



(BIG)
A COLLABORATIVE
COMMUNITY MOVEMENT

HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED:

Interested in attending BIG educational workshops? Want to learn more about supporting pollinator health, community food systems, and water conservation? Interested in planting your own BIG garden? Just plain curious? Get in touch!

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OUR FOUNDING PARTNERS:

Bureau of Land Management
City of Moab
Community Rebuilds
Grand County Conservation District
Moab Charter School
MoaBees Beekeeping Group
USDA Natural Resources Conservation
Service
USU Extension Sustainability
Wildland Scapes
Youth Garden Project



WHAT IS BIG?

BIG is a collaborative movement to create a corridor of pollinator-friendly, perennial, edible, water-wise gardens using permaculture principles in Moab, Utah. Permaculture is designing in a way that mimics natural ecosystems. Examples include looking at relationships among plants, stacking functions, digging rainwater harvesting swales, and building healthy soil.

MISSION:

To inspire locals and visitors using gardens, workshops, and classes in a way that demonstrates and supports efforts toward pollinator health, community food systems, water conservation and an economy that provides for our people and benefits our ecology.

WHY BIG?

Moab is located in the Colorado Plateau, a rich and unique ecosystem. It is estimated that 10% of the plant species found here are only found in this area.

Moab's unique geography and variety of pollinators, including beetles, flies, butterflies, birds the European honey bee, and approximately 900 native bee species, has inspired old and new residents to help sustain this diversity through growing perennial, drought tolerant, and native plants.



BIG LOCATIONS

-  Aarchway Inn
1551 U.S. 191, Moab
-  Canyonlands Field Institute
Professor Valley Field Camp
Mile 19, Hwy 128, Moab
-  Community Rebuilds Intern Campus
808 Mill Creek Dr. Moab
-  Goose Island
Bureau Of Land Management Moab, UT-128
-  Moab Charter School
358 East 300, South Moab
-  Rotary Park
680 East Mill Creek Drive, Moab
-  USU Moab
125 West 200 South, Moab
-  Youth Garden Project
530 Fourth East Street, Moab

