# Appendix B: Biological Resources Supporting Information



**B.1** - Database Searches





## California Department of Fish and Wildlife California Natural Diversity Database



**Query Criteria:** 

Quad<span style='color:Red'> IS </span>(Anaheim (3311778)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Los Alamitos (3311871)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Seal Beach (3311861)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Newport Beach (3311768)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Tustin (3311767)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Orange (3311777)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Yorba Linda (3311787)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>La Habra (3311788)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Whittier (3311881))

Species	Element Code	Federal Status	State Status	Global Rank	State Rank	Rare Plant Rank/CDFW SSC or FP
Abronia villosa var. aurita	PDNYC010P1	None	None	G5T2?	S2	1B.1
chaparral sand-verbena						
Accipiter cooperii	ABNKC12040	None	None	G5	S4	WL
Cooper's hawk						
Agelaius tricolor	ABPBXB0020	None	Threatened	G1G2	S1S2	SSC
tricolored blackbird						
Aimophila ruficeps canescens	ABPBX91091	None	None	G5T3	S3	WL
southern California rufous-crowned sparrow						
Ammodramus savannarum	ABPBXA0020	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
grasshopper sparrow						
Anniella stebbinsi	ARACC01060	None	None	G3	S3	SSC
Southern California legless lizard						
Aphanisma blitoides	PDCHE02010	None	None	G3G4	S2	1B.2
aphanisma						
Ardea herodias	ABNGA04010	None	None	G5	S4	
great blue heron						
Asio otus	ABNSB13010	None	None	G5	S3?	SSC
long-eared owl						
Aspidoscelis hyperythra	ARACJ02060	None	None	G5	S2S3	WL
orange-throated whiptail						
Aspidoscelis tigris stejnegeri	ARACJ02143	None	None	G5T5	S3	SSC
coastal whiptail						
Astragalus hornii var. hornii	PDFAB0F421	None	None	GUT1	S1	1B.1
Horn's milk-vetch						
Astragalus pycnostachyus var. lanosissimus Ventura Marsh milk-vetch	PDFAB0F7B1	Endangered	Endangered	G2T1	S1	1B.1
Athene cunicularia burrowing owl	ABNSB10010	None	None	G4	<b>S</b> 3	SSC
Atriplex coulteri	PDCHE040E0	None	None	G3	S1S2	1B.2
Coulter's saltbush						
Atriplex pacifica	PDCHE041C0	None	None	G4	S2	1B.2
south coast saltscale						
Atriplex parishii	PDCHE041D0	None	None	G1G2	S1	1B.1
Parish's brittlescale						
Atriplex serenana var. davidsonii	PDCHE041T1	None	None	G5T1	S1	1B.2
Davidson's saltscale						





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Bombus crotchii	IIHYM24480	None	Candidate	G3G4	S1S2	
Crotch bumble bee			Endangered			
Branchinecta sandiegonensis	ICBRA03060	Endangered	None	G2	S2	
San Diego fairy shrimp		J				
Buteo regalis	ABNKC19120	None	None	G4	S3S4	WL
ferruginous hawk						
Buteo swainsoni	ABNKC19070	None	Threatened	G5	S3	
Swainson's hawk						
California Walnut Woodland	CTT71210CA	None	None	G2	S2.1	
California Walnut Woodland						
Calochortus plummerae	PMLIL0D150	None	None	G4	S4	4.2
Plummer's mariposa-lily						
Calochortus weedii var. intermedius	PMLIL0D1J1	None	None	G3G4T2	S2	1B.2
intermediate mariposa-lily						
Calystegia felix	PDCON040P0	None	None	G1Q	S1	1B.1
lucky morning-glory						
Campylorhynchus brunneicapillus sandiegensis	ABPBG02095	None	None	G5T3Q	S3	SSC
coastal cactus wren						
Catostomus santaanae	AFCJC02190	Threatened	None	G1	S1	
Santa Ana sucker						
Centromadia parryi ssp. australis	PDAST4R0P4	None	None	G3T2	S2	1B.1
southern tarplant						
Charadrius nivosus nivosus	ABNNB03031	Threatened	None	G3T3	S2	SSC
western snowy plover						
Chelonia mydas	ARAAA02010	Threatened	None	G3	S4	
green turtle						
Chloropyron maritimum ssp. maritimum	PDSCR0J0C2	Endangered	Endangered	G4?T1	S1	1B.2
salt marsh bird's-beak						
Choeronycteris mexicana	AMACB02010	None	None	G3G4	S1	SSC
Mexican long-tongued bat						
Cicindela hirticollis gravida	IICOL02101	None	None	G5T2	S2	
sandy beach tiger beetle						
Cicindela latesignata latesignata western beach tiger beetle	IICOL02113	None	None	G2G4T1T2	S1	
Cicindela senilis frosti	IICOL02121	None	None	G2G3T1T3	S1	
senile tiger beetle						
Coccyzus americanus occidentalis western yellow-billed cuckoo	ABNRB02022	Threatened	Endangered	G5T2T3	S1	
Coelus globosus	IICOL4A010	None	None	G1G2	S1S2	
globose dune beetle						
Coturnicops noveboracensis	ABNME01010	None	None	G4	S1S2	SSC
yellow rail						





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Crotalus ruber red-diamond rattlesnake	ARADE02090	None	None	G4	S3	SSC
Danaus plexippus pop. 1	IILEPP2012	Candidate	None	G4T2T3	S2S3	
monarch - California overwintering population	IILLFF2012	Candidate	None	G41213	3233	
Dudleya multicaulis	PDCRA040H0	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
many-stemmed dudleya	1 2010/040110	None	NOTIC	02	02	10.2
Elanus leucurus	ABNKC06010	None	None	G5	S3S4	FP
white-tailed kite	7.2					• •
Emys marmorata	ARAAD02030	None	None	G3G4	S3	SSC
western pond turtle						
Eremophila alpestris actia	ABPAT02011	None	None	G5T4Q	S4	WL
California horned lark						
Eriastrum densifolium ssp. sanctorum	PDPLM03035	Endangered	Endangered	G4T1	S1	1B.1
Santa Ana River woollystar		J	J			
Eryngium aristulatum var. parishii	PDAPI0Z042	Endangered	Endangered	G5T1	S1	1B.1
San Diego button-celery		-	•			
Eumops perotis californicus	AMACD02011	None	None	G4G5T4	S3S4	SSC
western mastiff bat						
Euphydryas editha quino	IILEPK405L	Endangered	None	G5T1T2	S1S2	
quino checkerspot butterfly						
Falco peregrinus anatum	ABNKD06071	Delisted	Delisted	G4T4	S3S4	FP
American peregrine falcon						
Glyptostoma gabrielense	IMGASB1010	None	None	G2	S2	
San Gabriel chestnut						
Habroscelimorpha gabbii	IICOL02080	None	None	G2G4	S1	
western tidal-flat tiger beetle						
Helianthus nuttallii ssp. parishii	PDAST4N102	None	None	G5TX	SX	1A
Los Angeles sunflower						
lcteria virens	ABPBX24010	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
yellow-breasted chat						
Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens	PDAST57091	None	None	G3G5T2T3	S2	1B.2
decumbent goldenbush						
Lasionycteris noctivagans	AMACC02010	None	None	G3G4	S3S4	
silver-haired bat						
Lasiurus cinereus hoary bat	AMACC05030	None	None	G3G4	S4	
Lasiurus xanthinus	AMACC05070	None	None	G4G5	S3	SSC
western yellow bat						
Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri	PDAST5L0A1	None	None	G4T2	S2	1B.1
Coulter's goldfields						
Laterallus jamaicensis coturniculus	ABNME03041	None	Threatened	G3G4T1	S1	FP
California black rail						





