

personnel with a need to know the information to perform their official duties and requires a valid username and password. Unique user identification and authentication, such as passwords, least privileges and audit logs are utilized to ensure appropriate permissions and access levels. Access to the system is also limited by network access or security controls such as firewalls, and system data is encrypted. Facilities that host the system are guarded and monitored by security personnel, cameras, ID checks, and other physical security measures. Server rooms are locked and accessible only by authorized personnel.

#### RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Each Federal agency client storing data in the system has its own National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) approved records schedule for the retention of its reports and data. Data is disposed of in accordance with client-agency approved data disposal procedures. Paper records are disposed of by shredding or pulping, and records contained on electronic media are degaussed or erased in accordance with NARA Guidelines and 384 Departmental Manual 1.

#### SYSTEM MANAGER AND ADDRESS:

Chief, Application Management Branch, Finance & Procurement Systems Division, U.S. Department of the Interior, Interior Business Center, 625 Herndon Parkway, Herndon, VA 20170.

#### NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES:

An individual requesting notification of the existence of records on himself or herself should send a signed, written inquiry to the System Manager identified above. The request envelope and letter should be clearly marked "PRIVACY ACT INQUIRY." A request for notification must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.235.

#### RECORDS ACCESS PROCEDURES:

An individual requesting access to records on himself or herself should send a signed, written inquiry to the System Manager identified above. The request envelope and letter should be clearly marked "PRIVACY ACT REQUEST FOR ACCESS". The request letter should describe the records sought as specifically as possible. A request for access must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.238.

#### CONTESTING RECORDS PROCEDURES:

An individual requesting corrections or contesting information contained in his or her records must send a signed, written request to the System Manager identified above. A request for

corrections or removal must meet the requirements of 43 CFR 2.246.

#### RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Information in the system is obtained from IBC's Federal agency clients, as well as third party vendors, contractors and suppliers who provide related financial services to the clients using the system.

#### EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

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#### Endangered Species Recovery Permit Applications

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act (Act) prohibits activities with endangered and threatened species unless a Federal permit allows such activity. The Act also requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

**DATES:** Comments on these permit applications must be received on or before October 10, 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** Written data or comments should be submitted to the Endangered Species Program Manager, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Region 8, 2800 Cottage Way, Room W-2606, Sacramento, CA 95825 (telephone: 916-414-6464; fax: 916-414-6486). Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when submitting comments.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Daniel Marquez, Fish and Wildlife Biologist; see **ADDRESSES** (telephone: 760-431-9440; fax: 760-431-9624).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following applicants have applied for scientific research permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). We seek review and comment from local, State, and Federal agencies and the public on the following permit requests.

### Applicant

#### Permit No. TE-208907

*Applicant: Thomas Juhasz, Pasadena, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardii*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

#### Permit No. TE-117947

*Applicant: Kevin B. Clark, San Diego, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (harass by survey, locate and monitor nests) the southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) and the California least tern (*Sterna antillarum browni*) (*Sterna a. b.*); take (locate and monitor nests; play taped vocalizations; handle, band, color-band, and release) the least Bell's vireo (*Vireo belli pusillus*); take (survey by pursuit) the Quino checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas editha quino*); and take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardii*) in conjunction with survey and nest monitoring activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

#### Permit No. TE-208907

*Applicant: Kelly E. Bayne, Sacramento, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardii*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-082237**

*Applicant: California State Parks, San Simeon, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (locate, capture, handle, measure, relocate, and release) the Morro shoulderband snail (*Helminthoglypta walkeriana*) and take (capture, handle, and release) the Morro Bay kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys heermanni morroensis*) in conjunction with population monitoring, relocation, and habitat enhancement activities in San Luis Obispo County, California, for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-06145B**

*Applicant: Andrew F. Borcher, Santee, California*

The applicant requests an amendment to a permit to take (survey by pursuit) the Quino checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas editha quino*) in conjunction with surveys throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-11271B**

*Applicant: Heron Pacific LLC, Rocklin, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey, capture, handle, and release) the California tiger salamander (Santa Barbara County DPS and Sonoma County DPS) (*Ambystoma californiense*); take (survey, capture, handle, measure, and release) the giant kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys ingens*); and take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-831207**

*Applicant: Natural Resources Assessment, Riverside, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (survey, capture, handle, and release) the Pacific pocket mouse (*Perognathus longimembris pacificus*), Stephens' kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys stephensi*), and San Bernardino kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys merriami parvus*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each

species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-028223**

*Applicant: Jonathan E. Stead, Oakland, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-72047A**

*Applicant: Matrina Pernicano, Golden, Colorado*

The applicant requests a permit amendment to take (harass by survey and locate and monitor nests) the southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) in conjunction with survey and population monitoring activities throughout the range of each species in Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Utah, and Colorado for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-211099**

*Applicant: Kenneth A. Glass, Fresno, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (harass by survey, capture, handle, and release) the California tiger salamander (Santa Barbara County DPS and Sonoma County DPS) (*Ambystoma californiense*); and take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-142436**

