

Governor's Proclamation



WHEREAS, pollinator species such as birds and insects contribute to farming, ranching and food production. At the same time, they help maintain healthy, biodiverse ecosystems; and

WHEREAS, pollination plays a vital role in garden, field, forest and grassland health. Gardens, fields, forests and grasslands provide habitat, ag production, recreational opportunities and economic benefits; and

WHEREAS, the State of Wyoming provides conservation assistance to protect pollinators and maintain pollinator habitats on private and public lands; and

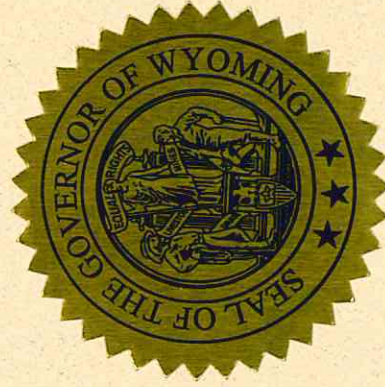
WHEREAS, Pollinator Week is an opportunity to engage in activities that increase awareness of pollinators, particularly native species, and their importance to agriculture, gardens and large-scale landscapes.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MATTHEW H. MEAD, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby proclaim June 18-24, 2018 as

POLLINATOR WEEK

in Wyoming.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 14 day of June, 2018.



A blue ink signature of Matthew H. Mead, written in a cursive style.

Matthew H. Mead
Governor