

**Table 3.4-1
Special-Status Species Reported in the
Taylor Monument, Verona, Pleasant Grove and Rio Linda
USGS 7.5-Minute Quadrangles**

Scientific Name	Common Name	Protection Status		
		Federal	State	CNPS
Animals				
<i>Agelaius tricolor</i>	Tricolored blackbird	MBTA	CSC	N/A
<i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Burrowing owl	MBTA	CSC	N/A
<i>Branchinecta lynchi</i>	Vernal pool fairy shrimp	FT	---	N/A
<i>Buteo swainsoni</i>	Swainson's hawk	MBTA	ST	N/A
<i>Casmerodius albus</i>	Great egret	MBTA	---	N/A
<i>Clemmys marmorata</i>	Western pond turtle	---	CSC	N/A
<i>Desmocerus californicus dimorphus</i>	Valley elderberry longhorn beetle	FT	---	N/A
<i>Egretta thula</i> (rookery)	Snowy egret	MBTA	---	N/A
<i>Elanus leucurus</i> (nesting)	White-tailed kite	MBTA	Protected	N/A
<i>Lepidurus packardii</i>	Vernal pool tadpole shrimp	FE	---	N/A
<i>Linderiella occidentalis</i>	California linderiella	---	---	N/A
<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Black-crowned night heron	MBTA	---	N/A
<i>Pogonichthys macrolepidotus</i>	Sacramento splittail	FT	CSC	N/A
<i>Riparia riparia</i> (nesting)	Bank swallow	MBTA	ST	N/A
<i>Scaphiopus hammondi</i>	Western spadefoot frog	---	CSC and Protected	N/A
<i>Thamnophis gigas</i>	Giant garter snake	FT	ST	N/A
Plants				
<i>Downingia pusilla</i>	Dwarf downingia	---	---	2
<i>Gratiola heterosepala</i>	Boggs Lake hedge-hyssop	---	---	1B
<i>Legenere limosa</i>	Legenere	---	---	1B

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Vegetation Communities				
Northern Hardpan Vernal Pool		N/A	N/A	N/A
Northern Claypan Vernal Pool		N/A	N/A	N/A

FE	Federal Endangered Species
FT	Federal Threatened Species
MBTA	Migratory Bird Treaty Act
CSC	California Department of Fish and Game Species of Special Concern
CNPS 1B	Plants categorized by the California Native Plant Society as Rare, Threatened, or Endangered in California and elsewhere
CNPS 2	Plants categorized by the California Native Plant Society as Rare, Threatened, or Endangered in California, more common elsewhere
N/A	Not Applicable
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