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| Plants | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Abronia umbellata</i> ssp. <i>breviflora</i> | Pink sand-verbena | FSLC | | | 1B | COASTAL DUNES AND COASTAL STRAND. | FOREDUNES AND INTERDUNES WITH SPARSE COVER. | Low; not observed on-site. | FWS | Jun-Oct |
| <i>Allium peninsulare</i> var. <i>franciscanum</i> | Franciscan onion | | | | 1B | CISMONTANE WOODLAND, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND. | CLAY SOILS; OFTEN ON SERPENTINE. DRY HILLSIDES. 100-300M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | May-Jun |
| <i>Amsinckia lunaris</i> | bent-flowered fiddleneck | | | | 1B | CISMONTANE WOODLAND, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND. | 50-500M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Arabis blepharophylla</i> | coast rock cress | | | | 4 | BROADLEAVED UPLAND FOREST, COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB | 3-1100M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Feb-May |
| <i>Astragalus nuttallii</i> var. <i>nuttallii</i> | Nuttall's milk-vetch | | | | 4 | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL DUNES | 3-120M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | Jan-Nov |
| <i>Calandrinia breweri</i> | Brewer's calandrinia | | | | 4 | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB (SANDY OR LOAMY, DISTURBED SITES AND BURNS) | 10-1220M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Castilleja affinis</i> var. <i>affinis</i> | Coast Indian paintbrush | FSLC | | | | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB (SANDY SOILS) | 0-1200M. | Low; not observed on-site. | FWS | |
| <i>Castilleja exserta</i> ssp. <i>latifolia</i> | Purple owl's-clover | FSLC | | | | COASTAL BLUFFS, DUNES. | 0-100M. | Low; not observed on-site. | FWS | |
| <i>Centromadia parryi</i> ssp. <i>parryi</i> | pappose tarplant | | | | 1B | COASTAL PRAIRIE, MEADOWS AND SEEPS, COASTAL SALT MARSH, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND. | VERNALLY MESIC, OFTEN ALKALINE SITES. 2-420M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | May-Nov |
| <i>Chorizanthe cuspidata</i> var. <i>cuspidata</i> | San Francisco Bay spineflower | | | | 1B | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB. | CLOSELY RELATED TO C. PUNGENS. SANDY SOIL ON TERRACES AND SLOPES. 5-550M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Apr-Aug |
| <i>Chorizanthe robusta</i> var. <i>robusta</i> | robust spineflower | FE | | | 1B | CISMONTANE WOODLAND, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL SCRUB. | SANDY TERRACES AND BLUFFS OR IN LOOSE SAND. 3-120M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Apr-Sep |
| <i>Cirsium occidentale</i> var. <i>compactum</i> | compact cobwebby thistle | | | | 1B | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB. | ON DUNES AND ON CLAY IN CHAPARRAL; ALSO IN GRASSLAND. 5-155M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Apr-Jun |
| <i>Clarkia davyi</i> | Davey's clarkia | FSLC | | | | COASTAL GRASSLAND, BLUFFS | | Low; not observed on-site. | FWS | |
| <i>Collinsia multicolor</i> | San Francisco collinsia | | | | 1B | CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, COASTAL SCRUB. | ON DECOMPOSED SHALE (MUDSTONE) MIXED WITH HUMUS. 30-250M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Mar-May |
| <i>Erysimum franciscanum</i> | San Francisco wallflower | | | | 4 | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL SCRUB, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND (OFTEN SERPENTINE OR GRANITIC) | 0-550M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Fritillaria agrestis</i> | stinkbells | | | | 4 | CHAPARRAL, CISMONTANE WOODLAND, PINYON AND JUNIPER WOODLAND, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND (CLAY, SOMETIMES SERPENTINE) | 10-1555M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Gilia capitata</i> ssp. <i>chamissonis</i> | dune gilia | | | | 1B | COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL SCRUB. | 2-200M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Apr-Jul |
