

Native Bees of Milton Reimer's Ranch State Park

Ground Nesting

Diadasia rinconis

Cactus bee

Solitary
Small-medium
Common



Agapostemon texanus

Metallic green bee

Solitary-communal
Small
Common



Svastra petulca

Long-horned bee

Communal
Med-large
Rare



Halictus tripartitus

Sweat bee

Solitary to communal
Small
Rare



Lasioglossum imitatum

Sweat bee

Social
Very small
Rare



Cavity or Wood Nesting

Osmia subfasciata

Mason bee

Solitary
Medium
Rare



Megachile parallela

Leaf-cutter bee

Solitary
Small-medium
Rare



Megachile inimica

Leaf-cutter bee

Solitary
Small-medium
Very rare



Megachile spp.

Leaf-cutter bees

Solitary
Small-medium
Very rare



Coelioxys sp.

Leaf-cutter bee

Solitary
Tiny
Very rare



Solitary: One female builds a nest and provisions her young alone

Communal: Several females share a nest but each one provisions her young alone

Social: Multiple females build the nest and provision their young together

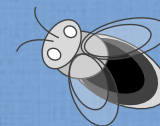


Small ± 10 mm

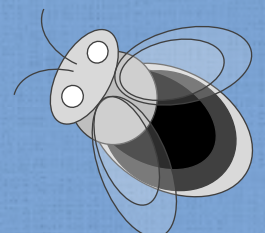


27 species

Medium ± 13 mm



Large ± 19 mm



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27 native bee species

Agapostemon angelicus
Agapostemon texanus
Andrena rudbeckiae
Apis mellifera (non native)
Coelioxys texana
Diadasia afflicta
Diadasia rinconis
Halictus tripartitus
Lasioglossum bardum
Lasioglossum bruneri
Lasioglossum coactum
Lasioglossum connexum
Lasioglossum disparile
Lasioglossum hudsoniellum
Lasioglossum hunteri
Lasioglossum imitatum
Lasioglossum semicaeruleum
Lasioglossum spp. (2)
Megachile brevis
Megachile casadae
Megachile inimica
Megachile parallela
Megachile polycaris
Melissodes intorta
Osmia subfasciata
Perdita ignota
Svastra petulca