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Lepidium virginicum var. robinsonii	PDBRA1M114	None	None	G5T3	S3	4.3
Robinson's pepper-grass						
Microtus californicus stephensi	AMAFF11035	None	None	G5T2T3	S1S2	SSC
south coast marsh vole						
Myotis yumanensis	AMACC01020	None	None	G5	S4	
Yuma myotis						
Nama stenocarpa	PDHYD0A0H0	None	None	G4G5	S1S2	2B.2
mud nama						
Nasturtium gambelii	PDBRA270V0	Endangered	Threatened	G1	S1	1B.1
Gambel's water cress						
Navarretia prostrata	PDPLM0C0Q0	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
prostrate vernal pool navarretia						
Nemacaulis denudata var. denudata	PDPGN0G011	None	None	G3G4T2	S2	1B.2
coast woolly-heads						
Nyctinomops femorosaccus	AMACD04010	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
pocketed free-tailed bat						
Nyctinomops macrotis	AMACD04020	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
big free-tailed bat						
Oncorhynchus mykiss irideus pop. 10	AFCHA0209J	Endangered	None	G5T1Q	S1	
steelhead - southern California DPS						
Orcuttia californica	PMPOA4G010	Endangered	Endangered	G1	S1	1B.1
California Orcutt grass						
Pandion haliaetus	ABNKC01010	None	None	G5	S4	WL
osprey						
Panoquina errans	IILEP84030	None	None	G4G5	S2	
wandering (=saltmarsh) skipper						
Passerculus sandwichensis beldingi	ABPBX99015	None	Endangered	G5T3	S3	
Belding's savannah sparrow						
Pentachaeta aurea ssp. allenii	PDAST6X021	None	None	G4T1	S1	1B.1
Allen's pentachaeta						
Perognathus longimembris pacificus	AMAFD01042	Endangered	None	G5T1	S1	SSC
Pacific pocket mouse		-				
Phacelia stellaris	PDHYD0C510	None	None	G1	S1	1B.1
Brand's star phacelia						
Phrynosoma blainvillii	ARACF12100	None	None	G3G4	S3S4	SSC
coast horned lizard						
Polioptila californica californica	ABPBJ08081	Threatened	None	G4G5T3Q	S2	SSC
coastal California gnatcatcher	2000001			5.55104	-	
Rallus obsoletus levipes	ABNME05014	Endangered	Endangered	G3T1T2	S1	FP
light-footed Ridgway's rail	ADINIEUUU 14	Lindaligoied	Lindangered	001112	01	• •
	ABPAU08010	None	Threatened	G5	S2	
Riparia riparia	ADPAUUSUTU	NOTIE	rmeatened	Go	32	
bank swallow						





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Rynchops niger	ABNNM14010	None	None	G5	S2	SSC
black skimmer	7.514.4	140110	110110	00	02	000
Salvadora hexalepis virgultea	ARADB30033	None	None	G5T4	S2S3	SSC
coast patch-nosed snake						
Senecio aphanactis	PDAST8H060	None	None	G3	S2	2B.2
chaparral ragwort						
Setophaga petechia	ABPBX03010	None	None	G5	S3S4	SSC
yellow warbler						
Sidalcea neomexicana	PDMAL110J0	None	None	G4	S2	2B.2
salt spring checkerbloom						
Sorex ornatus salicornicus	AMABA01104	None	None	G5T1?	S1	SSC
southern California saltmarsh shrew						
Southern California Arroyo Chub/Santa Ana Sucker Stream	CARE2330CA	None	None	GNR	SNR	
Southern California Arroyo Chub/Santa Ana Sucker Stream						
Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest	CTT61310CA	None	None	G4	S4	
Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest						
Southern Coastal Salt Marsh	CTT52120CA	None	None	G2	S2.1	
Southern Coastal Salt Marsh						
Southern Cottonwood Willow Riparian Forest	CTT61330CA	None	None	G3	S3.2	
Southern Cottonwood Willow Riparian Forest						
Southern Dune Scrub	CTT21330CA	None	None	G1	S1.1	
Southern Dune Scrub						
Southern Foredunes	CTT21230CA	None	None	G2	S2.1	
Southern Foredunes						
Southern Sycamore Alder Riparian Woodland Southern Sycamore Alder Riparian Woodland	CTT62400CA	None	None	G4	S4	
Southern Willow Scrub	CTT63320CA	None	None	G3	S2.1	
Southern Willow Scrub						
Spea hammondii	AAABF02020	None	None	G2G3	S3	SSC
western spadefoot						
Sternula antillarum browni	ABNNM08103	Endangered	Endangered	G4T2T3Q	S2	FP
California least tern						
Streptocephalus woottoni	ICBRA07010	Endangered	None	G1G2	S1S2	
Riverside fairy shrimp						
Suaeda esteroa estuary seablite	PDCHE0P0D0	None	None	G3	S2	1B.2
Symphyotrichum defoliatum	PDASTE80C0	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
San Bernardino aster						
Taxidea taxus	AMAJF04010	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
American badger						
Trigonoscuta dorothea dorothea	IICOL51021	None	None	G1T1	S1	
Dorothy's El Segundo Dune weevil						



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Tryonia imitator	IMGASJ7040	None	None	G2	S2	
mimic tryonia (=California brackishwater snail)						
Vireo bellii pusillus	ABPBW01114	Endangered	Endangered	G5T2	S2	
least Bell's vireo						

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▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Atriplex coulteri	COMMON NAME Coulter's saltbush	FAMILY Chenopodiaceae	LIFEFORM perennial herb	FED LIST None	STATE LIST None	RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 3	HIGHEST ELEVATION 460	BLOOMING PERIOD Mar-Oct
Atriplex pacifica	south coast saltscale	Chenopodiaceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.2	foothill grassland Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub,		0	140	Mar-Oct
<u>Atriplex parishii</u>	Parish's brittlescale	Chenopodiaceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.1	Playas Chenopod scrub, Playas, Vernal pools		25	1900	Jun-Oct
Atriplex serenana var. davidsonii	Davidson's saltscale	Chenopodiaceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.2	Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal scrub		10	200	Apr-Oct
<u>Calochortus</u> <u>catalinae</u>	Catalina mariposa lily	Liliaceae	perennial bulbiferous herb	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		15	700	(Feb)Mar- Jun
<u>Calochortus</u> <u>plummerae</u>	Plummer's mariposa-lily	Liliaceae	perennial bulbiferous herb	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest, Valley and foothill grassland		100	1700	May-Jul

