

PROTECTING POLLINATORS: BENEFITS FOR ECOSYSTEMS & FOOD SECURITY IN OREGON

Speaker Schedule (*draft as of 12/15/16*)

9:00am - 9:10am: Kristina LeFever, Pollinator Project Rogue Valley, *Thank You!*

9:10am - 9:25am: Pam Marsh, State Representative, *Welcome.*

9:25am - 9:30am: Lisa or Krystal, Beyond Toxics, *Review Agenda & Introduce Keynote.*

9:30am - 10:00am: **KEYNOTE SPEAKER I:** Aimee Code, Xerces, *S Mounting Evidence of Harm: Neonicotinoid Contamination of our Waters*

10:05 - 11:35 pm PANEL I - The Effects of Neonics on Ecosystems.

10:05am - 10:10am Introductions - Gabby Chavarria

10:10am - 10:30am: Kelsey Kopec, Center for Biological Diversity, *Native Pollinators.*

10:30am - 10:50am: Aimee Code, Xerces, *Ecosystem Effects on Native Pollinators.*

10:50am - 11:10am: Jack Williams, Trout Unlimited, *Thinking Downstream: Impacts on Fishes, Aquatic Invertebrates, and Our Water Supplies.*

11:10am - 11:20am: Questions & Answers

11:20am - 11:30am: Break & Snack

11:30am - 12:40pm PANEL II - Landscapes and Neonicotinoid Use.

11:30am - 11:35am - Introduction - Gabby Chavarria

11:35pm - 12:30 - **KEYNOTE SPEAKER II:** Susan Kegley, Pesticide Research Institute, *Gardeners Beware: Landscapes and Neonics.*

12:30pm - 12:40pm: Questions & Answers

12:40pm - 1:40pm: Lunch, provided by Fry Family Farms

1:40PM - 2:40pm: PANEL III - Neonics, Food, and Human Health: Safer Practices to Benefit Food Systems.

1:40pm - 1:50pm: Sharon Schmidt, Cascade Girl, *Neonicotinoid Residues in Food and Honey.*

1:50pm - 2:00pm: Steve Petrovich, SOU Chemistry Professor, *Testing Local Honey.*

2:00pm - 2:30pm: Susan Kegley, PRI, *Human Health: Symptoms and Exposure Pathways*

2:30pm - 2:40pm: Questions & Answers

2:40pm - 2:50pm: Break

2:50-4:00 Panel IV B - Alternatives to Synthetic Pesticides: Beneficial Insects and More.

(Interactive Session)

Introductions - Rhianna Simes?

Rick Hilton, OSU, *Integrated Pest Management*

Sharon Selvaggio from NCAP to speak about beneficials? **NOT CONFIRMED**

PPRV and Master Gardeners?

3:50pm - 4:00pm: Questions & Answers

Wrap Up and Thank You, Laura Bee?. (mention petition, legislation, etc.)