



Bee City Renewal

Name of City, Town, Municipality or First Nation

City of Kawartha Lakes

Province

Ontario

Applicant's Name

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Are you the primary contact person?

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Briefly summarize your Bee City experience during the past year. Please include information about challenges, feedback, and media responses.

Due to Covid allot of our engagement and planting initiatives were curtailed. We did however start a new program called Bee A hero Contest which encouraged people to get into their gardens to plant pollinator gardens. We got allot of media attention so it was a success.

Please tell us about your community's efforts to reduce the use of pesticides.

We have asked the municipality to stop spraying around guardrails
The Bee a Hero Contest stipulated that plants would no be sprayed with pesticides

Outline community initiatives focusing on habitat creation and restoration. If possible, include a plant list.

We have partnered with the city and our local conservation authority to plant pollinator habitats. We have areas that were supposed to be planted last year but hopefully will be planted this summer. Some boulevards will be planted as a showcase for the public

How did your community promote being a Bee City?

Through Bee a Hero Contest we were able to get allot of press and thousands of FB hits

Please tell us about your efforts aimed at educating your community, including residents, city employees, contractors, children and other groups.

We will promote Bee Schools and participate in local fairs and special events when Covid is over. We will be hosting the Second Annual Bee a Hero Contest which is open to everyone in the municipality.

Please tell us about your community's participation in National Pollinator Week celebrations and other events.

Due to Covid participation was not possible

Describe your plans for creating, improving and maintaining pollinator habitat during the next year.

As above , we will be planting some boulevards with pollinator friendly plants which will be ascetically pleasing to the public as a showcase for creating habitat in an urban setting.

Provide information about any events, activities or initiatives that you have organized and would like highlighted through our social media channels.

Second Annual Bee a Hero Contest

File Uploads

[BEE-A-HERO-contest-2020.docx](#)

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Has your City/Town/Municipality/First Nation created a Bee City website or webpage?

Yes

If you answered "Yes", please provide the URL of your Bee City webpage.

<http://kawarthalakes.ca>

Bee City Renewal Fees

50,0001 – 100,000 population - \$400