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▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Calochortus weedii var. intermedius	COMMON NAME intermediate mariposa-lily	FAMILY Liliaceae	LIFEFORM perennial bulbiferous herb	FED LIST None	STATE LIST None	RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 105	HIGHEST ELEVATION 855	BLOOMING PERIOD <b>May-Jul</b>
<u>Calystegia felix</u>	lucky morning- glory	Convolvulaceae	annual rhizomatous herb	None	None	1B.1	Meadows and seeps, Riparian scrub		30	215	Mar-Sep
<u>Camissoniopsis</u> <u>lewisii</u>	Lewis' evening- primrose	Onagraceae	annual herb	None	None	3	Cismontane woodland, Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		0	300	Mar- May(Jun)
Centromadia parryi ssp. australis	southern tarplant	Asteraceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.1	Marshes and swamps, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		0	480	May-Nov
<u>Chloropyron</u> <u>maritimum ssp.</u> <u>maritimum</u>	salt marsh bird's-beak	Orobanchaceae	annual herb (hemiparasitic)	FE	CE	1B.2	Coastal dunes, Marshes and swamps		0	30	May- Oct(Nov)
<u>Cistanthe</u> <u>maritima</u>	seaside cistanthe	Montiaceae	annual herb	None	None	4.2	Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		5	300	(Feb)Mar- Jun(Aug)
<u>Convolvulus</u> <u>simulans</u>	small- flowered morning- glory	Convolvulaceae	annual herb	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		30	740	Mar-Jul

▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Deinandra paniculata	COMMON NAME paniculate tarplant	FAMILY Asteraceae	LIFEFORM annual herb	FED LIST <b>None</b>	STATE LIST None	RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 25	HIGHEST ELEVATION 940	BLOOMING PERIOD (Mar)Apr- Nov
<u>Dudleya</u> <u>multicaulis</u>	many- stemmed dudleya	Crassulaceae	perennial herb	None	None	1B.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		15	790	Apr-Jul
<u>Eleocharis</u> <u>parvula</u>	small spikerush	Cyperaceae	perennial herb	None	None	4.3	Marshes and swamps		1	3020	(Apr)Jun- Aug(Sep)
Eriastrum  densifolium ssp. sanctorum	Santa Ana River woollystar	Polemoniaceae	perennial herb	FE	CE	1B.1	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		91	610	Apr-Sep
Eryngium aristulatum var. parishii	San Diego button-celery	Apiaceae	annual/perennial herb	FE	CE	1B.1	Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		20	620	Apr-Jun
Helianthus nuttallii ssp. parishii	Los Angeles sunflower	Asteraceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	None	None	1A	Marshes and swamps		10	1525	Aug-Oct
<u>Hordeum</u> <u>intercedens</u>	vernal barley	Poaceae	annual herb	None	None	3.2	Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		5	1000	Mar-Jun
Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens	decumbent goldenbush	Asteraceae	perennial shrub	None	None	1B.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		10	135	Apr-Nov
<u>Juglans</u> <u>californica</u>	Southern California black walnut	Juglandaceae	perennial deciduous tree	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Riparian woodland		50	900	Mar-Aug

▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Juncus acutus ssp. leopoldii	COMMON NAME southwestern spiny rush	FAMILY Juncaceae	LIFEFORM perennial rhizomatous herb	FED LIST <b>None</b>	STATE LIST None	RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Coastal dunes, Marshes and swamps, Meadows and seeps	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 3	HIGHEST ELEVATION 900	BLOOMING PERIOD (Mar)May- Jun
<u>Lasthenia</u> <u>glabrata ssp.</u> <u>coulteri</u>	Coulter's goldfields	Asteraceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.1	Marshes and swamps, Playas, Vernal pools		1	1220	Feb-Jun
<u>Lepidium</u> <u>virginicum var.</u> <u>robinsonii</u>	Robinson's pepper-grass	Brassicaceae	annual herb	None	None	4.3	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		1	885	Jan-Jul
<u>Lycium</u> <u>californicum</u>	California box-thorn	Solanaceae	perennial shrub	None	None	4.2	Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal scrub		5	150	Mar- Aug(Dec)
Microseris douglasii ssp. platycarpha	small- flowered microseris	Asteraceae	annual herb	None	None	4.2	Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		15	1070	Mar-May
<u>Nama</u> <u>stenocarpa</u>	mud nama	Namaceae	annual/perennial herb	None	None	2B.2	Marshes and swamps		5	500	Jan-Jul
<u>Nasturtium</u> gambelii	Gambel's water cress	Brassicaceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	FE	СТ	1B.1	Marshes and swamps		5	330	Apr-Oct
Navarretia prostrata	prostrate vernal pool navarretia	Polemoniaceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.2	Coastal scrub, Meadows and seeps, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		3	1210	Apr-Jul
Nemacaulis denudata var. denudata	coast woolly- heads	Polygonaceae	annual herb	None	None	1B.2	Coastal dunes		0	100	Apr-Sep
Orcuttia californica	California Orcutt grass	Poaceae	annual herb	FE	CE	1B.1	Vernal pools		15	660	Apr-Aug

▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Pentachaeta aurea ssp. allenii	COMMON NAME Allen's pentachaeta	FAMILY Asteraceae	LIFEFORM annual herb	FED LIST <b>None</b>	STATE LIST None	RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 75	HIGHEST ELEVATION 520	BLOOMING PERIOD <b>Mar-Jun</b>
<u>Phacelia hubbyi</u>	Hubby's phacelia	Hydrophyllaceae	annual herb	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		0	1000	Apr-Jul
Phacelia ramosissima var. austrolitoralis	south coast branching phacelia	Hydrophyllaceae	perennial herb	None	None	3.2	Chaparral, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Marshes and swamps		5	300	Mar-Aug
<u>Quercus</u> <u>engelmannii</u>	Engelmann oak	Fagaceae	perennial deciduous tree	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Riparian woodland, Valley and foothill grassland		50	1300	Mar-Jun
<u>Romneya</u> <u>coulteri</u>	Coulter's matilija poppy	Papaveraceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	None	None	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		20	1200	Mar- Jul(Aug)
<u>Senecio</u> <u>aphanactis</u>	chaparral ragwort	Asteraceae	annual herb	None	None	2B.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub		15	800	Jan- Apr(May)
<u>Sidalcea</u> <u>neomexicana</u>	salt spring checkerbloom	Malvaceae	perennial herb	None	None	2B.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest, Mojavean desert scrub, Playas		15	1530	Mar-Jun
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▲ SCIENTIFIC NAME Suaeda taxifolia	COMMON NAME woolly seablite	FAMILY Chenopodiaceae	LIFEFORM perennial evergreen shrub	FED LIST None		RANK	GENERAL HABITATS Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal dunes, Marshes and swamps	MICRO HABITATS	LOWEST ELEVATION 0	HIGHEST ELEVATION 50	BLOOMING PERIOD Jan-Dec	
<u>Symphyotrichum</u> <u>defoliatum</u>	San Bernardino aster	Asteraceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	None	None	1B.2	Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest, Marshes and swamps, Meadows and seeps, Valley and foothill grassland		2	2040	Jul-Nov	

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**IPaC** 

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

### IPaC resource list

This report is an automatically generated list of species and other resources such as critical habitat (collectively referred to as *trust resources*) under the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's (USFWS) jurisdiction that are known or expected to be on or near the project area referenced below. The list may also include trust resources that occur outside of the project area, but that could potentially be directly or indirectly affected by activities in the project area. However, determining the likelihood and extent of effects a project may have on trust resources typically requires gathering additional site-specific (e.g., vegetation/species surveys) and project-specific (e.g., magnitude and timing of proposed activities) information.

