



# Pollinator Garden Grant Application

## Town of Ocean City

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



Environmental Engineer

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Applicant Information			
Property Owner		Condo/Twnhse Name	
Property Address			
Ocean City		Maryland	21842
Contact Information (if different from above)			
Name			
Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code
Phone		E-mail	
Grant Requirements and Information			
<p><b>Deadline for submission is Friday, April 15, 2022.</b> Grant application and proposed planting site plan showing planting area square footage should be emailed to Gail Blazer or dropped off at City Hall. Summary of work and photographs due August 1, 2022.</p>			

*If the bee disappeared off the face of the Earth, man would only have four years left to live - Albert Einstein*

### Pollinator Garden Plants – Approximately 20 plants

	<p>PBAPAU1G <b>Baptisia australis: 3 Qt (2.84 L)</b></p>
	<p>PECHPUR1Q <b>Echinacea purpurea: 1 Qt (956 mL)</b></p>
	<p>PGEUBLA1G <b>Geum 'Blazing Sunset': 3 Qt (2.84 L)</b></p>
	<p>PGAUWHI1G <b>Gaura 'Whirling Butterfly': 3 Qt (2.84 L)</b></p>
	<p>PRUDLIT1G <b>Rudbeckia 'Viette's Little Suzy': 3 Qt (2.84 L)</b></p>
	<p>PLOBCAR1Q <b>Lobelia cardinalis: 1 Qt (956 mL)</b></p>
	<p>PAMSHUB1G <b>Amsonia hubrichtii: 3 Qt (2.84 L)</b></p>
	<p>PLEUCRA1Q <b>Leucanthemum 'Crazy Daisy': 1 Qt (956 mL)</b></p>

Signature X	Date
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## Instructions for 2022 Pollinator Garden Grant Application

**What is a Pollinator Garden?** The simplest definition of a pollinator garden is a garden that attracts, bees, butterflies, moths, hummingbirds or other creatures that transfer pollen from flower to flower or within flowers. Pollinators are in decline mostly due to loss of feeding and nesting habitats. Pollution and misuse of chemicals are other causes of their endangerment.

**Why is a Pollinator Garden Important?** Pollinators provide pollination services to over 180,000 different plant species and more than 1,200 crops. This means that one out of every three bites of food you eat relies on pollinators. In addition to the food that we eat, pollinators support healthy ecosystems that clean the air, stabilize soils, protect from severe weather, and support other wildlife.

The Town of Ocean City would like to join the crusade of helping pollinators get back on track. We are accepting grant applications for Pollinator Garden Plants.

### Submission Rules:

Please visit Grants for Plants at:

[Pollinator Garden Grant](#) for plant fact sheets, guides and other Maryland and Coastal plant information.

1. The Pollinator Garden site must be located within the corporate limits of The Town. The Garden site cannot be in the secondary dune area, ocean front or an area subject to high winds. The plants and pollinators need protection from high winds, excessive salt air and predators.
2. Submit a complete application, a project site plan showing the garden design including square footage of planting area to Gail Blazer [GBlazer@OceanCityMD.Gov](mailto:GBlazer@OceanCityMD.Gov)
3. The **deadline** for submission is **Friday, April 15, 2022**. The deadline may be extended if fewer than 30 grant requests are submitted by the due date. The grant will be closed after 30 grant applications are received. **Any submissions received after this date will be put on a waiting list.**
4. Plant substitutions may occur due to wholesaler supply and demand.

### Mini-Grant Proposals Review:

Submitted applications will be dated and verified for completeness and eligibility. The Town of Ocean City will notify the applicant of the award by Monday, April 18, 2022, via email or phone.

### Receipt of Award Instructions:

The wholesaler(s) will deliver the plants to City Hall in late April. **Award recipients must pick up plants on Friday, April 29, 2022.** You will be notified of the plant pick-up time and date. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to install and maintain plantings. The Town of Ocean City assumes no responsibility for maintenance or installation of plantings, or replacement of dead or dying plant material.

Award recipient must submit a final report to Gail Blazer or Joann Landon by August 1, 2021, including photographs and an explanation of the work completed. Some applicants may be asked to give a brief presentation at a City Council meeting or work session.

Please contact Gail Blazer at [GBlazer@OceanCityMD.Gov](mailto:GBlazer@OceanCityMD.Gov) or 410.289.8825 or Joann Landon at [JLandon@OceanCityMD.Gov](mailto:JLandon@OceanCityMD.Gov) or 410.289.8887 if you have any questions.