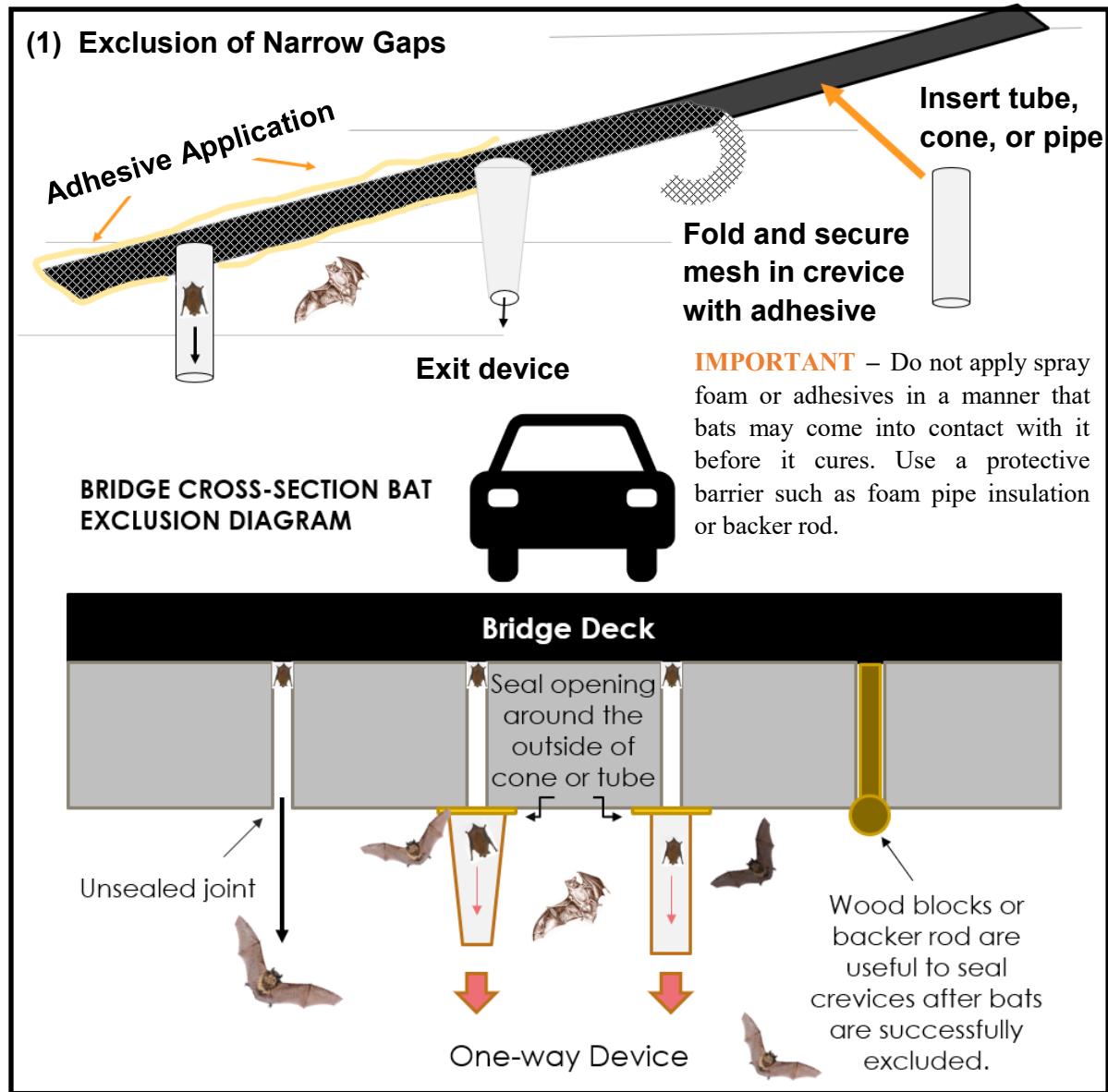




Common Exclusion Techniques

(1) **Exclusion of Narrow Gaps** such as expansion joints, abutment crevices, cracks, spalling, and concrete failures.

METHOD: Insert one-way exit device into the gap and surround it with a rigid mesh, netting, or wood. Use adhesive or compound to anchor the device and seal any remaining gaps. For entry/exit points that are larger than a cone, tube, or pipe opening, use more than one device in combination with mesh.



