The State of New Hampshire By His Excellency Christopher T. Sununu, Governor

A Proclamation

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Twenty Two

NEW HAMPSHIRE POLLINATOR WEEK JUNE 20-26, 2022

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 communities; and

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

WHEREAS, the State of New Hampshire has managed wildlife habitats and public lands such as New Hampshire forests and grasslands for decades; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Hampshire provides producers with conservation stewardship, including the protection and maintenance of pollinators and their habitats on working lands and wild lands;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim JUNE 20-26, 2022 as POLLINATOR WEEK in the State of New Hampshire, and call this to the attention of all citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of New Hampshire to be affixed this 13th day of June, 2022.

Christopher T. Sununu Governor