



Town of North Beach Maryland Observes Pollinator Week 2021

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 national forests and grasslands, which provide forage, fish and wildlife, timber, water, mineral resources, and recreational opportunities as well as enhanced economic development opportunities for local communities; and

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

WHEREAS, the **Town of North Beach Maryland** has managed wildlife habitats and public lands such as parks, canopy trees, wetlands and grasslands for decades; and

WHEREAS, the **Town of North Beach Maryland** provides citizens with conservation assistance to promote wise conservation stewardship, including the protection and maintenance of pollinators and their habitats on working lands, yards and community green spaces; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR BENTON, Mayor of the Town of North Beach Maryland, do hereby proclaim the week of June 21-27, 2021 as

TOWN OF NORTH BEACH Pollinator Week throughout the Town of North Beach, and urges all citizens to recognize this observance.