*Applicant: Eric Renfro, Torrance, California*

The applicant requests an amendment to a permit to take (survey by pursuit) the Delhi Sands flower-loving fly (*Rhaphiomidas terminatus abdominalis*) in conjunction with surveys throughout

the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-206822**

*Applicant: Brian S. Shomo, Torrance, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal and amendment to take (survey, capture, handle, collect genetic material, and release) the Stephens' kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys stephensi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-094845**

*Applicant: Matthew P. Bettelheim, Concord, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (harass by survey, capture, handle, and release) the California tiger salamander (Santa Barbara County DPS and Sonoma County DPS) (*Ambystoma californiense*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13628B**

*Applicant: Anderson J. Andrew, Chico, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with surveys and soil inoculum collection activities in Butte, Glenn, Tehama, Shasta, Sacramento, Placer, and Sutter Counties, California, for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13632B**

*Applicant: Elena C. Greg, Chico, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with surveys and soil inoculum collection activities in Butte, Glenn, Tehama, Shasta, Sacramento, Placer, and Sutter Counties, California, for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13703B**

*Applicant: California Living Museum, Bakersfield, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (collect and acquire injured and/or sick animals, captive rear, perform general husbandry, release healthy individuals, and retain animals unfit for reintroduction) the following species in conjunction with rehabilitation, exhibition, public education and outreach programs, research, captive propagation, and population enhancement studies throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival:

- Arroyo toad (arroyo southwestern) (*Anaxyrus californicus* (*Bufo microscaphus* c.))
- Mountain yellow-legged frog (southern California DPS) (*Rana muscosa*)
- California tiger salamander (Sonoma County and Santa Barbara DPS) (*Ambystoma californiense*)
- California condor (*Gymnogyps californianus*)
- Riparian brush rabbit (*Sylvilagus bachmani riparius*)
- Morro Bay kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys heermanni morroensis*)
- Tipton kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys nitratooides nitratooides*)
- Giant kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys ingens*)
- Stephens' kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys stephensi*)
- Riparian woodrat (San Joaquin Valley woodrat) (*Neotoma fuscipes riparia*)
- San Joaquin kit fox (*Vulpes macrotis mutica*)
- San Miguel Island fox (*Urocyon littoralis littoralis*)
- Santa Catalina Island fox (*Urocyon littoralis catalinae*)
- Santa Cruz Island fox (*Urocyon littoralis santacruzae*)
- Santa Rosa Island fox (*Urocyon littoralis santarosae*)
- Sierra Nevada bighorn sheep (*Ovis canadensis sierrae*)
- Nelson bighorn (Peninsular Ranges DPS, Peninsular bighorn sheep) (*Ovis canadensis nelsoni*)

The applicant also requests a permit to take (captive propagate and release) the Tipton kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys nitratooides nitratooides*), in conjunction with rehabilitation, exhibition, public education and outreach programs, research, captive propagation, and population enhancement studies throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-022649**

*Applicant: Joseph E. Messin, Temecula, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal and amendment to take (survey, capture, handle, collect genetic material, and release) the Stephens' kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys stephensi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13636B**

*Applicant: Michaela L. Hoffman, Pismo Beach, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, collect, and collect vouchers) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*), and vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardi*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-006328**

*Applicant: Michael B. Drake, Tehachapi, California*

The applicant requests an amendment to a permit to take (survey by pursuit) the Quino checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas editha quino*) and Delhi Sands flower-loving fly (*Rhaphiomidas terminatus abdominalis*) in conjunction with surveys throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13639B**

*Applicant: Anastasia G. Ennis, San Francisco, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (survey, capture, handle, collect genetic material, and release) the salt marsh harvest mouse (*Reithrodontomys raviventris*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-091857**

*Applicant: Denise Duffy & Associates, Monterey, California*

The applicant requests a permit renewal to take (harass by survey, capture, handle, collect genetic material, and release) the California tiger salamander (Santa Barbara County DPS and Sonoma County DPS) (*Ambystoma*

*californiense*) in conjunction with survey and research activities throughout the range of the species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-200339**

*Applicant: Sarah Foster, Sacramento, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (survey and nest monitor) the California clapper rail (*Rallus longirostris obsoletus*) in conjunction with population studies in Marin, Sonoma, Napa, Solano, Contra Costa, San Mateo, Santa Clara, and Alameda Counties, California, for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Permit No. TE-13691B**

*Applicant: Christine L. Slocomb, San Diego, California*

The applicant requests a permit to take (survey, capture, handle, and release) the Stephens' kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys stephensi*) and San Bernardino kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys merriami parvus*) in conjunction with survey activities throughout the range of each species in California for the purpose of enhancing the species' survival.

**Public Comments**

We invite public review and comment on each of these recovery permit applications. Comments and materials we receive will be available for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the address listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Michael M. Long,**

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