



25th ANNUAL NAPPC INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Agenda

October 21st – 23rd, 2025

Virtual Meeting on Zoom



Tuesday, October 21st

8:00 AM PT / 11:00 AM ET

[10 mins]

Welcome and Technical Instructions

Shannon Farmer, *NAPPC Manager* at Pollinator Partnership

Lora Morandin, *Associate Director* at Pollinator Partnership

Kelly Bills, *Executive Director* at Pollinator Partnership

8:10 AM PT / 11:10 AM ET

[75 mins]

Keynote Speakers

Dr. Julie Thorstenson, *Executive Director* at The Native American Fish & Wildlife Society: *NAFWS's Collaborative Approach to Environmental Stewardship.*

Megan Denver, *Chief Executive Officer of Bees for Development North America: The Role of Beekeeping for Rural Development.*

Dr. Kristen Lear, *Director of Agave Restoration Program at BatCon International: Woven by Wings: Connecting Communities Through Bat Pollinator Corridor Conservation and Agave Restoration.*

9:20 AM PT / 12:20 PM ET

[15 mins]

BREAK

9:35 AM PT / 12:35 PM ET

[50 mins]

Keynote Speakers

Dr. Hollis Woodard, *Associate Professor at the University of California, Riverside: Native Bee Monitoring Network.*

Dr. Juliana Rangel, *Professor of Apiculture at Texas A&M University: Nutritional ecology of honey bees in a changing landscape.*

10:25 AM PT / 1:25 PM ET

[30 mins]

BREAK

10:55 AM PT / 1:55 PM ET
[40 mins]

NAPPC Award Ceremony

U.S. Pollinator Advocate Award Winner
Canadian Pollinator Advocate Award Winner
Mexican Pollinator Advocate Award Winner
U.S. Farmer/Rancher Award Winner
CFA Presents the Canadian Farmer/Rancher Award Winner
Mexican Farmer/Rancher Award Winner
EPRI presents the Pollinator Electric Power Award Winner
Pollinator Roadside Award Winner

11:35 AM PT / 2:25 PM ET
[5 mins]

Kelly Bills: Thank you and closing

Wednesday, October 22nd

8:00 AM PT / 11:00 AM ET
[5 mins]

NAPPC Member Welcome

Shannon Farmer, *NAPPC Manager* at Pollinator Partnership

8:05 AM PT / 11:05 AM ET
[10 mins]

NAPPC 25th Anniversary Video

8:15 AM PT / 11:15 AM ET
[15 mins]

Erika Ortigoza Vázquez, COESBIOH: *Reflection of NAPPC Mexico Regional Meeting*

8:30 AM PT / 11:30 AM ET
[50 mins]

NAPPC Member Moments

Cody Wilson: Bee Friendly Farming Third Party Updates

Timothy Jackson: Building a Community for People and Pollinators

Emily Schmidt: Tropi STOP

Sarah Red-Laird: "Bison as Bee Habitat Engineers" Field Work Update

Becky Martin: Toyota Pollinator Friendly Places Program

Olav Rueppel: Honey bee viruses in the field, the lab, and the bee

Tim Fredricks: Collaborating to create pollinator habitat and a new tool for pollinator researchers

Morgan Belle: Monarch Butterfly Research and Engagement with Disney Conservation

Coro Arizmendi: Pollinator Gardens in Mexico

Annika Wilcox: Saving the Buzz: An Overview of Wildlife Preservation Canada's Bumble Bee Recovery Program

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[30 mins]

9:50 AM PT / 12:50 PM ET

[50 mins]

NAPPC Member Moments

Andony Melathopoulos: Melittoflora: A tool for visualizing bee-plant interactions at a state level

James Hart: Project Wingspan Golden State

Diana Cox-Foster: Availability of bee data on ARS.Biocollections

Marissa Jensen: What's the Buzz with PF & QF

Anthony Colangelo: PlanBee

Lily Peppers: Monarchs and More: Practical Resources from MJV

Rebecca Louie: Bee the Solution: A CommSci Pollinator Data Initiative

Kim Pegram: Pollinator Conservation at Desert Botanical Garden

Mara Koenig: Update from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Center for Pollinator Conservation

Sara Wittenberg: Bee Friendly Gardening

Ilan Domnich: Monitoring Alberta's Native Bees

Task Force Breakout Sessions

5-minute presentations from co-chairs to groups about previous workplans

Closing Instructions

10:40 AM PT / 1:40 PM ET

[100 mins]

12:00 PM PT / 3:00 PM ET

[12 mins]

Thursday, October 23rd

8:00 AM PT / 11:00 AM ET

[5 mins]

Welcome and Instructions

8:05 AM PT / 11:05 AM ET

[90 mins]

Task Force Breakout Sessions

Solidifying plans for 2025-2026 Work Plans, and choosing presenter

9:35 AM PT / 12:35 PM ET

[20 mins]

BREAK

9:55 AM PT / 12:55 PM ET

[65 mins]

NAPPC: Power of Partnerships Panel

11:00 AM PT / 2:00 PM ET

[10 mins]

BREAK

11:10 AM PT / 2:10 PM ET

[50 mins]

Task Forces Present 2025-2026 Plans

11:50 AM PT / 2:50 PM ET

[15 mins]

Closing and Thank You