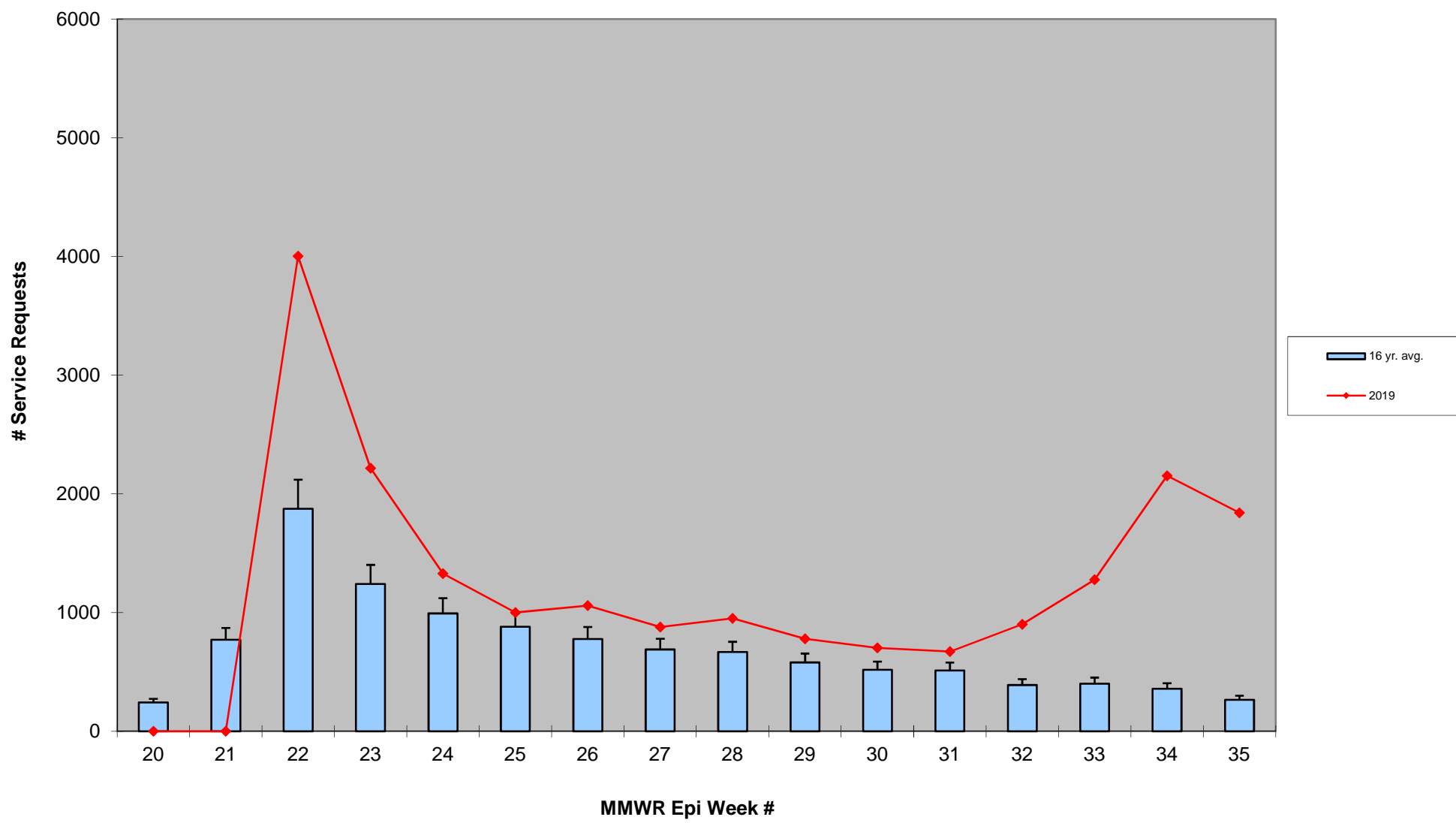
*source: <http://www.nrcc.cornell.edu/regional/tables/tables.html>

2019 CMMCP Weekly Rainfall vs. 14 Year Average*



*source: CMMCP weather station Northborough, MA

ULV Service Request History Comparison 2003-2019



2019 Rainfall vs. Requests