| <i>Grindelia hirsutula</i> var. <i>maritima</i> | San Francisco gumplant | | | | 1B | COASTAL SCRUB, COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND. | SANDY OR SERPENTINE SLOPES, SEA BLUFFS. 15-400M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Aug-Sep |
| <i>Hesperivax sparsiflora</i> var. <i>brevifolia</i> | short-leaved evax | | | | 2 | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL DUNES. | SANDY BLUFFS AND FLATS. 0-200M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Horkelia cuneata</i> ssp. <i>sericea</i> | Kellogg's horkelia | | | | 1B | CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, COASTAL SCRUB, CHAPARRAL. | OLD DUNES, COASTAL SANDHILLS; OPENINGS. 10-200M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Apr-Sep |
| <i>Horkelia marinensis</i> | Point Reyes horkelia | | | | 1B | COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB (SANDY) | 5-350M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | May-Sep |
| <i>Leptosiphon acicularis</i> | bristly linanthus | | | | 4 | CHAPARRAL, CISMONTANE WOODLAND, COASTAL PRAIRIE, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND | 55-1500M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Apr-Jul |
| <i>Leptosiphon croceus</i> | coast yellow leptosiphon | | | | 1B | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL PRAIRIE. | 10-150M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Apr-May |
| <i>Leptosiphon grandiflorus</i> | large-flowered linanthus | | | | 4 | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, CISMONTANE WOODLAND, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND (USUALLY SANDY) | 5-1220M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | Apr-Aug |
| <i>Leptosiphon rosaceus</i> | rose leptosiphon | | | | 1B | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB. | 0-100M. | Not present within property, but found just outside boundary per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Apr-Jul |
| <i>Lilium maritimum</i> | coast lily | | | | 1B | BROADLEAVED UPLAND FOREST, CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB, MARSHES AND SWAMPS (FRESHWATER), NORTH COAST CONIFEROUS FOREST | 5-335M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | May-Aug |
| <i>Lotus formosissimus</i> | harlequin lotus | | | | 4 | BROADLEAVED UPLAND FOREST, COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, CISMONTANE WOODLAND, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB, MEADOWS AND SEEPS, MARSHES AND SWAMPS (FRESHWATER), NORTH COAST CONIFEROUS FOREST, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLANDS (WETLANDS, ROADSIDES) | 0-700M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Mar-Jul |
| <i>Lupinus eximius</i> | San Mateo tree lupine | | | | 3 | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB | 90-550M. | Not observed on-site | CNPS | Apr-Jul |

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| <i>Monardella undulata</i> | curly-leaved monardella | | | | 4 | CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL DUNES, COASTAL PRAIRIE, COASTAL SCRUB, LOWER MONTANE CONIFEROUS FOREST (PONDEROSA PINE HILLS) / SANDY | 0-305M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | May-Sep |
| <i>Pedicularis dudleyi</i> | Dudley's lousewort | | | | 1B | CHAPARRAL (MARITIME), CISMONTANE WOODLAND, NORTH COAST CONIFEROUS FOREST, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND | 60-900M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Apr-Jun |
| <i>Perideridia gairdneri</i> ssp. <i>gairdneri</i> | Gairdner's yampah | | | | 4 | BROADLEAVED UPLAND FOREST, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL PRAIRIE, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND, VERNAL POOLS (MESIC) | 0-365M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | Jun-Oct |
