City of Clarkson, KY Proclamation Pollinator Week 2025

WHEREAS, pollinator species such as birds and insects are essential partners of farmers and ranchers in producing much of our food supply; and

WHEREAS, pollination plays a vital role in the health of our forests, parks, and grasslands, which provide forage, fish and wildlife, timber, water, mineral resources, and recreational opportunities as well as enhanced economic development opportunities for communities; and

WHEREAS, pollinator species provide significant environmental benefits that are necessary for maintaining healthy, bio-diverse ecosystems; and

WHEREAS, the City of Clarkson manages a city park with nature and walking trails, as well as a pollinator garden, which was established in the spring of 2023 and expanded in the spring of 2024; and

WHEREAS, the City of Clarkson supports and applauds the efforts of the Kelley Beekeeping Company to protect the honey bee through education awareness and the manufacturing of beekeeping supplies to individuals, groups, and companies all across the nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bonnie Henderson, Mayor of the City of Clarkson, Kentucky, do hereby proclaim the week of September 15th – 21st as;

Pollinator Week

throughout the City of Clarkson, and urge all citizens to recognize this observance.

Adopted this 11th day of August, 2025.

ONNIE G. HENDERSON

MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTTY GORE

CITY CLERK-TREASURER