Below is a summary of the project information you provided and contact information for the USFWS office(s) with jurisdiction in the defined project area. Please read the introduction to each section that follows (Endangered Species, Migratory Birds, USFWS Facilities, and NWI Wetlands) for additional information applicable to the trust resources addressed in that section.

### Location

Orange County, California



## Local office

Carlsbad Fish And Wildlife Office

**\( (760) 431-9440** 

**(760)** 431-5901

2177 Salk Avenue - Suite 250 Carlsbad, CA 92008-7385

http://www.fws.gov/carlsbad/

## Endangered species

This resource list is for informational purposes only and does not constitute an analysis of project level impacts.

The primary information used to generate this list is the known or expected range of each species. Additional areas of influence (AOI) for species are also considered. An AOI includes areas outside of the species range if the species could be indirectly affected by activities in that area (e.g., placing a dam upstream of a fish population even if that fish does not occur at the dam site, may indirectly impact the species by reducing or eliminating water flow downstream). Because species can move, and site conditions can change, the species on this list are not guaranteed to be found on or near the project area. To fully determine any potential effects to species, additional site-specific and project-specific information is often required.

Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act **requires** Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of such proposed action" for any project that is conducted, permitted, funded, or licensed by any Federal agency. A letter from the local office and a species list which fulfills this requirement can **only** be obtained by requesting an official species list from either the Regulatory Review section in IPaC (see directions below) or from the local field office directly.

For project evaluations that require USFWS concurrence/review, please return to the IPaC website and request an official species list by doing the following:

- 1. Draw the project location and click CONTINUE.
- 2. Click DEFINE PROJECT.
- 3. Log in (if directed to do so).
- 4. Provide a name and description for your project.
- 5. Click REQUEST SPECIES LIST.

Listed species<sup>1</sup> and their critical habitats are managed by the <u>Ecological Services Program</u> of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and the fisheries division of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA Fisheries<sup>2</sup>).

Species and critical habitats under the sole responsibility of NOAA Fisheries are **not** shown on this list. Please contact <u>NOAA</u> <u>Fisheries</u> for <u>species under their jurisdiction</u>.

- 1. Species listed under the <u>Endangered Species Act</u> are threatened or endangered; IPaC also shows species that are candidates, or proposed, for listing. See the <u>listing status page</u> for more information. IPaC only shows species that are regulated by USFWS (see FAQ).
- 2. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

The following species are potentially affected by activities in this location:

### **Birds**

NAME STATUS

Coastal California Gnatcatcher Polioptila californica californica

Threatened

Wherever found

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8178

### Flowering Plants

NAME STATUS

Ventura Marsh Milk-vetch Astragalus pycnostachyus var. lanosissimus Endangered

Wherever found

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1160

### Critical habitats

Potential effects to critical habitat(s) in this location must be analyzed along with the endangered species themselves.

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS AT THIS LOCATION.

## Migratory birds

Certain birds are protected under the Migratory Bird Treaty  $Act^{1}$  and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection  $Act^{2}$ .

Any person or organization who plans or conducts activities that may result in impacts to migratory birds, eagles, and their habitats should follow appropriate regulations and consider implementing appropriate conservation measures, as described below.

- 1. The Migratory Birds Treaty Act of 1918.
- 2. The Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act of 1940.

Additional information can be found using the following links:

- Birds of Conservation Concern <a href="http://www.fws.gov/birds/management/managed-species/birds-of-conservation-concern.php">http://www.fws.gov/birds/management/managed-species/birds-of-conservation-concern.php</a>
- Measures for avoiding and minimizing impacts to birds <a href="http://www.fws.gov/birds/management/project-assessment-tools-and-guidance/">http://www.fws.gov/birds/management/project-assessment-tools-and-guidance/</a>
   conservation-measures.php
- Nationwide conservation measures for birds <a href="http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/pdf/management/nationwidestandardconservationmeasures.pdf">http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/pdf/management/nationwidestandardconservationmeasures.pdf</a>

The birds listed below are birds of particular concern either because they occur on the <u>USFWS Birds of Conservation Concern</u> (BCC) list or warrant special attention in your project location. To learn more about the levels of concern for birds on your list and how this list is generated, see the FAQ <u>below</u>. This is not a list of every bird you may find in this location, nor a guarantee that every bird on this list will be found in your project area. To see exact locations of where birders and the general public have sighted birds in and around your project area, visit the <u>E-bird data mapping tool</u> (Tip: enter your location, desired date range and a species on your list). For projects that occur off the Atlantic Coast, additional maps and models detailing the relative occurrence and abundance of bird species on your list are available. Links to additional information about Atlantic Coast birds, and other important information about your migratory bird list, including how to properly interpret and use your migratory bird report, can be found <u>below</u>.

For guidance on when to schedule activities or implement avoidance and minimization measures to reduce impacts to migratory birds on your list, click on the PROBABILITY OF PRESENCE SUMMARY at the top of your list to see when these birds are most likely to be present and breeding in your project area.

NAME

BREEDING SEASON (IF A BREEDING
SEASON IS INDICATED FOR A BIRD ON
YOUR LIST, THE BIRD MAY BREED IN YOUR
PROJECT AREA SOMETIME WITHIN THE
TIMEFRAME SPECIFIED, WHICH IS A VERY
LIBERAL ESTIMATE OF THE DATES INSIDE
WHICH THE BIRD BREEDS ACROSS ITS
ENTIRE RANGE. "BREEDS ELSEWHERE"
INDICATES THAT THE BIRD DOES NOT
LIKELY BREED IN YOUR PROJECT AREA.)

Allen's Hummingbird Selasphorus sasin

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9637

Black Skimmer Rynchops niger

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5234

Clark's Grebe Aechmophorus clarkii

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

Common Yellowthroat Geothlypis trichas sinuosa

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/2084

Costa's Hummingbird Calypte costae

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9470

Breeds Feb 1 to Jul 15

Breeds May 20 to Sep 15

Breeds Jan 1 to Dec 31

Breeds May 20 to Jul 31

Breeds Jan 15 to Jun 10

#### Golden Eagle Aquila chrysaetos

This is not a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) in this area, but warrants attention because of the Eagle Act or for potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities.

Breeds Jan 1 to Aug 31

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1680

#### Marbled Godwit Limosa fedoa

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9481

Breeds elsewhere

#### Nuttall's Woodpecker Picoides nuttallii

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9410

Breeds Apr 1 to Jul 20

#### Oak Titmouse Baeolophus inornatus

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9656

Breeds Mar 15 to Jul 15

#### Rufous Hummingbird selasphorus rufus

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8002

Breeds elsewhere

#### Short-billed Dowitcher Limnodromus griseus

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9480

Breeds elsewhere

Song Sparrow Melospiza melodia

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA

Breeds Feb 20 to Sep 5

Spotted Towhee Pipilo maculatus clementae

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4243

Breeds Apr 15 to Jul 20

Willet Tringa semipalmata

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

Breeds elsewhere

Wrentit Chamaea fasciata

This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.

