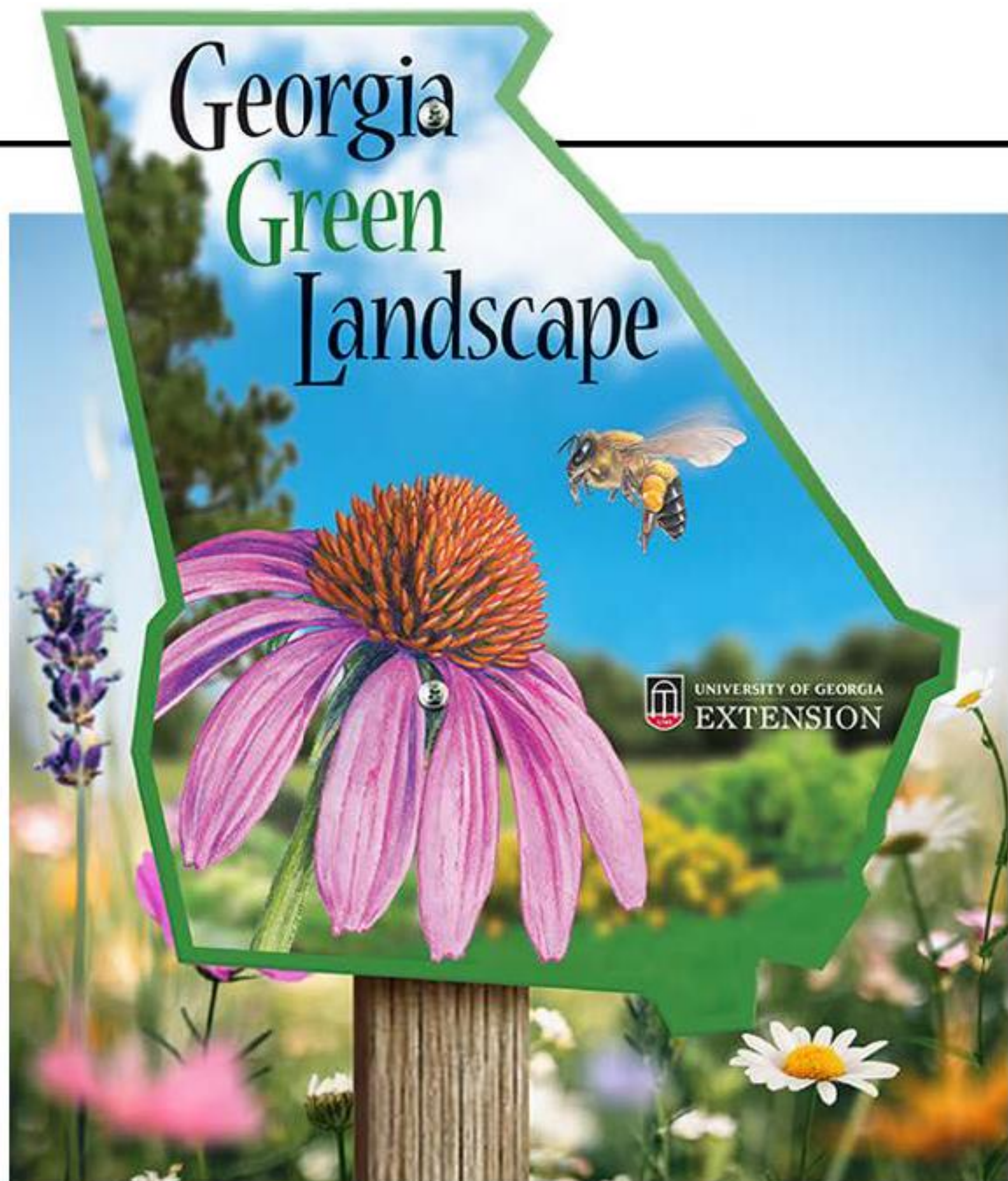


Georgia Green Landscape Stewards Protect Our Natural Resources

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Once a participant certifies their Georgia Green Landscape with UGA Extension, they have the option to purchase this weather-resistant yard sign.

The **Georgia Green Landscape Stewards Program** is a fact based educational and certification program for businesses and residences in Georgia that implement sustainable practices in their landscape. Georgia landowners have a large impact on natural resources such as water, wildlife, and native plants. With sustainable land management practices, land stewards can help protect these natural resources for generations to come. The program includes sustainable green landscape education components that participants use to help complete a certification activity check list to attain Georgia Green Landscape status.

