2019 PROGRESS REPORT

Quarter: (circle one)

2019 1st

2019 2nd

2019 3rd

2019 4th

Grant Program, Number and Title: Northeast Pollinators - NH

Organization: New Hampshire Fish and Game

Project Leader: Heidi Holman

Abstract: The objective of the agreement was to manage a minimum of two habitat units in the Concord Pine Barrens conservation area. Vegetation monitoring was conducted in habitat units prior to management and will be conducted again after treatment. Management of two units got underway in August as fire breaks were put in for fall 2019 and spring 2020 prescribed burns. A prescribed burn was conducted in mid-September on 6 acres in unit S2. Shrub mowing was conducted on 2.5 acres in unit U5 in December. In addition to habitat management and monitoring, bee sampling was conducted along two transects in the conservation area 4 times from June through September. Data will be entered and submitted for all monitoring activities through the platforms provided by the end of the agreement.

Were planned goals/objectives achieved last quarter? Yes

Progress Achieved:

2/2 transects were inventoried for bees.

3/3 vegetation transects were run in all potential management units

2/2 units were managed to date this fall.

Difficulties Encountered: None

Activities Anticipated Next Quarter: Planning and implementation of habitat management

Expected End Date: February 28, 2020

Costs:

Total life to date expenses (include this quarter): \$4781.15

Total Approved Budgeted Funds: \$5000.00

Are you within the approved budget plan and categories? Yes

Signature:

Date: