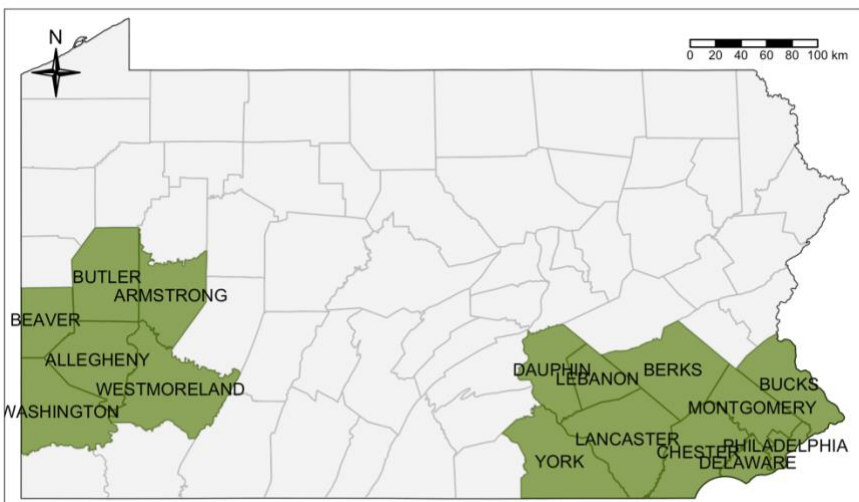




**WHO/WHAT:** The Center for Pollinator Research at Penn State is seeking beekeeper volunteers to *provide samples of weekly pollen trapping*. Some experience with pollen trapping is preferred, but not required.

**WHY:** Your honey bee pollen will help us understand the **role of tree pollen in early spring honey bee diet and nutrition**.

**WHEN:** March – Late May, 2024 (~12 weeks)



**WHERE:** We are looking for volunteers in the following Pennsylvania regions and counties

- *Southeast: Philadelphia, Bucks, Montgomery, Delaware, Chester, Lancaster, York, Berks, Lebanon, Dauphin*
- *Southwest: Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Armstrong, Westmoreland, Washington*

**FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION:** If needed, we can provide you with 2 pollen traps for your apiary, plus

tips on how to use and install your pollen traps. After processing your pollen, we will provide you with a report of the **plant types** (to the genus level) found in your pollen samples.

**For more information and to submit your interest in participating, please fill out the following Google Form:**  
(<https://forms.gle/ojKDLQUwbqVQeEj9A>) **by 5pm on February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024.**



Fill out our Google Form here! →