

THE CEC AT A GLANCE



Climate Change
Mitigation and
Adaptation



Green
Growth



Sustainable
Communities and
Ecosystems

The NAAEC and the CEC



The North American Agreement for Environmental Cooperation (**NAAEC**) 1994, side agreement to the North American Free Trade Agreement (**NAFTA**)

The CEC created in 1994 to enhance trilateral cooperation on the North American environment among the NAFTA partners

The CEC



- Council: CEC's governing body
- JPAC: Provides Advice to the Council and information to the Secretariat
- Secretariat: Provides technical, administrative and operational support to the Council, committees and expert groups

CEC Accomplishments



Monarch Butterfly Conservation

Danaus plexippus

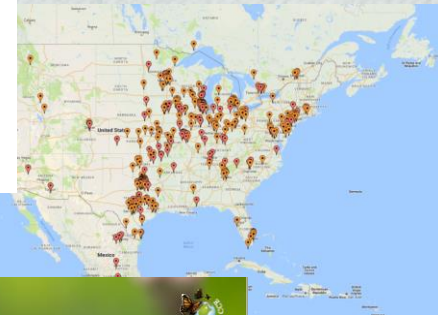
- NORTH AMERICAN MONARCH CONSERVATION PLAN
- PLAN DE AMÉRICA DEL NORTE PARA LA CONSERVACIÓN DE LA MARIPOSA MONARCA
- PLAN NORD-AMÉRICAIN DE CONSERVATION DU MONARQUE



**TRINATIONAL
MONARCH
CONSERVATION
PARTNERSHIP**

**ALIANZA
TRINACIONAL
PARA LA
CONSERVACIÓN
DE LA MONARCA**

**PARTENARIAT
TRINATIONAL
POUR LA
CONSERVATION
DU MONARQUE**



10 THINGS YOU CAN DO TO HELP SAVE MONARCHS

GET INVOLVED TODAY!
Visit www.cec.org/help_monarchs

1. Create and preserve monarch habitat
2. Plant milkweed and nectar plants native to your area
3. Educate others about monarchs and pollinators
4. Join citizen science efforts to monitor monarch butterflies
5. Donate to monarch conservation efforts
6. Host educational events such as monarch festivals
7. Use nature-friendly products in your yard or garden
8. Keep water bodies clean
9. Spread the word that milkweed is a beneficial plant
10. Support communities that protect monarch overwintering sanctuaries

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Monitoring Monarch Butterflies and Their Habitat across North America

Inventory and Monitoring Protocols and Data Standards for Monarch Conservation

Engaging landowners across North America to provide monarch butterfly habitat.

Our Current Work



Sustainable Communities and Ecosystems



**Strengthening regional pollinator conservation to
secure local benefits**

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- Pollinators are crucial to food security, natural ecosystems, human well-being and livelihoods in North America.
- Many pollinator populations are in decline.
- **There are no cooperative efforts to address this at the regional level**

Strengthening regional pollinator conservation to secure local benefits

Our Role

- Bring together organizations across North America that work on pollinator conservation and support collaborative actions
- Compile information on pollinators and their socio- economic and ecological benefits in North America to inform decision-making

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First North American Pollinator Conservation Framework:

- state of knowledge on pollinators
- recommendations to inform decision-making

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Case studies to highlight ecological and socio-economic benefits of pollinators

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Active network of experts, communities and all levels of government sharing knowledge and promoting the socio-economic and ecological benefits of pollinators across North America



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