| <i>Piperia michaelii</i> | Michael's rein orchid | | | | 4 | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, CHAPARRAL, CISMONTANE WOODLAND, COASTAL SCRUB, LOWER MONTANE CONIFEROUS FOREST | 3-915M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNPS | Apr-Aug |
| <i>Plagiobothrys chorisianus</i> var. <i>chorisianus</i> | Choris's popcorn-flower | | | | 1B | CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB, COASTAL PRAIRIE. | MESIC SITES. 15-100M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Mar-Jun |
| <i>Plagiobothrys chorisianus</i> var. <i>hickmanii</i> | Hickman's popcorn-flower | | | | 4 | CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB, MARSHES AND SWAMPS, VERNAL POOLS | 15-185M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Apr-Jun |
| <i>Potentilla hickmanii</i> | Hickman's cinquefoil | FE | SE | | 1B | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, CLOSED-CONE CONIFEROUS FOREST, MEADOWS AND SEEPS, MARSHES AND SWAMPS. | FRESHWATER MARSHES, SEEPS, AND SMALL STREAMS IN OPEN OR FORESTED AREAS ALONG THE COAST. 5-125M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Apr-Aug |
| <i>Ranunculus lobbii</i> | Lobb's aquatic buttercup | | | | 4 | CISMONTANE WOODLAND, NORTH COAST CONIFEROUS FOREST, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND, VERNAL POOLS (MESIC) | 15-470M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Feb-May |
| <i>Sanicula hoffmannii</i> | Hoffmann's sanicle | | | | 4 | BROADLEAVED UPLAND FOREST, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL SCRUB (OFTEN SERPENTINE OR CLAY) | 30-300M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNPS | Mar-May |
| <i>Sanicula maritima</i> | adobe sanicle | | 3 | | 1B | MEADOWS AND SEEPS, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL PRAIRIE. | MOIST CLAY OR ULTRAMAFIC SOILS. 30-240M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | |
| <i>Silene verecunda</i> ssp. <i>verecunda</i> | San Francisco campion | | | | 1B | COASTAL SCRUB, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND, COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, CHAPARRAL, COASTAL PRAIRIE. | OFTEN ON MUDSTONE OR SHALE; ONE SITE ON SERPENTINE. 30-645M. | Not present per focused survey conducted in 8/02 | CNDDDB | Mar-Aug |
| <i>Tanacetum camphoratum</i> | Dune tansy | FSC | | | | COASTAL DUNES | PREFERS SANDY SOILS, BRACKISH WATER | Low; not observed on-site. | FWS | |
| <i>Triphysaria floribunda</i> | San Francisco owl's-clover | | | | 1B | COASTAL PRAIRIE, VALLEY AND FOOTHILL GRASSLAND. | ON SERPENTINE AND NONSERPENTINE SUBSTRATE (SUCH AS AT PT. REYES). 10-160M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | Apr-Jun |
| <i>Triquetrella californica</i> | coastal triquetrella | | | | 1B | COASTAL BLUFF SCRUB, COASTAL SCRUB. | MOSS GROWING ON SOIL. 10-100M. | Low; not observed on-site. | CNDDDB | N/A |
| Invertebrates | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Caecidotea tomalensis</i> | Tomales isopod | | | | | INHABITS LOCALIZED FRESH-WATER PONDS OR STREAMS WITH STILL OR NEAR-STILL WATER IN SEVERAL BAY AREA COUNTIES. | | Moderate | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Callophrys mossii bayensis</i> | San Bruno elfin butterfly | FE | | | | COASTAL, MOUNTAINOUS AREAS WITH GRASSY GROUND COVER, MAINLY IN THE VICINITY OF SAN BRUNO MOUNTAIN, SAN MATEO COUNTY. | COLONIES ARE LOCATED ON STEEP, NORTH-FACING SLOPES WITHIN THE FOG BELT. LARVAL HOST PLANT IS SEDUM SPATHULIFOLIUM. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Coelus globosus</i> | Globose dune beetle | FSC | | | | Inhabitant of coastal sand dune habitat, from Bodega Head in Sonoma County south to Ensenada, Mexico. | Inhabits foredunes and sand hummocks; it burrows beneath the sand surface and is most common beneath dune vegetation. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Danaus plexippus</i> | monarch butterfly | | | | | WINTER ROOST SITES EXTEND ALONG THE COAST FROM NORTHERN MENDOCINO TO BAJA CALIFORNIA, MEXICO. | ROOSTS LOCATED IN WIND-PROTECTED TREE GROVES (EUCALYPTUS, MONTEREY PINE, CYPRESS), WITH NECTAR AND WATER SOURCES NEARBY. