

# 2018 Pollinator Habitat Usage Survey



Susan Ratcliffe, NCIPMC



Lesley Ingram, Bugwood.org

5401476

Lynnae Jess, Michigan State University  
and  
Susan Ratcliffe, University of Illinois

# Purpose and Process

- *Survey a variety of established habitats to determine how these areas are being utilized by both pollinators and pest species*
- *Use to develop plans to further improve our pollinator protection efforts while determining how habitats are being utilized by beneficial and pest species*
- *Conduct survey during the 2018 “growing” season for each state so the period of performance may vary slightly for each participating state due to climatic differences*
- *Data will be uploaded and archived using the iPIPE system as a central repository*

# Funding

- USDA NIFA is funding the iPIPE component through an AFRI grant
- North Central IPM Center is providing up to \$20,000 per North Central state to defray survey expenses
- New Mexico State University is supported by an iPIPE subaward
- New E-IP Pollinator Health funds might be used to support surveys



United States  
Department of  
Agriculture

National Institute  
of Food and  
Agriculture

*North Central*

**IPM**  
**Center**

# North Central Region's "Minimums"

- *Minimum of 10 weeks of monitoring*
- *Minimum of 6 locations*
- *Minimum of 6 pollinator families*
- *Minimum of 6 pest species*

*Must use the iPIPE app for data collection/archival*



Steven Katovich, USDA Forest  
Service, [Bugwood.org](http://Bugwood.org)

# Participants

- iPIPE
- North Central IPM Center
- North Central IPM Coordinators
- Other programs and organizations, if interested



United States  
Department of  
Agriculture

National Institute  
of Food and  
Agriculture

*North Central*  
**IPM**  
Center



# Questions?

Interested in participating? Contact Scott Isard, Sue Ratcliffe or Lynnae Jess