Breeds Mar 15 to Aug 10

### **Probability of Presence Summary**

The graphs below provide our best understanding of when birds of concern are most likely to be present in your project area. This information can be used to tailor and schedule your project activities to avoid or minimize impacts to birds. Please make sure you read and understand the FAQ "Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report" before using or attempting to interpret this report.

#### Probability of Presence (■)

Each green bar represents the bird's relative probability of presence in the 10km grid cell(s) your project overlaps during a particular week of the year. (A year is represented as 12 4-week months.) A taller bar indicates a higher probability of species presence. The survey effort (see below) can be used to establish a level of confidence in the presence score. One can have higher confidence in the presence score if the corresponding survey effort is also high.

How is the probability of presence score calculated? The calculation is done in three steps:

1. The probability of presence for each week is calculated as the number of survey events in the week where the species was detected divided by the total number of survey events for that week. For example, if in week 12 there were 20 survey

events and the Spotted Towhee was found in 5 of them, the probability of presence of the Spotted Towhee in week 12 is 0.25.

- 2. To properly present the pattern of presence across the year, the relative probability of presence is calculated. This is the probability of presence divided by the maximum probability of presence across all weeks. For example, imagine the probability of presence in week 20 for the Spotted Towhee is 0.05, and that the probability of presence at week 12 (0.25) is the maximum of any week of the year. The relative probability of presence on week 12 is 0.25/0.25 = 1; at week 20 it is 0.05/0.25 = 0.2.
- 3. The relative probability of presence calculated in the previous step undergoes a statistical conversion so that all possible values fall between 0 and 10, inclusive. This is the probability of presence score.

To see a bar's probability of presence score, simply hover your mouse cursor over the bar.

#### Breeding Season (=)

Yellow bars denote a very liberal estimate of the time-frame inside which the bird breeds across its entire range. If there are no yellow bars shown for a bird, it does not breed in your project area.

#### Survey Effort (I)

Vertical black lines superimposed on probability of presence bars indicate the number of surveys performed for that species in the 10km grid cell(s) your project area overlaps. The number of surveys is expressed as a range, for example, 33 to 64 surveys.

To see a bar's survey effort range, simply hover your mouse cursor over the bar.

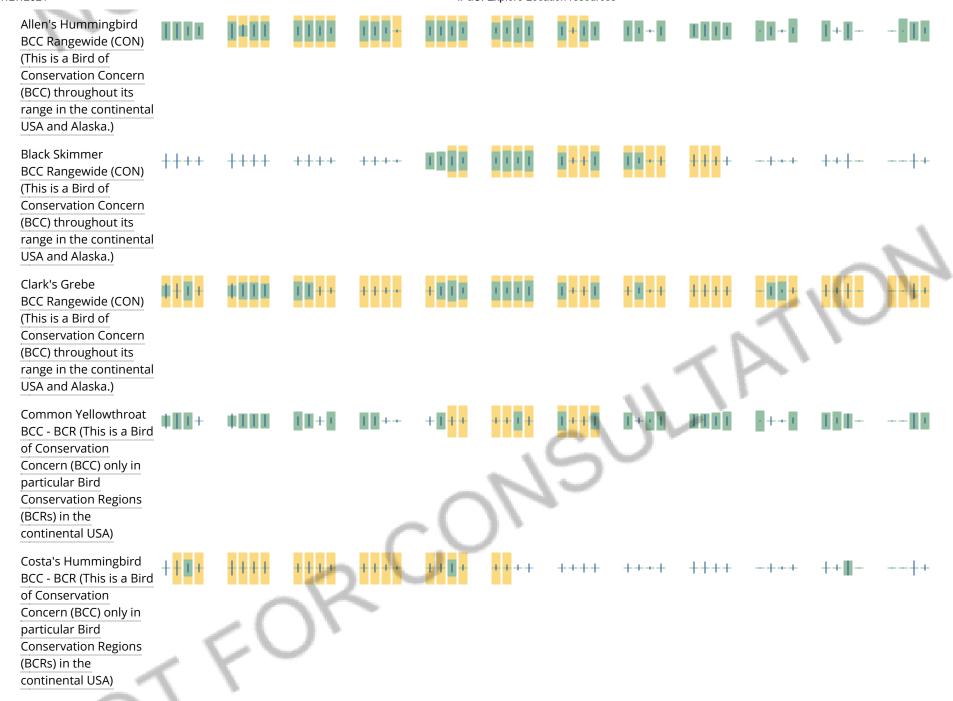
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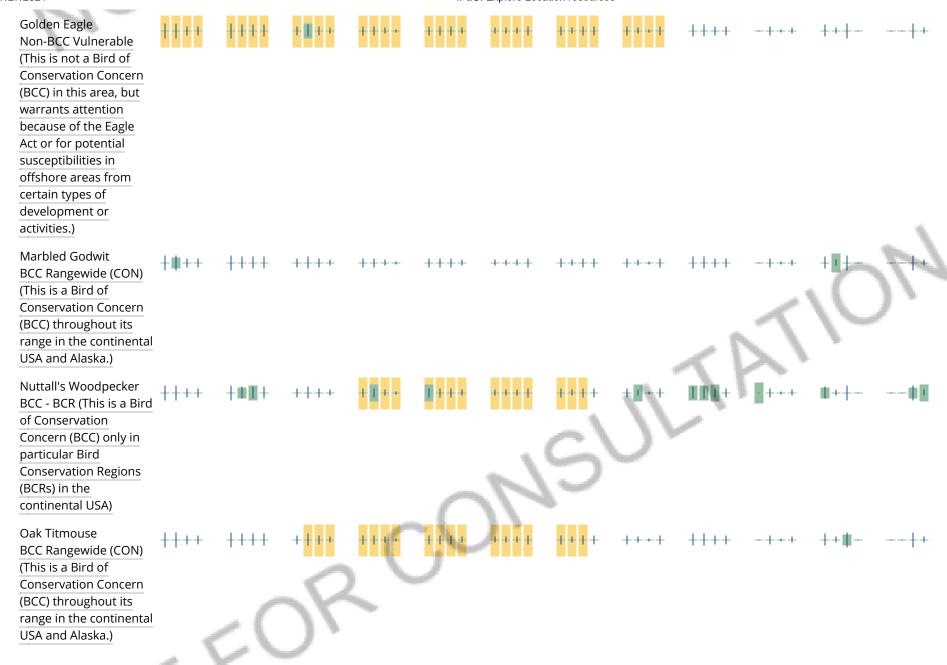
A week is marked as having no data if there were no survey events for that week.

