

**SHAHNAZ PARVEEN**

Locals complained that the areas are now heavily infested by mosquitoes but efforts to control the insects are going on at a very

"We are really afraid of diseases like dengue and malaria which are spread by mosquitoes. Frequent power outages add to all the suffering. It becomes unbear-

Culex mosquitoes are painful and persistent biters, which prefer to attack at dusk and after dark. Stagnant water helps increase their population. The city experienced the same situation during and after the floods last year, he added.

DCC has 411 spray men who use 941 hand-spray machines in their drive in the city's 90 wards. The number of fogger machines being used is 297.

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**A DCC worker 'vainly' fights mosquitoes at a water body with his fogger machine.**

SYED ZAKIR HOSSAIN

**Construction still continues on the lands for the proposed link road.**

"It has been inappropriate and unwise, from planning point of view, to reduce the width of the road (Bijoy Sarani) into 60 feet," he said. "It is not understandable how the project was approved."

According to Prof Rahman, ad-grade road is the preferred option within a city, unless it is

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## RIZANUZZAMAN LASKAR

Abdur Rashid, a service provider from Panthapath has to drop his daughter at her school at

"Some of the decisions taken by the authorities seem quite irrelevant to me, which I believe

"Although a number of law enforcers are stationed on the lip of one-way-marked streets, one or two vehicles still manage to

Dhanmondi -- best recognized for its jungle of apartment buildings, private hospitals, schools and more importantly, its chaotic traffic congestion and pollution -- has transformed into a less chaotic place since the Dhaka Metropolitan Police (DMP) enforced the one ways on a number of its streets, said

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