

Protecting Pollinators

THE IMPORTANCE OF POLLINATORS

River Valley Co-op is passionate about restoring wildflower habitat, protecting pollinators and mobilizing our communities to make a difference. Pollinators are responsible for 1 out of 3 bites

How You Can Help:

- Beekeeping
- Buying Local
- Make Your Own Bee Hotel
- Share Information



Meet some of the honey bee's fascinating friends — bumblebee, monarch butterfly, hawk moth, firefly and hummingbird.

POLLINATORS ARE THE FUTURE OF FOOD

A FEW WORDS ABOUT ALMONDS

Farming monoculture, in which land is devoted solely to one crop (e.y., almonds), makes it hard for pollinators to find year-round food and means that almonds and other crops are increasingly dependent on commercial bees that are trucked from one crop to another. Almonds are dependent on honey bees and other pollinators to bear fruit.

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