

BUILDING WILD BEE MONITORING IN ALBERTA

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RATIONALE: THREATS

- habitat loss
- pesticide
- climate change
- domesticated bees compete for pollen + spread disease



DON'T HAVE GOOD
BASELINE

PUBLIC AWARENESS + EDUCATION

- focus is on honey bees
- draw attention to wild bees

BUMBLEBEE HOUSE MONITORING PROGRAM

kits. workshops
count cells + dead
bees at end of season



PROVINCIAL NATIVE BEE MONITORING PROGRAM

traps. wildfire lookout sites
work bees (oppt. for public)

www.albertanativebeecouncil.ca

www.awes-ab.ca