

***Miathyria marcella* Selys**

STRAY

Hyacinth Glider

33-42 mm (1.3-1.7 in.)

9 Jul [one record]

Medium

MALE: Eyes: brown. Face: pale. Thorax: top metallic violet; rest brown/olivaceous w/ tawny hairs/2 lateral oblique white stripes. Abdomen: orange-brown; S5-7 dorsal black stripe; S8-10 have more black. Legs: brown. Wings: hyaline; HW basal brown crossband. Appendages: dark.

Habitat: Ponds/marsh-bordered lakes w/ water hyacinth (*Eichhornia crassipes*)/water lettuce (*Pistia stratiotes*). Rarely perches.

Locations: Elkhorn - L.

[Phenograms](#) (pages 2 – 6).

[Locations](#) (in Howard County)

[Identification features and odonate anatomy](#)