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Advancing Western Monarch and
Native Insect Pollinator Conservation



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Taylor is part of the Wildlife Diversity Division in WDFW and works with species experts and field biologists to implement survey and monitoring work for Washington's Species of Greatest Conservation Need. He works with species leads to carry that information forward for changes in classification including listing species as Endangered or Threatened at the state level and to inform necessary recovery actions and priorities. Taylor also works at the policy level advancing conservation for all pollinators—he is WA's representative on the WAFWA Monarch and Native Pollinator Conservation working group and will begin serving as chair beginning in 2025.