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Euphydryas editha bayensis</i> | Bay checkerspot butterfly | FT | | | | RESTRICTED TO NATIVE GRASSLANDS ON OUTCROPS OF SERPENTINE SOIL IN THE VICINITY OF SAN FRANCISCO BAY. | PLANTAGO ERECTA IS THE PRIMARY HOST PLANT; ORTHOCARPUS DENSIFLORUS & O. PURPURSCENS ARE THE SECONDARY HOST PLANTS. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Hydrochara rickseckeri</i> | Ricksecker's water scavenger beetle | FSC | | | | Various water bodies. | Aquatic; known from the San Francisco Bay area. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Hydroporus leechi</i> | Leech's skyline diving beetle | | | | | AQUATIC. | | Moderate | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Ischnura gemina</i> | San Francisco Forktail Damselfly | | | | | ENDEMIC TO THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA. | SMALL, MARSHY PONDS AND DITCHES WITH EMERGENT ANF FLOATING AQUATIC VEGETATION. | Present | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Plebejus (Icaricia) icarioides missionensis</i> | Mission blue butterfly | FE | | | | INHABITS GRASSLANDS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO PENINSULA. | THREE LARVAL HOST PLANTS: LUPINUS ALBIFRONS, L. VARIICOLOR, AND L. FORMOSUS, OF WHICH L. ALBIFRONS IS FAVORED. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |

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| <i>Speyeria callippe callippe</i> | callippe silverspot butterfly | FE | | | | RESTRICTED TO THE NORTHERN COASTAL SCRUB OF THE SAN FRANCISCO PENINSULA. | HOSTPLANT IS VIOLA PEDUNCULATA. MOST ADULTS FOUND ON E-FACING SLOPES; MALES CONGREGATE ON HILLTOPS IN SEARCH OF FEMALES. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Speyeria zerene myrtleae</i> | Myrtle's silverspot | FE | | | | RESTRICTED TO THE FOGGY, COASTAL DUNES/HILLS OF THE POINT REYES PENINSULA; EXTIRPATED FROM COASTAL SAN MATEO COUNTY. | LARVAL FOODPLANT THOUGHT TO BE VIOLA ADUNCA. | Low - considered extirpated in San Mateo County. Proposed actions include possible habitat restoration and re-introduction of the species. | CNDDDB | N/A |
| Amphibians and Reptiles | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Rana aurora draytonii</i> | California red-legged frog | FT | | CSC | | LOWLANDS & FOOTHILLS IN OR NEAR PERMANENT SOURCES OF DEEP WATER WITH DENSE, SHRUBBY OR EMERGENT RIPARIAN VEGETATION. | REQUIRES 11-20 WEEKS OF PERMANENT WATER FOR LARVAL DEVELOPMENT. MUST HAVE ACCESS TO ESTIVATION HABITAT. | Present | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Emys (=Clemmys) marmorata</i> | western pond turtle | | | CSC | | A THOROUGHLY AQUATIC TURTLE OF PONDS, MARSHES, RIVERS, STREAMS & IRRIGATION DITCHES WITH AQUATIC VEGETATION. | NEED BASKING SITES AND SUITABLE (SANDY BANKS OR GRASSY OPEN FIELDS) UPLAND HABITAT FOR EGG-LAYING. | Moderate | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Phrynosoma coronatum frontale</i> | California horned lizard | FSC | | CSC | | Frequents a wide variety of habitats, most common in lowlands along sandy washes with scattered low bushes. | Open areas for sunning, bushes for cover, patches of loose soil for burial, & abundant supply of ants & other insects. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Thamnophis sirtalis tetrataenia</i> | San Francisco garter snake | FE | SE | | | VICINITY OF FRESHWATER MARSHES, PONDS AND SLOW MOVING STREAMS IN SAN MATEO COUNTY AND EXTREME NORTHERN SANTA CRUZ COUNTY | PREFERS DENSE COVER & WATER DEPTHS OF AT LEAST ONE FOOT. UPLAND AREAS NEAR WATER ARE ALSO VERY IMPORTANT. | Present | CNDDDB | N/A |
