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DESERT CONSERVATION PROGRAM PROJECT COMPLETION SUMMARY
Rare Plant and Milkweed Survey
2019-IRONWOOD-1942A

The work for the above referenced project has been completed. Below is a summary of project related information.

The purpose of the above referenced project was:

This project is designed to complete surveys within Clark County, Nevada for ten plant species where their habitat has been modeled but their presence has not been verified. These species are being considered for coverage under the amended MSHCP, and so it is valuable to determine site occupancy in areas that may be at risk for future development or disturbance. The monarch butterfly is also being considered for coverage under the amended MSHCP. Due to its importance as a larval host plant milkweed surveys are needed to validate habitat suitability models for the species.

The major accomplishments or findings of this project include:

The surveys resulted in 36 rare plants occurrence records for 14 rare plant taxa occupying 592 of the 12,492 acres surveyed within Clark County. Seven of the target taxa were recorded among the 14 total taxa in 23 of the total survey areas, which help identify areas within the County that host at least one rare plant taxon.

For more information about this project and/or for other Project Reports or Symposium Reports, please visit our [website](#).

If you have any questions about this project, please contact DCP Stefanie Ferrazzano, at (702) 455-6386.