

Whereas, pollinator species such as birds and insects are essential partners to farmers and ranchers in producing much of our food supply;

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, recreational opportunities and enhanced economic development opportunities;

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

Whereas, the state of Utah has managed wildlife habitats and public lands such as Utah forests and grasslands for decades; and

Whereas, the state of Utah provides producers with conservation assistance to promote wise conservation stewardship, including the protection and maintenance of pollinators and their habitats on working lands and wildlands;

Dow, Therefore, I, Spencer J. Cox, governor of the great state of Utah, do hereby declare June 16-22, 2025 as

Pollinator Week in Utah

Spencer J. Cox Governor