| Birds | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Agelaius tricolor</i> | Tricolored blackbird | FSC | | | | (Nesting colony) highly colonial species, most numerous in Central Valley & vicinity. Largely endemic to California. | Requires open water, protected nesting substrate, & foraging area with insect prey within a few km of the colony. | Low - no known occurrences in San Francisco or San Mateo County (CNDDDB, Jones & Stokes 1997). | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Amphispiza belli belli</i> | Bell's sage sparrow | FSC | | | | (Nesting) nests in chaparral dominated by fairly dense stands of chamise. Found in coastal sage scrub in south of range. | Nest located on the ground beneath a shrub or in a shrub 6-18 inches above ground. Territories about 50 yds apart. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Arenaria melanocephala</i> | Black turnstone | FSC | | | | Breeds in coastal Alaska. Winters on rocky coasts. | Strictly coastal species. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Athene cucularia hypugaea</i> | Western burrowing owl | FSC | | | | (Burrow sites) open, dry annual or perennial grasslands, deserts & scrublands characterized by low-growing vegetation. | Subterranean nester, dependent upon burrowing mammals, most notably, the California ground squirrel. | Low - no known occurrences in San Francisco or San Mateo County (CNDDDB). Project area not within report species range as of 1990 (FWS 2003). | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Buteo regalis</i> | Ferruginous hawk | FSC | | | | (Wintering) open grasslands, sagebrush flats, desert scrub, low foothills & fringes of pinyon-juniper habitats. | Mostly eats lagomorphs, ground squirrels, and mice. Population trends may follow lagomorph population cycles. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Calidris canutus</i> | Red knot | FSC | | | | Breeds on tundra; during migration, on tidal flats, rocky shores, and sandy beaches. | Often breeds with dowitchers. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Calypte costae</i> | Costa's hummingbird | FSC | | | | Fairly common in desert washes, dry chaparral, and successional scrub. | | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Carduelis lawrencei</i> | Lawrence's goldfinch | FSC | | | | (Nesting) nests in open oak or other arid woodland & chaparral, near water. Nearby herbaceous habitats used for feeding | Closely associated with oaks. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Chaetura vauxi</i> | Vaux's swift | FSC | | | | (Nesting) redwood, douglas fir, & other coniferous forests. Nests in large hollow trees & snags. Often nests in flocks. | Forages over most terrains & habitats but shows a preference for foraging over rivers and lakes. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Charadrius alexandrinus nivosus</i> | Western snowy plover | FT | | | | Coastal beaches, sand spits, dune-backed beaches, beaches at river mouths, salt pans at lagoons and estuaries, mud flats, and man-made salt ponds. | Breeds primarily on coastal beaches from southern Washington to southern Baja California, Mexico. Overwintering population on Ocean Beach. Periodically sighted at other beaches. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Cypseloides niger</i> | Black swift | FSC | | | | (Nesting) coastal belt of Santa Cruz & Monterey Co; central & southern Sierra Nevada; San Bernardino & San Jacinto Mtns. | Breeds in small colonies on cliffs behind or adj to waterfalls in deep canyons and sea-bluffs above surf; forages widely | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Elanus leucurus</i> | White-tailed kite | FSC | | | | (Nesting) rolling foothills/valley margins w/scattered oaks & river bottomlands or marshes next to deciduous woodland | Open grasslands, meadows, or marshes for foraging close to isolated, dense-topped trees for nesting and perching. | Present - observed on-site. | FWS | N/A |

