



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS RARE FIREFLY?

SOUTHWEST SYNCHRONOUS FIREFLY
(*Photinus knulli*)

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

WHERE & WHEN TO LOOK

HABITAT

Southern AZ deserts near permanent water sources



ADULT

- Adults active in July and August, 35-120 minutes after sunset
- Males emit triplet yellow flashes about every six seconds
- Males may congregate and put on synchronous flash displays



LOOK-A-LIKES

Similar *Bicellonycha* has hunched posture and cleft claws



SUBMIT AN OBSERVATION

Contact
fireflyatlas@xerces.org

OR

Go to fireflyatlas.org to submit your observation

HELP TRACK THE
SOUTHWEST SYNCHRONOUS
FIREFLY

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