



Public meeting

Monday, July 13, 2026, 10:30 am

Library Partnership Branch

912 NE 16 Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601

AGENDA

Introductions and sign ins (5 minutes)

Upcoming planting opportunities (10 minutes)

- Arbor day celebration at Evergreen Cemetery

[Bee City Pledge](#) and other resources (5 minutes)

IPM working group (5 minutes)

- BeeCityUSA.org/ipm-plan/ - City of Gainesville

Events, happenings and volunteer opportunities discussion (20 minutes)

- Pollinator Census event, Aug 22, 10-11am at Gainesville Garden Club
- Garden maintenance event ideas
 - Seed Collecting at Tom Petty Garden
 - Weeding Day at McRorie
- Leadership committee

Bee hotel Eagle Scout proposal – Simon Ropicki (10 minutes)

General discussion/new business (10 minutes)

Adjourn



Learn more at www.FlaWildflowers.org/Bee-City and
[www.GainesvilleFL.gov/Community-Pages/Community/About-Gainesville/
Bee-City-USA-City-of-Gainesville](http://www.GainesvilleFL.gov/Community-Pages/Community/About-Gainesville/Bee-City-USA-City-of-Gainesville)

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FREE
ENTRY

GREAT FLORIDA POLLINATOR CENSUS 2026

SATURDAY, AUG 22
10-11 AM

GAINESVILLE GARDEN CLUB
1350 NW 75TH ST



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PART OF FLORIDA &
SOUTHEAST CENSUS

GREAT
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**Pollinator
Census**





EAGLE Scout Project

- Who: Simon Ropicki, Life scout with Troop 125!
- What: Building bee hotels at community gardens
- Why: To give back to the community. Every scout must do a project that shows leadership, preparation, and determination if they wish to reach eagle rank
- When: Soon- to be completed by late 2026
- How: Through my efforts and with your help and guidance!



- If you're inclined to help, please donate to this venmo! All proceeds not use on materials and supplies will be donated back to the gardens

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