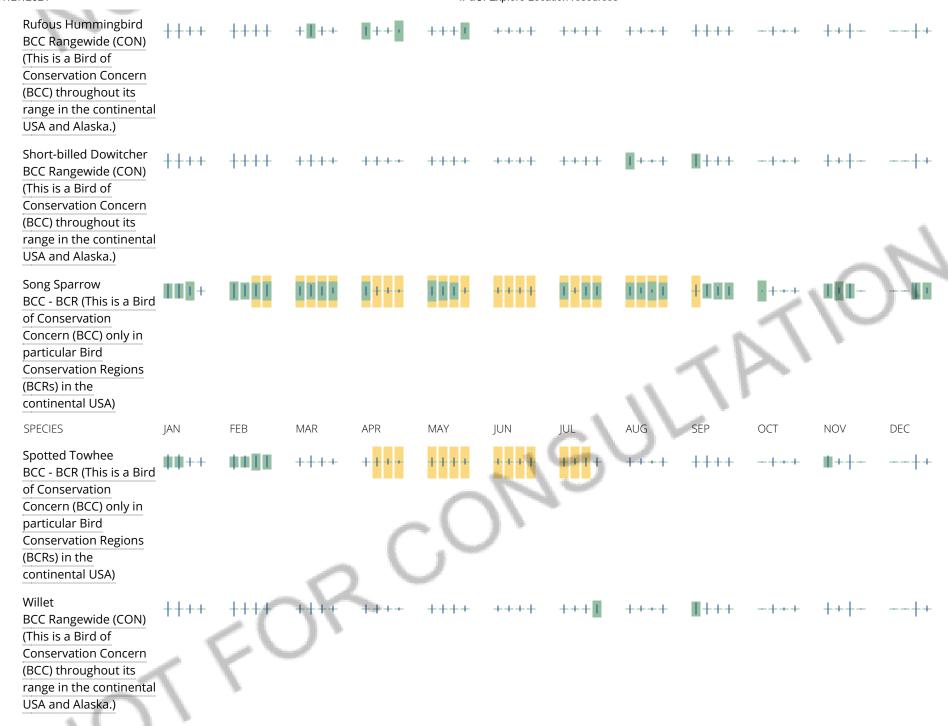
#### **Survey Timeframe**

Surveys from only the last 10 years are used in order to ensure delivery of currently relevant information. The exception to this is areas off the Atlantic coast, where bird returns are based on all years of available data, since data in these areas is currently much more sparse.









Wrentit
BCC Rangewide (CON)
(This is a Bird of
Conservation Concern
(BCC) throughout its
range in the continental
USA and Alaska.)









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Tell me more about conservation measures I can implement to avoid or minimize impacts to migratory birds.

Nationwide Conservation Measures describes measures that can help avoid and minimize impacts to all birds at any location year round. Implementation of these measures is particularly important when birds are most likely to occur in the project area. When birds may be breeding in the area, identifying the locations of any active nests and avoiding their destruction is a very helpful impact minimization measure. To see when birds are most likely to occur and be breeding in your project area, view the Probability of Presence Summary. Additional measures or permits may be advisable depending on the type of activity you are conducting and the type of infrastructure or bird species present on your project site.

#### What does IPaC use to generate the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location?

The Migratory Bird Resource List is comprised of USFWS <u>Birds of Conservation Concern (BCC)</u> and other species that may warrant special attention in your project location.

The migratory bird list generated for your project is derived from data provided by the <u>Avian Knowledge Network (AKN)</u>. The AKN data is based on a growing collection of <u>survey</u>, <u>banding</u>, <u>and citizen science datasets</u> and is queried and filtered to return a list of those birds reported as occurring in the 10km grid cell(s) which your project intersects, and that have been identified as warranting special attention because they are a BCC species in that area, an eagle (<u>Eagle Act</u> requirements may apply), or a species that has a particular vulnerability to offshore activities or development.

Again, the Migratory Bird Resource list includes only a subset of birds that may occur in your project area. It is not representative of all birds that may occur in your project area. To get a list of all birds potentially present in your project area, please visit the <u>AKN Phenology Tool</u>.

#### What does IPaC use to generate the probability of presence graphs for the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location?

The probability of presence graphs associated with your migratory bird list are based on data provided by the <u>Avian Knowledge Network (AKN)</u>. This data is derived from a growing collection of <u>survey</u>, <u>banding</u>, <u>and citizen science datasets</u>.

Probability of presence data is continuously being updated as new and better information becomes available. To learn more about how the probability of presence graphs are produced and how to interpret them, go the Probability of Presence Summary and then click on the "Tell me about these graphs" link.

#### How do I know if a bird is breeding, wintering, migrating or present year-round in my project area?

To see what part of a particular bird's range your project area falls within (i.e. breeding, wintering, migrating or year-round), you may refer to the following resources: The Cornell Lab of Ornithology All About Birds Bird Guide, or (if you are unsuccessful in locating the bird of interest there), the Cornell Lab of Ornithology Neotropical Birds guide. If a bird on your migratory bird species list has a breeding season associated with it, if that bird does occur in your project area, there may be nests present at some point within the timeframe specified. If "Breeds elsewhere" is indicated, then the bird likely does not breed in your project area.

#### What are the levels of concern for migratory birds?

Migratory birds delivered through IPaC fall into the following distinct categories of concern:

- 1. "BCC Rangewide" birds are <u>Birds of Conservation Concern</u> (BCC) that are of concern throughout their range anywhere within the USA (including Hawaii, the Pacific Islands, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands);
- 2. "BCC BCR" birds are BCCs that are of concern only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA; and
- 3. "Non-BCC Vulnerable" birds are not BCC species in your project area, but appear on your list either because of the <u>Eagle Act</u> requirements (for eagles) or (for non-eagles) potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities (e.g. offshore energy development or longline fishing).

Although it is important to try to avoid and minimize impacts to all birds, efforts should be made, in particular, to avoid and minimize impacts to the birds on this list, especially eagles and BCC species of rangewide concern. For more information on conservation measures you can implement to help avoid and minimize migratory bird impacts and requirements for eagles, please see the FAQs for these topics.

#### Details about birds that are potentially affected by offshore projects

For additional details about the relative occurrence and abundance of both individual bird species and groups of bird species within your project area off the Atlantic Coast, please visit the Northeast Ocean Data Portal. The Portal also offers data and information about other taxa besides birds that may be helpful to you in your project review. Alternately, you may download the bird model results files underlying the portal maps through the NOAA NCCOS Integrative Statistical Modeling and Predictive Mapping of Marine Bird Distributions and Abundance on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf project webpage.

Bird tracking data can also provide additional details about occurrence and habitat use throughout the year, including migration. Models relying on survey data may not include this information. For additional information on marine bird tracking data, see the <u>Diving Bird Study</u> and the <u>nanotag studies</u> or contact <u>Caleb Spiegel</u> or <u>Pam Loring</u>.

#### What if I have eagles on my list?

If your project has the potential to disturb or kill eagles, you may need to <u>obtain a permit</u> to avoid violating the Eagle Act should such impacts occur.

#### Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report

The migratory bird list generated is not a list of all birds in your project area, only a subset of birds of priority concern. To learn more about how your list is generated, and see options for identifying what other birds may be in your project area, please see the FAQ "What does IPaC use to generate the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location". Please be aware this report provides the "probability of presence" of birds within the 10 km grid cell(s) that overlap your project; not your exact project footprint. On the graphs provided, please also look carefully at the survey effort (indicated by the black vertical bar) and for the existence of the "no data" indicator (a red horizontal bar). A high survey effort is the key component. If the survey effort is high, then the probability of presence score can be viewed as more dependable. In contrast, a low survey effort bar or no data bar means a lack of data and, therefore, a lack of certainty about presence of the species. This list is not perfect; it is simply a starting point for identifying what birds of concern have the potential to be in your project area, when they might be there, and if they might be breeding (which means nests might be present). The list helps you know what to look for to confirm presence, and helps guide you in knowing when to implement conservation measures to avoid or minimize potential impacts from your project activities, should presence be confirmed. To learn more about conservation measures, visit the FAQ "Tell me about conservation measures I can implement to avoid or minimize impacts to migratory birds" at the bottom of your migratory bird trust resources page.

