

# PROCLAMATION

West Linn, Oregon

**WHEREAS**, pollinator species such as thousands of species of bees are essential partners in producing much of our food supply; and

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

**WHEREAS**, pollination plays a vital role for the trees and plants of our community, enhancing our quality of life, and creating recreational and economic development opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, for decades the City of West Linn has managed urban landscapes and public lands that include many municipal parks and greenways, as well as wildlife habitats; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of West Linn provides recommendations to developers and residents regarding landscaping to promote wise conservation stewardship, including the protection of pollinators and maintenance of their habitats in urban and suburban environments.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST LINN**, that the month of June is Pollinator Month, and June 17 through 23 is

## NATIONAL POLLINATOR WEEK

The City of West Linn is an affiliate of

**Bee City USA®**

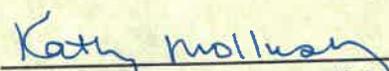
And we urge all citizens to recognize this observance.

DATED THIS 3RD DAY OF JUNE, 2024

  
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KATHY MOLLUSKY, CITY RECORDER