Impact

Since the program launched in March of 2021,

- 93 landscapes in 32 different counties have been certified
- More than 2152 views of educational components through the program's YouTube channel
- More than 2981 unique views of the program website
- 100% of respondents had an increase in knowledge due to the program after a spring 2021 webinar series on all 10 educational components.

Clientele Feedback

"I just wanted to say that I thought the program was really well done. The videos were both informative and interesting, and the scorecards were a great tool for assessing key practices. I'm hoping the yard sign will help serve as a form of advertisement, since the concepts in this program are extremely important."

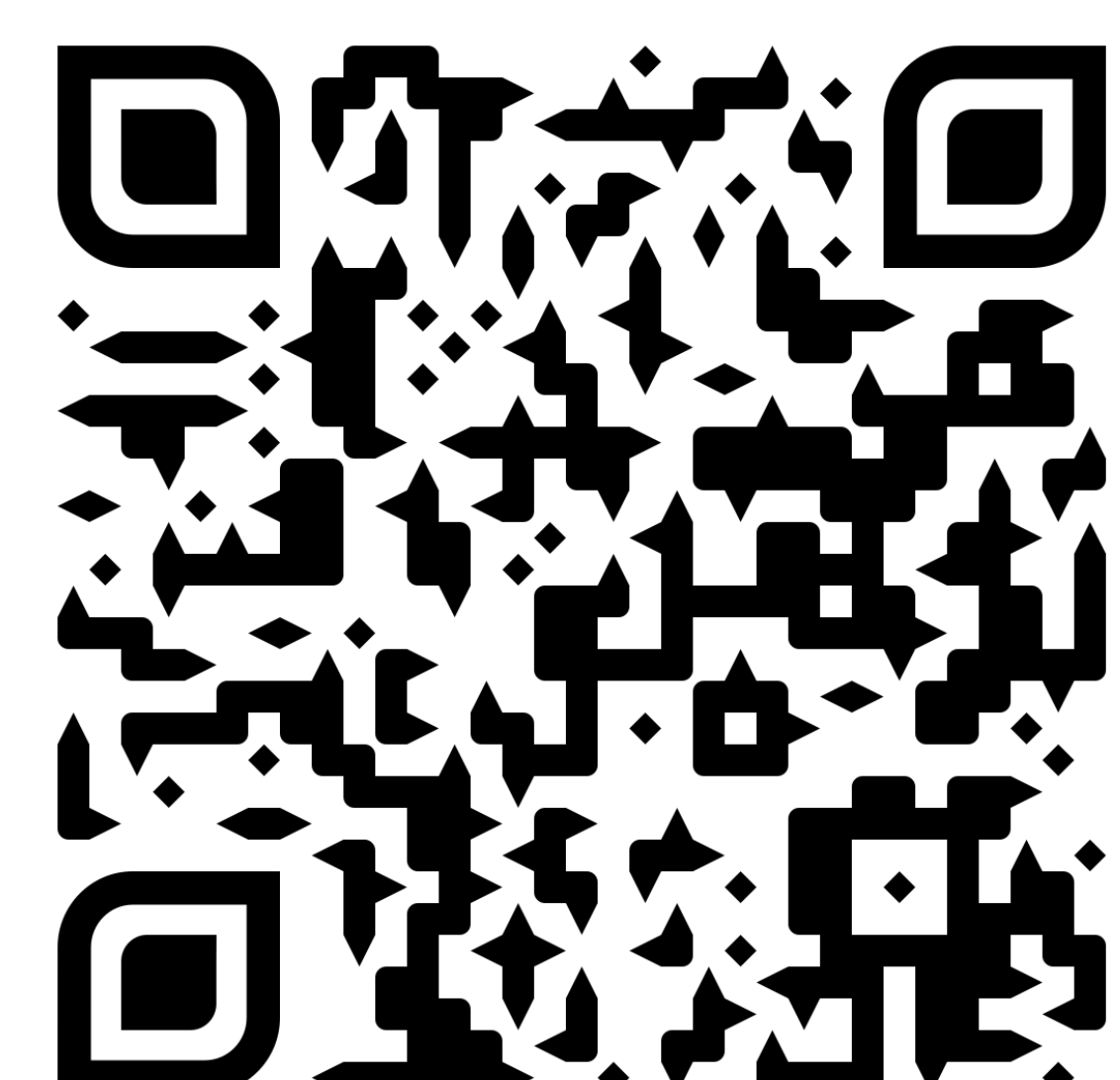
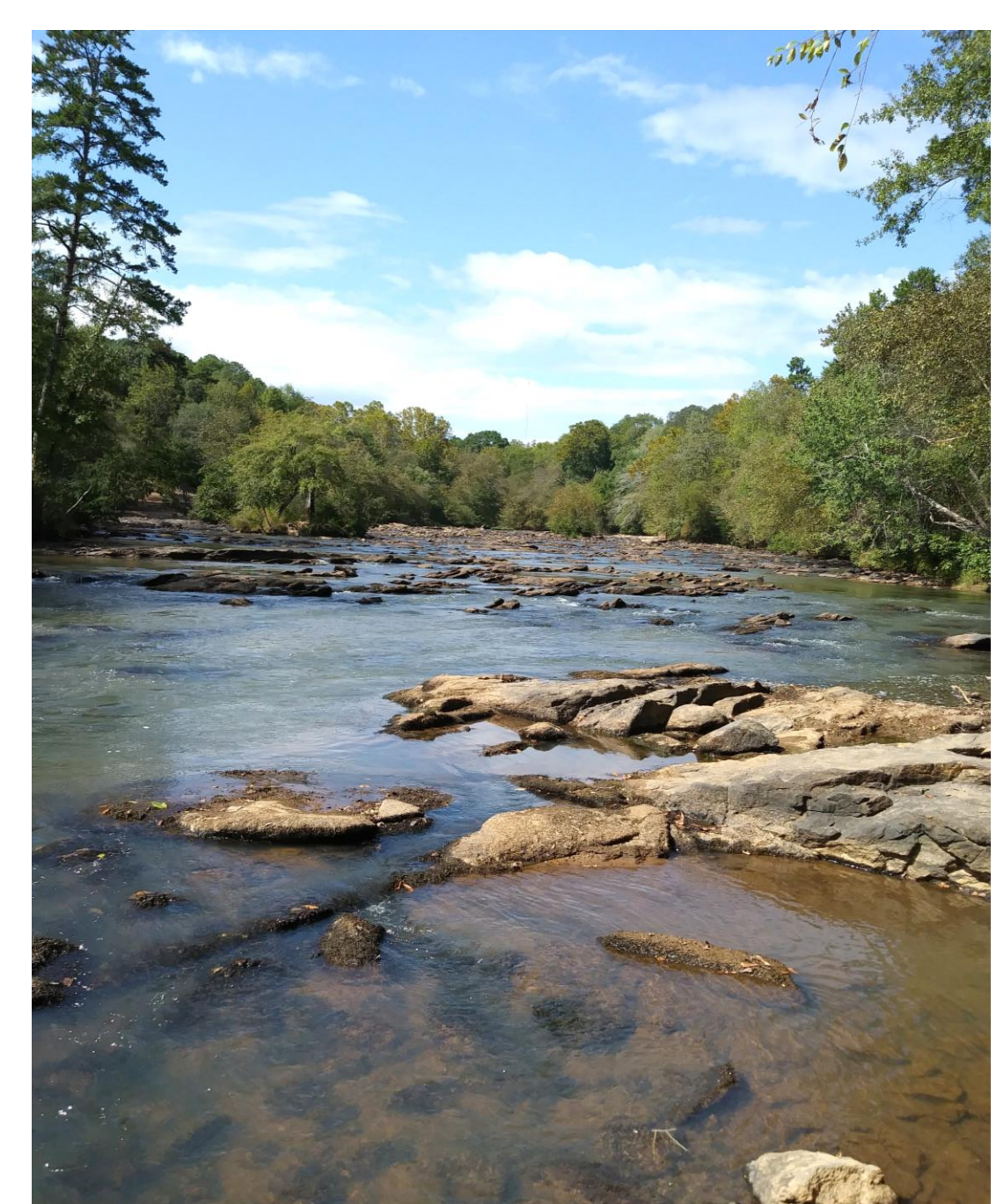
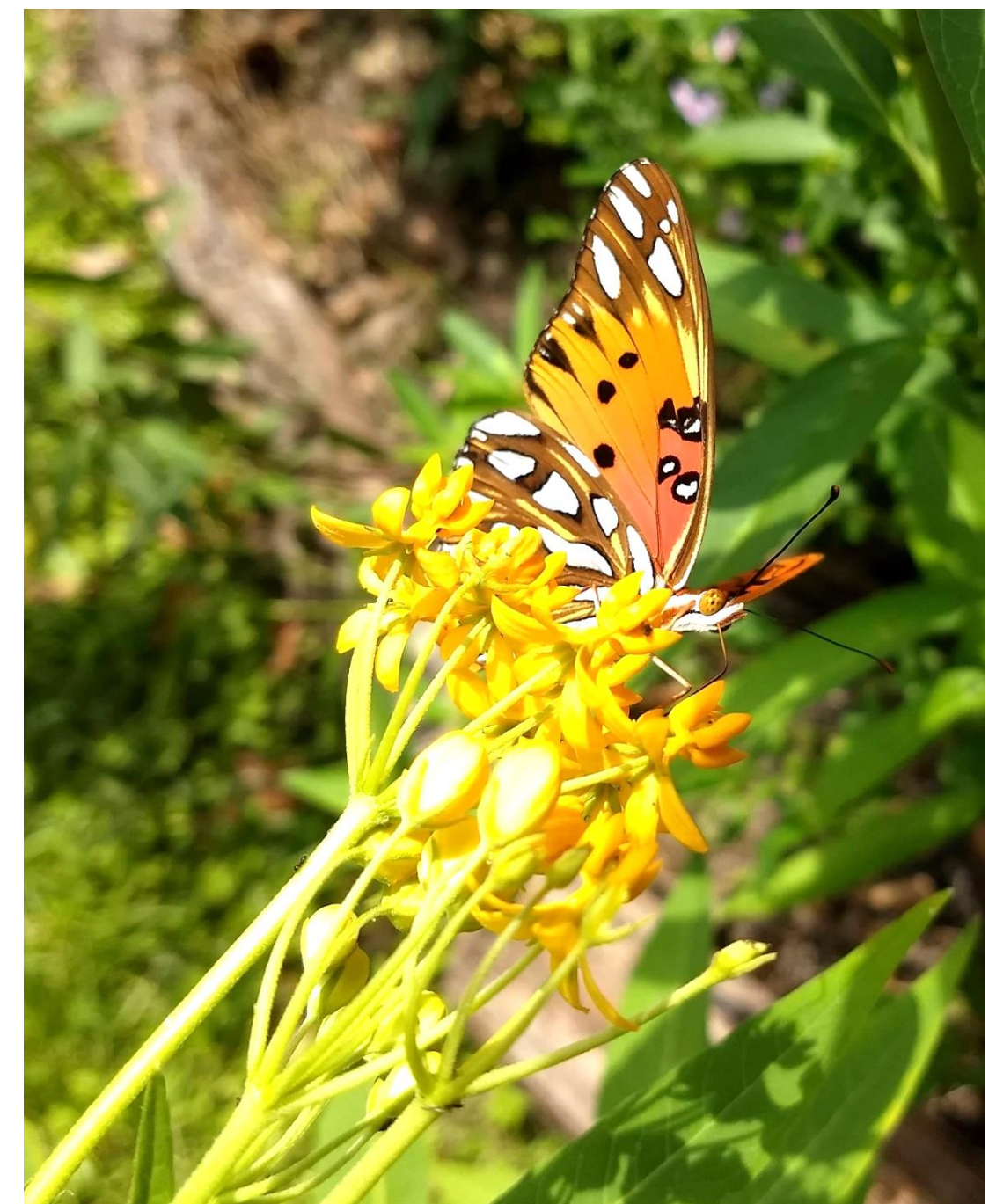
"It was a very informative lecture on supporting the GA ecosystem ... and maintaining native corridors for pollinators ... Great presentation! Simply put, informative and inspirational."

"I love how easy and convenient the classes are. It was very practical way to understand water management combining new gadgets with regular landscape practices."

"I LOVE having the LIST of actions/challenges to put in place in our landscape."

"This was a great all-around series. I learned so much about the full picture of native gardening - from the best plants to how to compost, conserve water, etc. Totally enjoyed it and would highly recommend."

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