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| <i>Empidonax traillii brewsteri</i> | Little willow flycatcher | | SE | | | Breeds in shrubby vegetation in meadow and riparian woodlands, typically where there are mature, dense stands of willows, cottonwoods, or alders. | | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Falco peregrinus anatum</i> | American peregrine falcon | DM | SE | | | (Nesting) near wetlands, lakes, rivers, or other water; on cliffs, banks, dunes, mounds; also, human-made structures. | Nest consists of a scrape on a depression or ledge in an open site. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Geothlypis trichas sinuosa</i> | saltmarsh common yellowthroat | FSC | | SC | | Resident of the San Francisco Bay region, in fresh and salt water marshes. | Requires thick, continuous cover down to the water surface for foraging; tall grasses, tule patches, willows for nesting. | Moderate; occurrences noted at Laguna Salada and south (PWA et. al. 1992) | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Haematopus bachmani</i> | Black oystercatcher | FSC | | | | Resident on rocky shores and islands along the Pacific Coast from the Aleutians to Baja California | | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Histrionicus histrionicus</i> | Harlequin duck | FSC | | | | (Nesting) breeds on west slope of the sierra nevada, nesting along shores of swift, shallow rivers. | Nest often built in a recess, sheltered overhead by stream bank, rocks, woody debris, usually within 7 ft of water | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Lanius ludovicianus</i> | Loggerhead shrike | FSC | | | | (Nesting) broken woodlands, savannah, pinyon-juniper, joshua tree, & riparian woodlands, desert oases, scrub & washes. | Prefers open country for hunting, with perches for scanning, and fairly dense shrubs and brush for nesting. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Limosa fedoa</i> | Marbled godwit | FSC | | | | Common on west coast in winter, fairly common on texas gulf coast and in florida; rare but regular in the east. | | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Melospiza melodia pusillula</i> | Alameda (South Bay) song sparrow | FSC | | | | Resident of salt marshes bordering south arm of San Francisco Bay. | Inhabits salicornia marshes; nests low in grindelia bushes (high enough to escape high tides) and in salicornia. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Numenius americanus</i> | Long-billed curlew | FSC | | | | (Nesting) breeds in upland shortgrass prairies & wet meadows in northeastern california. | Habitats on gravelly soils and gently rolling terrain are favored over others. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Numenius phaeopus</i> | Whimbrel | FSC | | | | Breeds on arctic tundra, especially near coasts; coastal salt meadows, mudflats, and grassy shoreline slopes during migration. | | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Oceanodroma homochroa</i> | Ashy storm-petrel | FSC | | | | (Rookery site) colonial nester on off-shore islands. Usually nests on driest part of islands. Forages over open ocean. | Nest sites on islands are in crevices beneath loosely piled rocks or driftwood, or in caves. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Pelecanus occidentalis californicus</i> | California Brown pelican | FE | SE | | | Forage over near shore marine areas including open coast, San Francisco Bay, and rodeo lagoon. Utilize islands, rocks, cliffs, and some protected beach areas for roosting. | | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i> | double-crested cormorant | | | CSC | | (ROOKERY SITE) COLONIAL NESTER ON COASTAL CLIFFS, OFFSHORE ISLANDS, & ALONG LAKE MARGINS IN THE INTERIOR OF THE STATE. | NESTS ALONG COAST ON SEQUESTERED ISLETS, USUALLY ON GROUND WITH SLOPING SURFACE, OR IN TALL TREES ALONG LAKE MARGINS. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Riparia riparia</i> | bank swallow | | ST | | | (NESTING) COLONIAL NESTER; NESTS PRIMARILY IN RIPARIAN AND OTHER LOWLAND HABITATS WEST OF THE DESERT. | REQUIRES VERTICAL BANKS/CLIFFS WITH FINE-TEXTURED/SANDY SOILS NEAR STREAMS, RIVERS, LAKES, OCEAN TO DIG NESTING HOLE. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Rynchops niger</i> | Black skimmer | FSC | | | | (Nesting colony) nests along the north & south ends of the salton Sea; also, on salt pond dikes of south San Diego Bay. | Nests on gravel bars, low islets, and sandy beaches, in unvegetated sites. Nesting colonies usually less than 200 pairs. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Selasphorus rufus</i> | Rufous hummingbird | FSC | | | | (Nesting) breeds in transition life zone of northwest coastal area from oregon border to southern Sonoma County. | Nests in berry tangles, shrubs, and conifers. Favors habitats rich in nectar-producing flowers. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Selasphorus sasin</i> | Allen's hummingbird | FSC | | | | Mixed evergreen, riparian woodlands, eucalyptus and cypress groves, oak woodlands, and coastal scrub areas in breeding season. | | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Sterna elegans</i> | Elegant tern | FSC | | | | (Nesting colony) only known breeding colony in u.s. located in the salt work dikes at the south end of San Diego Bay. | Nests on dikes between salt ponds in association with caspian tern. | Low | FWS | N/A |
| Mammals | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Neotoma fuscipes annectens</i> | San Francisco dusky-footed woodrat | FSC | | | | Forest habitats of moderate canopy & moderate to dense understory. Also in chaparral habitats. | Constructs nests of shredded grass, leaves & other material. May be limited by availability of nest-building materials. | Moderate | FWS | N/A |
| <i>Nyctinomops macrotis</i> | big free -tailed bat | | | CSC | | LOW-LYING ARID AREAS IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. | NEED HIGH CLIFFS OR ROCKY OUTCROPS FOR ROOSTING SITES. FEEDS PRINCIPALLY ON LARGE MOTHS. | Low | CNDDDB | N/A |
| <i>Taxidea taxus</i> | American badger | | | CSC | | MOST ABUNDANT IN DRIER OPEN STAGES OF MOST SHRUB, FOREST, AND HERBACEOUS HABITATS, WITH FRIABLE SOILS. | NEED SUFFICIENT FOOD, FRIABLE SOILS & OPEN, UNCULTIVATED GROUND. PREY ON BURROWING RODENTS. DIG BURROWS. | Moderate | CNDDDB | N/A |

¹Status:
 FE = Federally-listed endangered
 FT = Federally-listed threatened
 DM = Federal recovered species; removed from endangered or threatened species list
 FSC = Federal species of concern
 SE = California state endangered
 ST = California state threatened
 SR = California state rare
 CSC = California Department of Fish and Game Species of Concern
 1B = CNPS plants considered to be rare, threatened, and endangered
 2 = CNPS plants rare of endangered in California, but more common elsewhere
 3 = CNPS plants for which more information is needed (watch list)
 4 = CNPS plant limited distribution (watch list)

Appendix G. Special Status Species with Potential to Occur within the Mori Point Project Area

| Scientific name | Common name | Status ¹ | | | | General habitat | Micro habitat | Potential to occur within Proposed Project Area | Source ² | Blooming period |
|-----------------|-------------|---------------------|-------|------|------|-----------------|---------------|---|---------------------|-----------------|
| | | Federal | State | CDFG | CNPS | | | | | |

FSLC = Federal species of local concern

²Sources:

CDFG = California Natural Diversity Database, search for occurrences on the Montara Mountain USGS quadrangle and the surrounding quadrangles. Database search conducted December 2005.

CNPS = On-line Electronic Inventory of Rare and Endangered Plants of California, 9-quad search for the Montara Mountain USGS quadrangle and search for List 4 plants within San Mateo County. Database search conducted December 2005.

USFWS = Federal Endangered and Threatened Species that Occur in or may be Affected by Projects in the Montara Mountain USGS 7.5 Minute Quad. Document Number: 051214041937. www.fws.gov/pacific/sacramento/es/spp_lists/auto_list.cfm (NOTE: Only species from the FWS search that occur in habitats similar to those observed on-site were included in this table).