### **Facilities**

### National Wildlife Refuge lands

Any activity proposed on lands managed by the <u>National Wildlife Refuge</u> system must undergo a 'Compatibility Determination' conducted by the Refuge. Please contact the individual Refuges to discuss any questions or concerns.

THERE ARE NO REFUGE LANDS AT THIS LOCATION.

### Fish hatcheries

THERE ARE NO FISH HATCHERIES AT THIS LOCATION.

## Wetlands in the National Wetlands Inventory

Impacts to <u>NWI wetlands</u> and other aquatic habitats may be subject to regulation under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, or other State/Federal statutes.

For more information please contact the Regulatory Program of the local <u>U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District</u>.

THERE ARE NO KNOWN WETLANDS AT THIS LOCATION.

#### **Data limitations**

The Service's objective of mapping wetlands and deepwater habitats is to produce reconnaissance level information on the location, type and size of these resources. The maps are prepared from the analysis of high altitude imagery. Wetlands are identified based on vegetation, visible hydrology and geography. A margin of error is inherent in the use of imagery; thus, detailed on-the-ground inspection of any particular site may result in revision of the wetland boundaries or classification established through image analysis.

The accuracy of image interpretation depends on the quality of the imagery, the experience of the image analysts, the amount and quality of the collateral data and the amount of ground truth verification work conducted. Metadata should be consulted to determine the date of the source imagery used and any mapping problems.

Wetlands or other mapped features may have changed since the date of the imagery or field work. There may be occasional differences in polygon boundaries or classifications between the information depicted on the map and the actual conditions on site.

#### **Data exclusions**

Certain wetland habitats are excluded from the National mapping program because of the limitations of aerial imagery as the primary data source used to detect wetlands. These habitats include seagrasses or submerged aquatic vegetation that are found in the intertidal and subtidal zones of estuaries and nearshore coastal waters. Some deepwater reef communities (coral or tuberficid worm reefs) have also been excluded from the inventory. These habitats, because of their depth, go undetected by aerial imagery.

#### **Data precautions**

Federal, state, and local regulatory agencies with jurisdiction over wetlands may define and describe wetlands in a different manner than that used in this inventory. There is no attempt, in either the design or products of this inventory, to define the limits of proprietary jurisdiction of any Federal, state, or local government or to establish the geographical scope of the regulatory programs of government agencies. Persons intending to engage in activities involving modifications within or adjacent to wetland areas should seek the advice of appropriate federal, state, or local agencies concerning specified agency regulatory programs and proprietary jurisdictions that may affect such activities.



**B.2 - Field Notes and Site Photographs** 



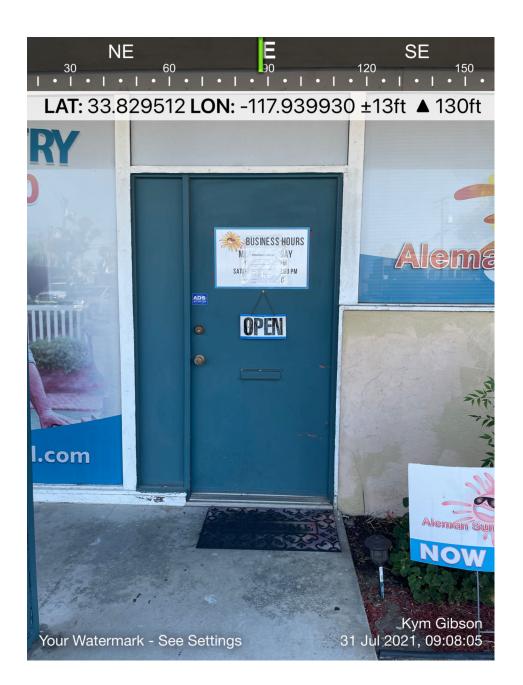
















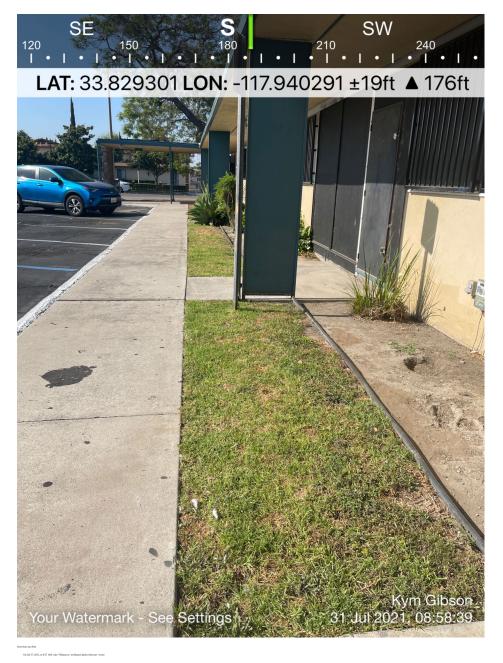












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**B.3 - Special-status Species Table** 



**Table 1: Special-status Plant Species Evaluated** 

Scientific Name	Status						
Common Name	USFWS1	CDFW <sup>2</sup> CNPS <sup>3</sup>		Habitat Description⁴	Potential to Occur and Rationale <sup>5</sup>		
Dicots	Dicots						
Abronia villosa var. aurita chaparral sand-verbena	_	_	1B.1	Chaparral, coastal scrub, desert dunes. Grows in sandy areas. Elevation: -60–1570 m Blooming period: March–September	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Astragalus hornii var. hornii Horn's milk-vetch	_	_	1B.1	Alkali sink, meadows, seeps, playas, wetland-riparian, and lake margins, often in alkaline soils. Elevation: 60–850 meters Blooming period: May–October	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Astragalus pycnostachyus var. Ianosissimus Ventura Marsh milk-vetch	FE	SE	1B.1	Marshes and swamps, coastal dunes, coastal scrub. Within reach of high tide or protected by barrier beaches, more rarely near seeps on sandy bluffs.  Elevation: 1–60 m.  Blooming period: (June) August–October			
Atriplex parishii Parish's brittlescale	_	_	1B.1	Vernal pools, chenopod scrub, playas. Usually on drying alkali flats with fine soils. Elevation: 4–1420 m. Blooming period: June–October	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri Coulter's goldfields	_	_	1B.1	Coastal salt marshes, playas, vernal pools. Usually found on alkaline soils in playas, sinks, and grasslands. Elevation: 1–1375 m. Blooming period: February–June	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Phacelia stellaris Brand's star phacelia	_	_	1B.1	Coastal scrub, coastal dunes. Open areas. Elevation: 3–370 m. Blooming period: March–June	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Sidalcea neomexicana salt spring checkerbloom	_	_	2B.2	Found in playas, chaparral, coastal scrub, lower montane coniferous forest, Mojave desert scrub, alkali springs and marshes. Elevation: 0–1,530 m. Bloom period: March–June	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		