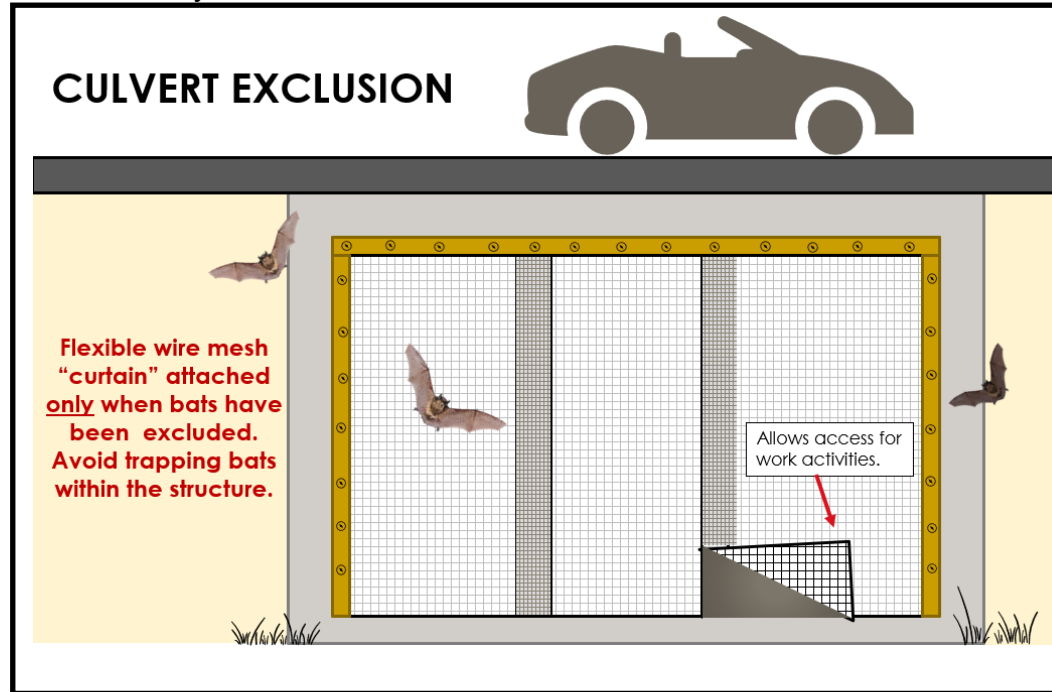
IMPORTANT – Site conditions and techniques vary. Consult with an experienced bat professional, specialty contractor, and/or FWC on suitability in advance.

Exclusion prohibited during maternity season, April 16 - Aug. 14. and when temperature are forecasted to be below 50°F.

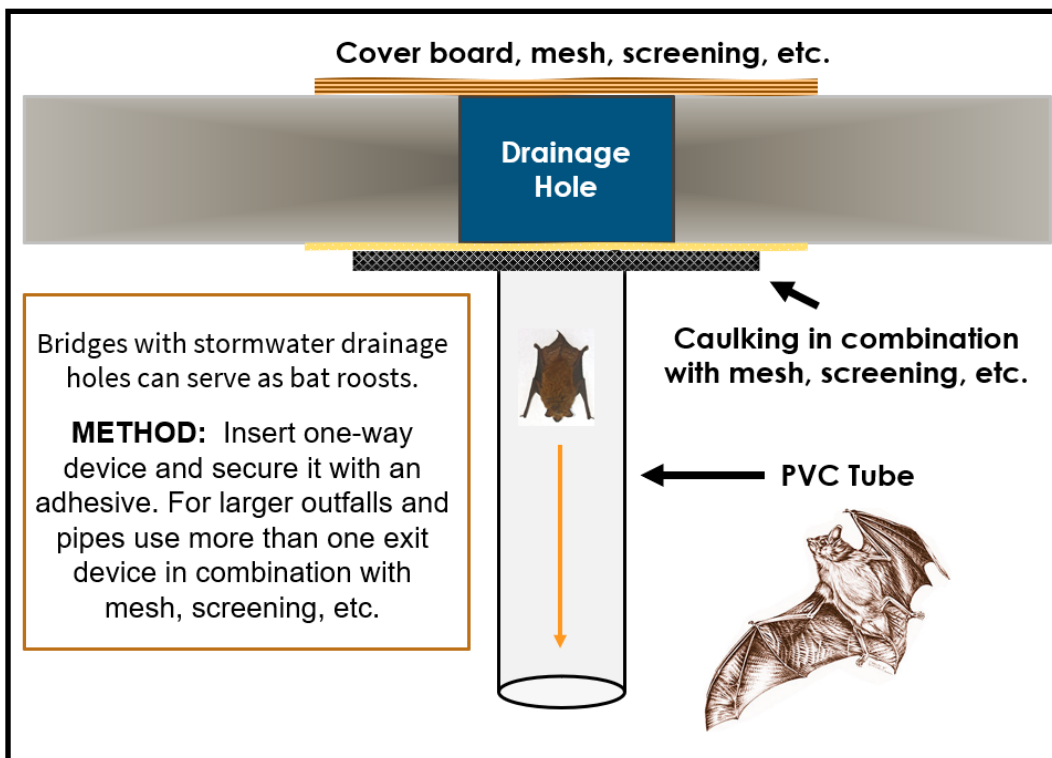


(2) **Culverts** such as bridge, box, etc.

METHOD: First review culvert interior for gaps, cracks, joints, or crevices. If identified, go through the exclusion installation process as describe for (1) **Narrow Gaps**. Once bats within gaps are excluded, "curtain" mesh can be installed to prevent bats from returning. Culverts can range in size and often have moving water; therefore, site specific conditions must be fully evaluated.



(3) **Drainage Pipes** such weep holes, down spouts, scuppers, ducts, vents, drains, and other drainage features.



(4) **Building Exclusion** with one-way devices (tubes, cones, pipes) .

