

Review of the genus *Ceraturgus* Wiedemann (Diptera: Asilidae) in North America north of Mexico

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Abstract

The species of *Ceraturgus* occurring in the eastern United States and Canada are reviewed. A key to species, descriptions, illustrations of wings and some genitalic features, and distribution maps are presented. *Ceraturgus fasciatus* is resurrected from synonymy with *Ceraturgus cruciatus*, and *Ceraturgus mabelae* is reduced to synonymy with *Ceraturgus nigripes* (new synonymy). *Ceraturgopsis* is resurrected, assigned subgeneric rank, and *Ceraturgus cornutus* is fixed as type species. This work is dedicated to the memory of one of America's foremost asilidologists, Joseph Wilcox.

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