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# HAVE YOU SEEN THIS RARE FIREFLY?

SOUTHWEST SPRING FIREFLY  
*(Bicellonycha wickershamorum)*

THE SOUTHWEST SPRING FIREFLY IS THREATENED WITH EXTINCTION AND NEEDS YOUR HELP!

## WHERE & WHEN TO LOOK

### HABITAT

Southern AZ springs, seeps, wet pastures, marshes, & riverbeds



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### ADULT

- Adults active dusk to dark from early June to late July, before summer monsoons
- Look for greenish flashes that rise higher above the ground as the evening progresses



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### LOOK-A-LIKES

Similar *P. knulli* does not have hunched posture or cleft claws



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HELP TRACK THE  
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