

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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NATIONAL POLLINATOR WEEK
June 22-26, 2020

By the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS pollination plays a vital role in the nation's healthy, biodiverse ecosystems, sustainable diverse agriculture; and

WHEREAS the mission of the United States Environmental Protection Agency is to protect human health and the environment; and

WHEREAS EPA continues to advance the scientific knowledge and assessment of pesticide risks to pollinators; and

WHEREAS EPA continues to improve risk management strategies for mitigating potential risks to pollinators; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in recognition of the importance of pollinators to healthy ecosystems and sustainable diverse agriculture, I, Andrew R. Wheeler, Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, do hereby proclaim June 22-26, 2020, as National Pollinator Week at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. I call upon the people of the United States to join me in celebrating the significance of pollinators with appropriate observances and activities.



ANDREW R. WHEELER
Administrator