

How to Certify your Garden as a Pollinator Friendly Habitat

Any Florida resident or business whose property meets the requirements can apply for Pollinator Habitat Certification.

Pollinator Gardens should have the following:



Provide Food Sources

Various kinds of native plants that bloom at different times of year are Needed to provide nectar, pollen, and larval food source.



Provide Shelter and nesting sites.

Pollinators need places to nest and protection for overwintering.



Remove Invasive Plants

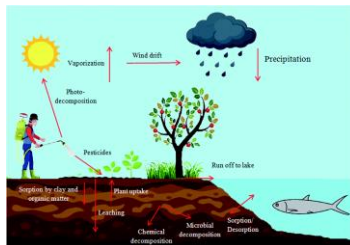
Invasive plants species endanger pollinator habitat and are increasing problems for our state.

www.fnai.org



Provide Water Sources

Pollinators need sources of water for many purposes, including drinking and reproduction.



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Reduce Pesticide Use

Pesticides do not distinguish between pests and their predators or parasites and can be deadly to pollinators.

Go to FFGC.org to see the different Pollinator Certificates available.

Bee

Butterfly

Silver Pollinator if you have bees, butterflies, and birds.

Golden Pollinator if you have bees, butterflies, birds, and bats.



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Provide Photos

Submit several labeled photographs so property can be evaluated for certification.

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