

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Helianthus nuttallii ssp. parishii

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Helianthus nuttallii T. & G. ssp. parishii (Gray)

Heiser

Common Name Los Angeles sunflower

Family Asteraceae
Element Code PDAST4N102

USDA Plants Symbol HENUP

Synonyms/Other Names

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank1AGlobal RankG5TXState RankSXCESANoneFESANone

Other Status

CRPR Changes

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-01-05

Ecology and Life History

Lifeform perennial rhizomatous herb

Blooming Period Aug-Oct

Elevation m (ft) 10-1525 (35-5005)

General Habitats Marshes and swamps (freshwater, coastal

salt)

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		2	
	Total EOs	Percent EOs	
EOs with Threats Listed	5	71%	
Threat List:			
Development	5	71%	
Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime	1	14%	

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	7	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	0	
Good (B)	0	
Fair (C)	0	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	5	
Unknown (U)	2	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	7	
Recent, < 20 years	0	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	2	
Possibly Extirpated	2	
Presumed Extirpated	3	

Location

California Endemic	Yes
Counties	
Los Angeles (LAX)*, Orange (ORA)*, San Bernardino (SBD)*	
States	
California (CA)	

Quads

Hollywood (3411813)*, Los Angeles (3411812)*, Newport Beach (3311768)*, Pasadena (3411822), San Bernardino South (3411713)*, Seal Beach (3311861), Telegraph Peak (3411735), Tustin (3311767)

Notes

Definitions of codes preceding a county and/or quad:

- * Presumed extirpated
- (*) Possibly extirpated

Species may be present in other areas where conditions are favorable. These data should NOT be substituted for pre-project review or for on-site surveys.

Notes

Last seen in 1937. Extirpated by urbanization. See *Proceedings of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences* 14:7 (1883) for original description, and *Memoirs of the Torrey Botanical Club* 22(3):147-152 (1969) for taxonomic treatment.

Threats

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Selected References

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