



Abbie Ince Hendrickson M.S. with Living Wild LLC.



I was originally born in the dusty plains of Lubbock, Tx. I obtained my undergraduate degree from Texas A&M University in College Station, Tx., receiving a B.S. in Microbiology, with emphasis in evolutionary ecology, and a B.S in Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, with emphasis on conservation biology. I worked for 2 years as a wildlife technician, studying snakes, birds, and tortoises, until I landed a position as a Wildlife Biologist looking at bat and bird mortality under large wind turbines. Shortly after meeting my husband in 2016, I decided to go after a master's degree. The large majority of my Master's work was done in the coastal estuary regions of the gulf, catching American alligators and analyzing their parasitic gut fauna. Leading a field team and catching alligators reaffirmed my passion for field work and herpetofauna. I graduated with my M.S. from Texas Tech University (yes, back in Lubbock) in May of 2020. My Husband and I recently moved to the Conroe area and bought 10 acres of forested land which we are managing for wildlife and plant diversity. I am currently on the board of directors for the Native Plant Society of Texas and am a certified Texas Master Naturalist. These past few years I recognized an enormous need for a person to be environmentally minded while gardening, so I decided to start my own habitat restoration and native landscape design business; Living Wild LLC! Business is booming; everyone wants their own pollinator patch or hummingbird habitat, my dream come true!