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Dr. Whitney Cranshaw is a CSU professor and Extension specialist in entomology. His Extension responsibilities primarily involve outreach activities related to diagnosis and management of insect pests of horticultural crops in Colorado. His broad research interests include Integrated Pest Management of all arthropods affecting horticultural commodities in Colorado, particularly vegetables, shade trees, turfgrass and specialty crops. Primary research subject species include Japanese beetle, European elm scale, & Emerald ash borer to name a few. More recently, Dr. Cranshaw has led work involving insect and mite pests of hemp and identify pest management needs related to the trendy crop. The Colorado Master Gardener program is a long-time fan of Dr. Cranshaw and his relevancy to identifying and appropriately managing garden pests and pollinators. He has educated (and entertained) thousands of Master Gardeners over the years and his work lives on in Extension offices across the state through the numerous books he has authored on Garden Insects.

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