

2019 PROGRESS REPORT

Quarter: (circle one) 2019 1st 2019 2nd 2019 3rd 2019 4th

Grant Program, Number and Title: Regional Conservation Needs - Pollinators

Organization: NH Fish and Game

Project Leader: Heidi Holman

Abstract: New Hampshire is participating in the multi-year RCN project covering pollinators in xeric habitats. Habitat management to improve pollinator habitat is being conducted with alternative funding. Under an agreement with WMI, staff from NH Fish and Game will implement standardized vegetation monitoring of treatment areas and bee sampling areas during July and August 2019. Bee sampling is being conducted by a volunteer over the course of the field season (May – September) and tracked for match.

Were planned goals/objectives achieved last quarter? Yes

Progress Achieved: (For each Goal/Objective, list Planned and Actual Accomplishments)

Set up transects for bee bowl monitoring and implemented first round of specimen collection. Provided protocols for vegetation monitoring to staff for implementation during the next quarter.

Difficulties Encountered: None

Activities Anticipated Next Quarter: Finish bee sampling, vegetation sampling

Expected End Date: February 28, 2020

Costs:

Total life to date expenses (include this quarter): \$401.94 (\$261.26 requested for federal reimbursement)

Total Approved Budgeted Funds: \$5,000

Are you within the approved budget plan and categories? YES

Signature: 

Date: 7/19/19