

# APPENDIX 3.4-2 Special-Status Plant Species within Adjacent Quadrangles and Their Potential to Occur

			Primary Habitat Associations/ Life	
Scientific	Common	Status	Form/ Blooming Period/	
Name	Name	(Federal/State/CRPR)	Elevation Range (feet)	Potential to Occur
Atriplex cordulata var. erecticaulis	Earlimart orache	None/None/1B.2	Valley and foothill grassland/annual herb/ Aug-Sep(Nov)/130–330	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Atriplex depressa	brittlescale	None/None/1B.2	Chenopod scrub, Meadows and seeps, Playas, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools; alkaline, clay/annual herb/Apr–Oct/0–1,050	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks meadows and seeps, playas, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Atriplex minuscula	lesser saltscale	None/None/1B.1	Chenopod scrub, Playas, Valley and foothill grassland; alkaline, sandy/annual herb/May– Oct/45–655	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks chenopod scrub, Playas, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Delphinium recurvatum	recurved larkspur	None/None/1B.2	Chenopod scrub, Cismontane woodland, Valley and foothill grassland; alkaline/perennial herb/Mar–June/5–2,590	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks chenopod scrub, cismontane woodland, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Eryngium spinosepalum	spiny-sepaled button-celery	None/None/1B.2	Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools/annual / perennial herb/Apr–June/260–3200	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks vernal pools and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.

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Euphorbia hooveri	Hoover's spurge	FT/None/1B.2	Vernal pools/annual herb/ July–Sep(Oct)/80–820	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks vernal pools. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Helianthus winteri	Winter's sunflower	None/None/1B.2	Cismontane woodland, Valley and foothill grassland; openings on relatively steep south- facing slopes, granitic, often rocky, often roadsides/perennial shrub/Jan–Dec/ 410–8,415	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks cismontane woodland and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Hordeum intercedens	vernal barley	None/None/3.2	Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland (saline flats and depressions), Vernal pools/annual herb/Mar– June/15–3,280	Not expected to occur. The Project site coastal dunes, coastal scrub, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Imperata brevifolia	California satintail	None/None/2B.1	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Mojavean desert scrub, Meadows and seeps (often alkali), Riparian scrub; mesic/perennial rhizomatous herb/Sep— May/0–3,985	Not expected to occur. The Project site chaparral, coastal scrub, Mojavean desert scrub, meadows and seeps, and riparian scrub habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Orcuttia inaequalis	San Joaquin Valley Orcutt grass	FT/SE/1B.1	Vernal pools/annual herb/Apr–Sep/30–2,475	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks vernal pools. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Pseudobahia peirsonii	San Joaquin adobe sunburst	FT/SE/1B.1	Cismontane woodland, Valley and foothill grassland; adobe clay/annual herb/Feb– Apr/295–2,625	Not expected to occur. The Project site cismontane woodland, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.



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Puccinellia simplex	California alkali grass	None/None/1B.2	Chenopod scrub, Meadows and seeps, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools; Alkaline, vernally mesic; sinks, flats, and lake margins/annual herb/Mar–May/5–3,050	Not expected to occur. The Project site chenopod scrub, meadows and seeps, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Sagittaria sanfordii	Sanford's arrowhead	None/None/1B.2	Marshes and swamps (assorted shallow freshwater)/perennial rhizomatous herb (emergent)/May– Oct(Nov)/0–2,135	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks marshes and swamps. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.
Tuctoria greenei	Greene's tuctoria	FE/SR/1B.1	Vernal pools/annual herb/May-July(Sep)/95- 3,510	Not expected to occur. The Project site lacks vernal pools. The site has been altered from its natural historic vegetative community due to years of agricultural use and construction staging for adjacent projects.

#### Status Legend

#### **Federal**

FT: Federally listed as threatened

#### State

SE: State listed as endangered

SR: State listed as rare

#### CRPR: California Rare Plant Rank

- 1A: Plants presumed extirpated in California and either rare or extinct elsewhere
- 1B: Plants rare, threatened, or endangered in California and elsewhere
- 2B: Plants rare, threatened, or endangered in California, but more common elsewhere
- 3: Plants about which more information is needed a review list

#### **Threat Rank**

- 0.1 Seriously threatened in California (more than 80% of occurrences threatened/high degree and immediacy of threat)
- 0.2 Moderately threatened in California (20%–80% occurrences threatened/moderate degree and immediacy of threat)

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