

# Bee City USA Annual Report for 2018 Pollinator Conservation & Education



## **CLARKSON, KENTUCKY**

#### **EDUCATION & OUTREACH**



The City of Clarkson celebrates Pollinator Week each year during our annual Honeyfest, which is the last weekend in September. During the 2018 Clarkson Honeyfest, September 26-29, there were a number of local vendors on hand, including the Kelley Beekeeping Company, selling all natural honey and beekeeping products.

At least 1,000 people attended the Honeyfest, which included a cooking-with-honey contest.

Also in June, the Kelley Beekeeping Company hosted their annual Field Day for all area beekeepers. They also host beginning and experienced beekeeping classes at various times throughout the each year for all those interested in bees, pollination, and beekeeping.

Link: https://www.kelleybees.com/beekeeping-classes.html







#### **POLLINATOR HEALTH & HABITAT**



There was nothing to report on habitat enhancement for 2018.

### **POLICIES & PRACTICES**

The committee is made of the Mayor and four City Commissioners who govern the City.

Recommended Locally Native Plant Species List—https://www.knps.org/Native\_Plants/album/index.html Regional Native Plant Supplier List—https://www.knps.org/Native\_Plants/album/index.html Pollinator Friendly Integrated Pest Management Plan—To be developed.

#### **CONTACT US!**

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