

COMMON NATIVE BEES in Eastern Washington SHRUB STEPPE

Other Native Bees



Agapostemon spp.
Green Sweat Bees



Andrena spp.
Miner Bees



Ceratina spp.
Carpenter Bees



Lasiglossan spp.
Small Sweat Bees



Melissodes spp.
Long-horned Bees



Osmia spp.
Mason Bees



Megachile spp.
Leafcutter Bees



Colletes spp.
Cellophane Bees

Bumble Bees



Bombus flavifrons
Yellow-head bumble bee



Bombus centralis
Central bumble bee



Bombus bifarius
Two-form bumble bee



Bombus rufocinctus
Red-belted bumble bee



Bombus mixtus
Fuzzy-horned bumble bee



Bombus vagans
Half-black bumble bee

We rely on bees for vital pollination services.

They provide food, fiber, and beauty.

Honey bees are not the only bees providing these services.

For example, over 18 bee genera can be found

bordering sweet cherry orchards!

Native pollinators are as diverse as they are fragile.

Discover the bees that live in your area.

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