



**Greenwood in
Bloom Pollinator
Partners
Bee City USA**



Committee is authorized to, and needs to:

Have a Celebration:

Annually celebrate National Pollinator Week (third full week of June) or some other appropriate occasion with educational events, pollinator habitat plantings or restoration, proclamations or promotions that showcase Greenwood's commitment to enhancing pollinator health and habitat.

Publicity & Information:

Install and maintain at least one authorized BEE CITY USA street sign in a prominent location, and create and maintain a webpage on the City of Greenwood website which includes, at minimum, a copy of this resolution, links to the national BEE CITY USA website, contact information for the local government's BEE CITY USA liaison, Ann Barklow's contact information for the "Pollinators Partner Committee," and reports of the pollinator-friendly activities the community has accomplished the previous year(s).

Habitat: Develop and implement a program to create or expand pollinator-friendly habitat, which can include, but is not limited to:

- i. Identification and inventory of the City of Greenwood's real property that can be enhanced with pollinator-friendly plantings.
- ii. Creation of a recommended locally native species list to include forbs, grasses, vines, shrubs, and trees and a list of local suppliers for those species. (that are neonicotinoids free)
- iii. Creation of a least toxic integrated pesticide management plan, and
- iv. Dissemination of informational and educational materials to the public.
- v. Tracking annual area of pollinator habitat created or enhanced by square footage and/or acreage.

Policy: Establish, through the City of Greenwood, a policy in the Landscape Plan of the City of Greenwood's Comprehensive Plan to acknowledge and commit to the BEE CITY USA designation.

Plan Review: Review the Landscape Plan and other relevant documents to review pesticide management policies and practices as they relate to pollinator conservation, identify appropriate locations for pollinator-friendly plantings, and consider other appropriate measures.

Renewal: After completing the first full year as a BEE CITY USA affiliate, each January, apply for renewal of the City of Greenwood's BEE CITY USA designation following the format provided by BEE CITY USA, including a report of the previous year's BEE CITY USA activities, and paying the renewal fee based on the City of Greenwood's population.