

## Certified Naturally Grown Inspection Report ~ Apiary

Apiary Name Bee born Apiaries  
 Beekeeper/s Name/s R. Stephen Rankin  
 Apiary Location/s Farmington NM  
 Inspector Joe Pope  
 Inspector Affiliation/s (club &/or apiary) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Inspection Date 9-6-15 Total Inspection Time: 1 hour

To the best of my abilities and based on my observations and interview with the beekeeper/s, I feel confident in making the following declarations about the apiary/ies the above beekeeper wants to have listed as Certified Naturally Grown:

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   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

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   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

The beekeeper refrains from the use of synthetic in-hive treatments.

Agree / Disagree   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

The beekeeper refrains from overaggressive harvesting of honey and excessive feeding of sugar.

Agree / Disagree   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

The beekeeper refrains from overaggressive harvesting of pollen and propolis – the bees' food and medicine.

Agree / Disagree   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

The beekeeper demonstrates a commitment to sustainable practices that seek to protect and improve the health of the honey bee population.

Agree / Disagree   
 (Your initials) [Signature]

I certify that to the best of my abilities, observations, and based on my personal interview with the beekeeper/s, I feel confident in recommending that the above listed beekeeper/s and their apiary

**be included**       **not be included**      **(please circle one)**

in the Certified Naturally Grown program.

[Signature]  
 Signature of Inspector

11/3/15  
 Date