

Appendix B

**Locally Important Plant and Animal Species and
Species Listed by the International Union for
Conservation of Nature**

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Locally Important Plant Species

Common Name	Updated Scientific Name	Synonyms	Family	Type	Associated Vegetation Communities	Bloom Period
Roundleaf heermann lotus or hosackia	<i>Acmispon tomentosus</i> var. <i>tomentosus</i>	<i>Acmispon heermannii</i> (Durand & Hilg.) Brouillet var. <i>orbicularis</i> (A. Gray) Brouillet, superfl.; <i>Lotus heermannii</i> (Durand & Hilg.) Greene var. <i>eriphorus</i> (Greene) Ottley; <i>Lotus heermannii</i> var. <i>orbicularis</i> (A. Gray) Isely	Fabaceae	Perennial Herb	Coastal Scrub, chaparral,	Mar-Aug
Powell's amaranth	<i>Amaranthus powellii</i>	Unabridged Synonyms: <i>Amaranthus bouchonii</i> Thell.; <i>Amaranthus powellii</i> subsp. <i>bouchonii</i> (Thell.) Costea & Carretero.	Amaranthaceae	Annual Herb	Sagebrush Scrub, Mixed Evergreen Forest, Valley Grassland, wetland-riparian	Jul-Nov
Southwestern bushy bluestem	<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i> var. <i>scabriglumis</i>	N/A	Poaceae	Perennial Grass or Graminoid	Coastal Sage Scrub, Creosote Bush Scrub, Chaparral, wetland-riparian	Sep-Mar
Purple three-awn grass	<i>Aristida purpurea</i> var. <i>purpurea</i>	N/A	Poaceae	Perennial Grass or Graminoid	Coastal Sage Scrub, Creosote Bush Scrub	Feb-Mar
Morro milkvetch	<i>Astragalus curtipes</i>	N/A	Fabaceae	Perennial Herb	Coastal Strand, Coastal Sage Scrub	Feb-Jun
Mojave silverscale	<i>Atriplex argentea</i> var. <i>expansa</i>	<i>Atriplex argentea</i> var. <i>mohavensis</i> (M.E. Jones) S.L. Welsh; <i>Atriplex expansa</i> S. Watson; <i>Atriplex argentea</i> subsp. <i>expansa</i> (S. Watson) H.M. Hall & Clem.; <i>Atriplex trinervata</i> Jeps.	Chenopodiaceae	Perennial Herb	Wetlands, Dry or saline substrates	Jul-Nov
Thickleaf orach	<i>Atriplex dioica</i>	<i>Atriplex subspicata</i> (Nutt.) Rydb.; <i>Atriplex patula</i> L. var. <i>subspicata</i> (Nutt.) S. Watson; <i>Chenopodium subspicatum</i> Nutt.	Chenopodiaceae	Annual Herb	prairies, stream valleys, along shores	Jul-Nov
Sticktight	<i>Bidens frondosa</i>	N/A	Asteraceae	Annual Herb	wetland riparian	Jun-Oct
Seacoast bullrush	<i>Bolboschoenus robustus</i>	<i>Scirpus robustus</i> Pursh; <i>Schoenoplectus robustus</i> (Pursh) M.T. Strong	Cyperaceae	Perennial Grass or Graminoid	Coastal Salt Marsh, Freshwater Wetlands, Alkali Sink, wetland-riparian	Aug-Sep
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Pitseed goosefoot	<i>Chenopodium berlandieri</i> var. <i>zschackei</i>	N/A	Chenopodiaceae	Annual Herb	Disturbed areas, ocean bluffs, sandy washes	Jul-Sep
Smooth flatsedge	<i>Cyperus laevigatus</i>	N/A	Cyperaceae	Perennial Grass or Graminoid	Coastal Sage Scrub, Creosote Bush Scrub,	Jul-Dec