Scientific Name	Status					
Common Name	USFWS <sup>1</sup> CDFW <sup>2</sup> CNPS <sup>3</sup>		CNPS <sup>3</sup>	Habitat Description <sup>4</sup>	Potential to Occur and Rationale⁵	
Symphyotrichum defoliatum San Bernardino aster	_	_	1B.2	Found in meadows and seeps, marshes and swamps, coastal scrub, cismontane woodland, lower montane coniferous forest, grassland. Prefers vernally mesic grassland or near ditches, streams, and springs; especially disturbed areas. Elevation: 2–2,040 m. Bloom period: July–November	<b>None.</b> The project site is entirely developed and does not contain suitable natural vegetation communities and substates for this plant to grow. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	

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- 4 Habitat Description: Habitat description adapted from CNDDB and CNPS online inventory or other specified source.
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Table 2: Special-status Wildlife Species Evaluated

Scientific Name	Status					
Common Name	USFWS <sup>1</sup>	CDFW <sup>2</sup>	Habitat Description <sup>3</sup>	Potential to Occur and Rationale <sup>4</sup>		
Birds						
Buteo swainsoni Swainson's hawk (nesting)	— MBTA	ST CFG	Breeds in grasslands with scattered trees, juniper-sage flats, riparian areas, savannahs, and agricultural or ranch lands with groves or lines of trees. Requires adjacent suitable foraging areas such as grasslands, or alfalfa or grain fields supporting rodent populations.	<b>None.</b> The project site lacks suitable foraging and nesting habitat. This species is believed to be locally extirpated and therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Campylorhynchus brunneicapillus sandiegensis coastal cactus wren	— MBTA	– SSC	Southern California coastal sage scrub. Cactus wrens require tall opuntia cactus for nesting and roosting.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable sage scrub vegetation to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Coccyzus americanus occidentalis western yellow-billed cuckoo	FT MBTA	SE	Found in riparian forest along the broad lower flood-bottoms of larger river systems. Nests in riparian jungles of willow, often mixed with cottonwoods; understory consists of blackberry, nettles, and wild grape.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable riparian habitat for this species to nest. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Falco peregrinus anatum American peregrine falcon	FD MBTA	SD FP	Near wetlands, lakes, rivers, or other water; on cliffs, banks, dunes, mounds; also, human-made structures. Nest consists of a scrape or a depression or ledge in an open site.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain cliffs or tall man-made structures suitable for nesting. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Icteria virens yellow-breasted chat	— MBTA	_ SSC	Summer resident of Southern California. Inhabits riparian thickets of willow and other brushy tangles near watercourses. Nests in low, dense riparian, consisting of willow, blackberry, wild grape; forages and nests within 10 ft. of ground.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable riparian habitat for this species to nest. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Laterallus jamaicensis coturniculus California black rail	— MBTA	ST FP	Inhabits freshwater marshes, wet meadows and shallow margins of saltwater marshes bordering larger bays. Needs water depths of about 1 inch that do not fluctuate during the year and dense vegetation for nesting habitat.	<b>None.</b> The project site lacks marsh or meadow habitat to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur onsite.		
Polioptila californica californica coastal California gnatcatcher	FT MBTA	_ SSC	Obligate, permanent resident of coastal sage scrub below 2,500 ft in Southern California. Often found in arid washes, on mesas and slopes. Not all areas classified as coastal sage scrub are occupied.	<b>None.</b> The project site does contain suitable coastal sage scrub habitat to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		
Sternula antillarum browni FE SE California least tern MBTA FP		-	Nests along the coast from San Francisco Bay south to northern Baja California. Colonial breeder on bare or sparsely vegetated, flat substrates: sand beaches, alkali flats, land fills, or paved areas.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable bare or sparsely vegetated areas free from human disturbance for this species to nest. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.		

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Vireo bellii pusillus least Bell's vireo	FE MBTA	SE	Summer resident of southern California in low riparian in vicinity of water or in dry river bottoms; below 2000 ft. Nests placed along margins of bushes or on twigs projecting into pathways, usually willow, <i>Baccharis</i> , mesquite.	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable riparian habitat for this species to nest. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Fish					
Oncorhynchus mykiss irideus FE — (pop. 10) steelhead (southern California DPS¹)		_	Occurs from the Santa Maria River to the Tijuana River at the United States and Mexican Border in seasonally accessible rivers and streams. Steelhead require cool, clean water and appropriate aggregate for spawning. Southern steelhead likely have greater physiological tolerances to warmer water and more variable conditions.	<b>None.</b> The project site is fully developed and lacks suitable aquatic habitat to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Insects		-			
Bombus crotchii Crotch bumble bee	_	SC	This species occurs primarily in California, including coastal habitats, western Mojave Desert, San Joaquin Valley, and adjacent foothills through most of southwestern California. It inhabits arid grasslands and shrublands, and its food sources including milkweeds, pincushions, lupines, clovers, phacelias, sages, clarkias, poppies, and buckwheats.	<b>Low.</b> The project site does contain a few suitable ornamental plants which this species may forage on. However, more suitable foraging habitat can be found in undeveloped areas nearby.	
Euphydryas editha quino quino checkerspot butterfly	FE	_	Found in sunny openings within chaparral & coastal sage shrublands in parts of Riverside & San Diego counties. Hills and mesas near the coast. This species needs high densities of food plants <i>Plantago erecta</i> , <i>P. insularis</i> , and <i>Orthocarpus purpurescens</i> .	<b>None.</b> The project site does not contain suitable chaparral or sage scrub or food plants to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Mammals		-			
Eumops perotis californicus western mastiff bat	_	– SSC	Found in many open, semi-arid to arid habitats, including conifer & deciduous woodlands, coastal scrub, grasslands, chaparral, etc. Roosts in crevices in cliff faces, high buildings, trees and tunnels.	<b>None.</b> No suitable roosting habitat in the form of high vacant buildings are present on-site. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Lasiurus xanthinus western yellow bat	_	– SSC	Found in valley foothill riparian, desert riparian, desert wash, and palm oasis habitats. Roosts in trees, particularly palms. Forages over water and among trees.	<b>Low.</b> Suitable roosting habitat in the form of palm trees is present on-site. However, the project site lacks nearby water sources and is entirely developed subject to human disturbance.	

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Reptiles					
Anniella stebbinsi Southern California legless lizard	_	_ SSC	Occurs south of the Transverse Range, extending to northwestern Baja California with disjunct populations in the Tehachapi and Piute Mountains in Kern County. Occurs in a variety of habitats but often sandy or loose loamy soils under sparse vegetation. They prefer soils with a high moisture content.	<b>None.</b> The project is entirely developed and does not contain suitable vegetation communities to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Emys marmorata western pond turtle	_	_ SSC	Occurs in ponds, marshes, rivers, streams and irrigation ditches, usually with aquatic vegetation, below 6000 ft elevation. Needs basking sites and suitable (sandy banks or grassy open fields) upland habitat up to 0.5 km from water for egg-laying.	<b>None.</b> The project parcel does not contain suitable aquatic to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	
Phrynosoma blainvillii coast horned lizard	_	SSC	Frequents a wide variety of habitats, most common in lowlands along sandy washes with scattered low bushes.  Requires open areas for sunning, bushes for cover, patches of loose soil for burial, and abundant supply of ants and other insects.	<b>None.</b> The project is entirely developed and does not contain suitable vegetation communities to support this species. Therefore, this species is not expected to occur on-site.	

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