

# Orange County Beekeeper's Pollinator Garden

## **purpose:**

To educate general public of the importance of pollinators.

To offer a selection of plants that gardeners can grow to attract pollinators.

To bring awareness about OCBA, the work we do and the opportunities we provide.

To increase knowledge of the history of beekeeping and its importance to our state.

## **proposal:**

The OCBA will install and maintain a 20' circular pollinator garden on the grounds of the Dickson House. Maintenance will include yearly mulching, weeding and trimming, and replacing of any plants not thriving on a monthly basis. The OCBA will include a sign designating garden and a handout for the public.

If at any point the OCBA chooses not to continue the the garden, the OCBA will remove all plants, level the ground and reseed.

## **tentative plant list:**

Varigated Wiegela

Compact form Buddleia

Black and Blue Salvia

Bog Salvia

Monarda, 2 color varieties

Trifoliate Orange

Anise Hyssop, 2-4 varieties

Catmint

Herbs in containers: Horehound, Mint, Oregano, Thyme

Sedum

Asters, 2 varieties

Goldenrod

also included model of traditional log hive, with Climbing Aster

Sign designating garden