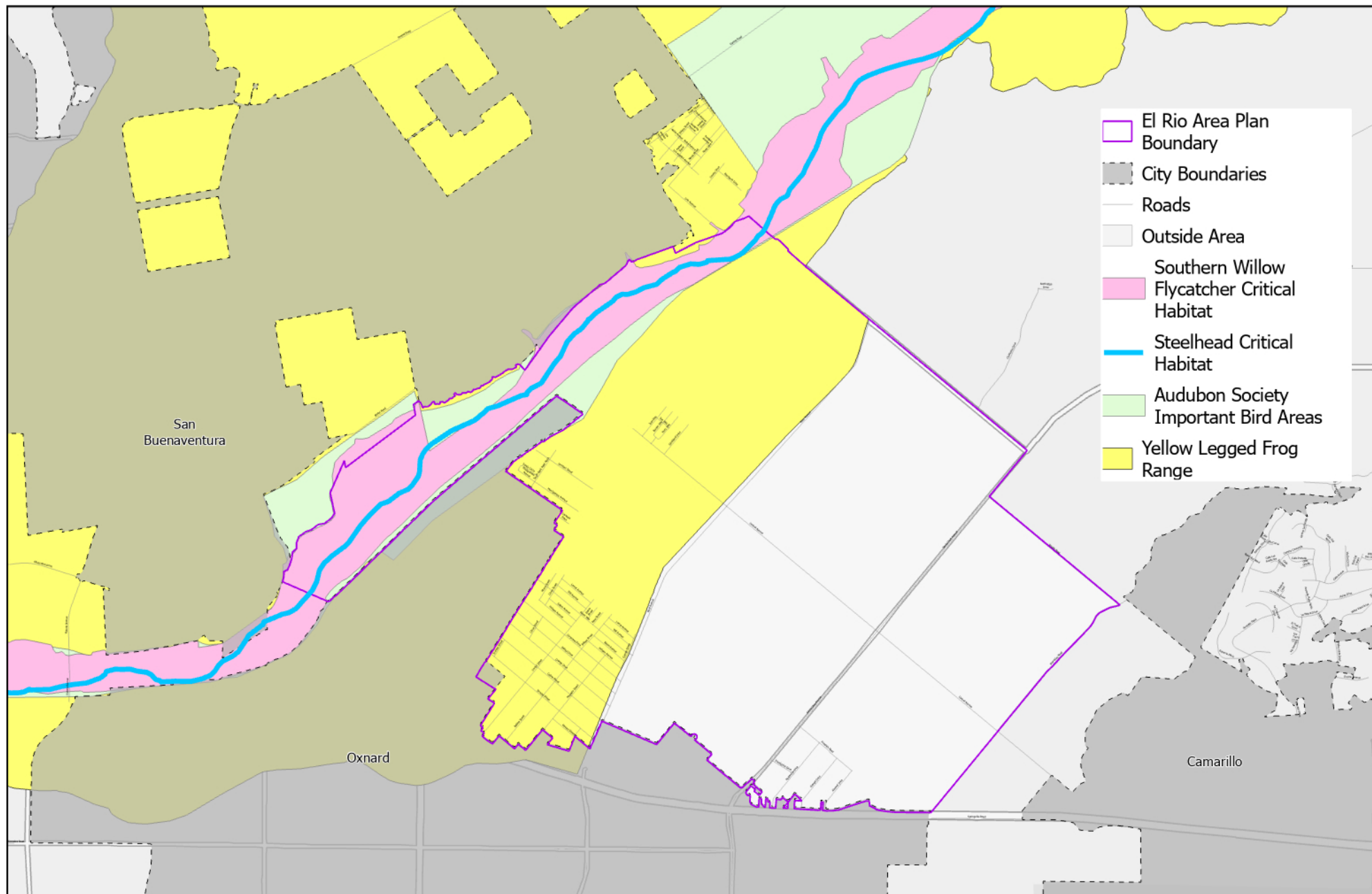
					Alkali Sink, wetland-riparian	
Flatsedge	<i>Cyperus odoratus</i>	<i>Cyperus ferax</i> Rich	Cyperaceae	Annual Grass or Graminoid	wetland-riparian, many plant communities	Jul-Oct
Gulf lovegrass	<i>Eragrostis pectinacea</i> var. <i>miserrima</i>	<i>Eragrostis arida</i> Hitchc.; <i>Eragrostis tephrosanthos</i> Schult.	Poaceae	Annual Grass or Graminoid	wetland-riparian	Jul-Nov
Prostate hutchinsia	<i>Hornungia procumben</i>	<i>Hutchinsia procumbens</i> (L.) Desv., illeg.; <i>Hymenolobus procumbens</i> (L.) Nutt. ex Torr. & A. Gray	Brassicaceae	Annual Herb	Saline flats, shaded sites, woodland, desert, meadows, salt marshes, sagebrush scrub	Feb-Jul
Marsh pennywort	<i>Hydrocotyle verticillata</i>	<i>Hydrocotyle verticillata</i> var. <i>triradiata</i> (A. Rich.) Fernald	Araliaceae	Perennial Herb	wetland-riparian; Lake margins, ponds, slow-moving streams, canals, seeps, springs, marshes	Apr-Sep
Turion duckweed	<i>Lemna turionifera</i>	N/A	Araceae	Annual Grass or Graminoid	wetland-riparian: Freshwater	Aug
Alkali pepperwort, Alkali pepperweed	<i>Lepidium dictyotum</i>	N/A	Brassicaceae	Annual Herb	Alkali Sink, Valley Grassland, wetland-riparian. Found in: dry stream beds, roadsides, sandy flats, fields, meadows, dried pools	Mar-Jun
Newberry's lip fern	<i>Myriopteris newberryi</i>	<i>Cheilanthes newberryi</i> (D. C. Eaton) Domin	Pteridaceae	Perennial Herb	Coastal Sage Scrub, Chaparral	May - Aug
Pickleweed, Virginia glasswort	<i>Salicornia depressa</i>	<i>Salicornia europaea</i> L., misappl.	Chenopodiaceae	Annual Herb	Coastal Salt Marsh, wetland-riparian	Jul-Sep

Locally Important Animal Species

Common Name	Scientific Name	Synonyms	Family	Type
Threespine armored stickleback	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus microcephalus</i>	Partially armored stickleback	Gasterosteidae	Fish

