

Bee City USA Annual Report for 2018 Pollinator Conservation & Education



# CANON, GEORGIA

### **EDUCATION & OUTREACH**



Honeybee on crabapple. Photo: Phyllis Stiles/Xerces Society

We provided pollinator conservation information at the October fall festival. Blue Haven Bee Company, a Canon based business, hosted several school groups, had demonstration hives, and discussed the honey process, plants, etc.

## **POLLINATOR HEALTH & HABITAT**

We obtained a \$5000 GFC grant for fire mitigation (underbrush eradication) at the airport to assure that chemicals would not be used to kill the brush, therefore avoiding chemical harm to the adjacent several hundred bee hives

## **POLICIES & PRACTICES**

Following the commitments Canon made when our City Council adopted the Bee City USA resolution in September 2017, our committee facilitates broad-based pollinator conservation efforts in our community at public events, through extension agent articles, and group presentations hosted by the locally-based Blue Haven Bee Company. **Recommended Locally Native Plant Species List**—To be developed **Regional Native Plant Supplier List**—To be developed **Pollinator Friendly Integrated Pest Management Plan**—To be developed

## **CONTACT US!**

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