

**Certified Naturally Grown  
APIARY SUMMARY INSPECTION REPORT**

Beekeeper(s): Jay Parsons

Apiary Name: Dances With Bees

Inspector: Jennifer Mercer

Affiliation (Bee Club/Apiary): Black Dog Bees & Maple Trees

Inspector is:  CNG Beekeeper  Beekeeper using natural practices

Educator of natural beekeeping  Customer (1 of 3)  Certified Organic Beekeeper

Date of the inspection: 10/15/23 How long did the inspection last?: 90 minutes

Was this inspection carried out in person or via remote video?  In Person  Remote Video\*

\* Remote inspections are coordinated by CNG staff and must be consistent with what's stated at [CNGfarming.org/remote\\_policy](http://CNGfarming.org/remote_policy)

Based on my observations and interview with the beekeeper(s), I feel confident in making the following declarations about the operation:

The beekeeper is careful to make sure that no prohibited insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, chemical fertilizer, or genetically modified crops are used on the land where the apiary is located. Agree / Disagree JM  
(Your initials)

The hives are located in an area/s with abundant and diverse pollen and nectar sources that are adequate to support the health of the apiary's bee population. Agree / Disagree JM  
(Your initials)

The beekeeper refrains from the use of synthetic in-hive treatments. Agree / Disagree JM  
(Your initials)

The beekeeper refrains from overaggressive harvesting of honey and excessive feeding of sugar. Agree / Disagree JM  
(Your initials)

The beekeeper demonstrates a commitment to sustainable practices that seek to protect and improve the health of the honey bee population. Agree / Disagree JM  
(Your initials)

I feel confident in recommending that the above listed producer(s) and their apiary...

**be included**

**not be included**

...in the Certified Naturally Grown program.

JM  
Signature of Inspector

10/15/23  
Date

No signature was obtained because this inspection was conducted remotely

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Signature of Beekeeper

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Observed by these Community Stakeholders:

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Stakeholder Signature

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Date

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Title or Role

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Stakeholder Signature

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