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Common Name	Scientific Name	Listing	Family	Type
Santa Monica grasshopper	<i>Trimerotropis occidentiloides</i>	Endangered	Orthoptera	Insect
Mimic tryonia (California brackish water snail)	<i>Tryonia imitator</i>	Data Deficient	Cochliopidae	Snail



-  El Rio Area Plan Boundary
-  City Boundaries
-  Roads
-  Outside Area
-  Southern Willow Flycatcher Critical Habitat
-  Steelhead Critical Habitat
-  Audubon Society Important Bird Areas
-  Yellow Legged Frog Range

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El Rio Area Critical Habitat Areas

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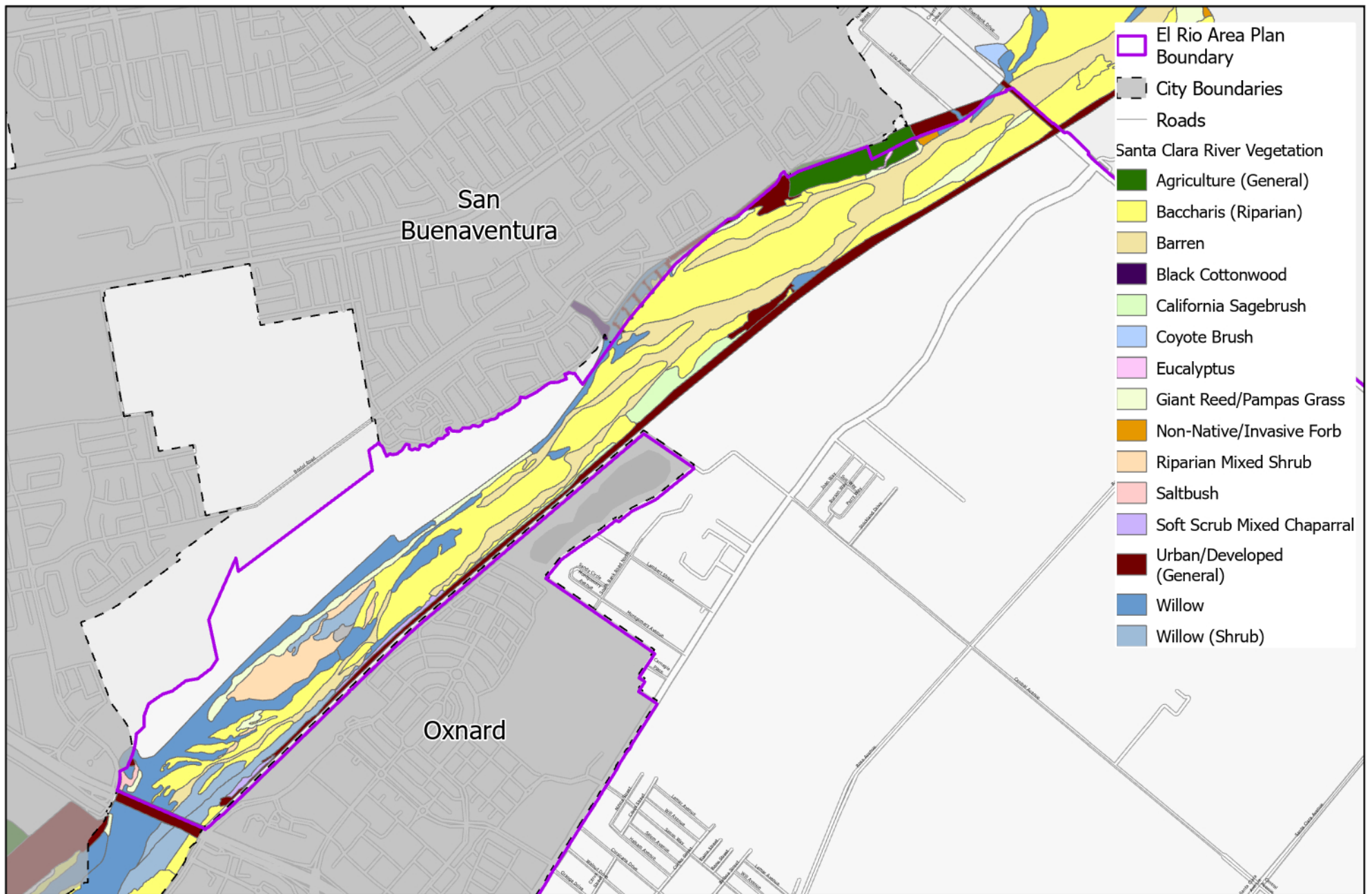


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- El Rio Area Plan Boundary
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- Roads
- Santa Clara River Vegetation**
- Agriculture (General)
- Baccharis (Riparian)
- Barren
- Black Cottonwood
- California Sagebrush
- Coyote Brush
- Eucalyptus
- Giant Reed/Pampas Grass
- Non-Native/Invasive Forb
- Riparian Mixed Shrub
- Saltbush
- Soft Scrub Mixed Chaparral
- Urban/Developed (General)
- Willow
- Willow (Shrub)

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Santa Clara River Vegetation Near The El Rio Area

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