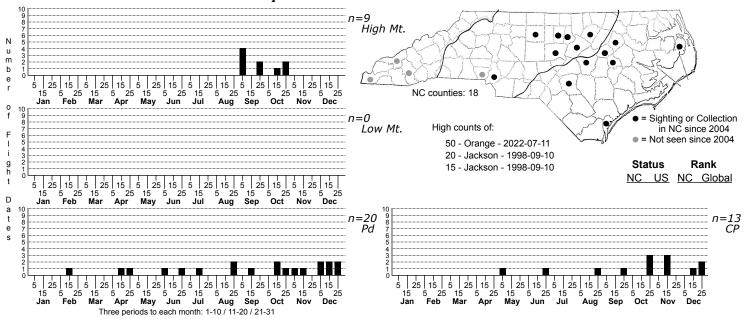
## Barronopsis texana a funnel weaver



ORDER:ARANEAE INFRAORDER:Araneomorphae FAMILY:Agelenidae

TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS: Originally described as Agelena texana by Gertsch in 1934, it was moved to Agelenopsis, and most recently to Barronopsis by Lehtinen (1967) who "elevated Barronopsis to genus level and, although he provided no rationale" the genus has been retained (Stocks, 2009).

DISTRIBUTION\_COMMENTS: Maryland, South to Florida, West to Texas.

HABITAT: Temperate pine-hardwood forests and pine-hemlock forests. Exploits human-made structures and landscapes, and frequently abundant in lower latitudes on picnic tables, wooden handrails and fences, and are locally abundant in higher latitudes and elevations on the sides of buildings and in ornamental bushes.