PUBLIC SYMPOSIUM PLIGHT OF THE BUMBLE BEES

Monday, June 22

10:30 am – 1:00 pm Smithsonian Institution National Museum of Natural History Baird Auditorium

(10th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC)

Featuring:

Stephen Buchmann, University of Arizona USA Native Bee Diversity: Rarity, Threats & Conservation Ideals Paul Williams, Natural History Museum, London A Global View of Bumble Bees and Their Conservation Status Robbin Thorp, University of California, Davis Western Bumble Bees in Peril

Sydney Cameron and Jeff Lozier and, University of Illinois Status and Trends of Midwestern and Southern Bumble Bees Leif Richardson, Vermont Department of Fish and Wildlife Bumble Bee Trends in Northeastern North America Moderator: Michael Ruggiero, Smithsonian Institution

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