

#### **Rare Plant Inventory**

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# Report for Rorippa subumbellata

# TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Rorippa subumbellata Roll.

Common NameTahoe yellow cressFamilyBrassicaceae

Element Code PDBRA270M0

USDA Plants Symbol ROSU2

Synonyms/Other Names

#### **Conservation Status**

California Rare Plant Rank1B.1Global RankG1State RankS1

**CESA** CE (04/01/82)

**FESA** None

Other Status SB\_BerrySB; SB\_CalBG/RSABG; USFS\_S

**CRPR Changes** 

 Date Added
 1974-01-01

 Last Update
 2022-06-08

### **Ecology and Life History**

**Lifeform** perennial rhizomatous herb

Blooming Period May-Sep

**Elevation m (ft)** 1890-1905 (6200-6250)

General Habitats Lower montane coniferous forest, Meadows

and seeps

Microhabitat Details decomposed granitic beaches

Microhabitat Decomposed granitic

#### **Threat List Data from the CNDDB**

Threat List Total:		11
	Total EOs	Percent EOs
EOs with Threats Listed	20	61%
Threat List:		
Recreational use (non-ORV)	17	51%
Foot traffic/trampling	12	36%
Altered flood/tidal/hydrologic regime	8	24%
Development	6	18%
Erosion/runoff	4	12%
Other	3	9%
Vandalism/dumping/litter	2	6%
Grazing	2	6%
Non-native plant impacts	2	6%
ORV activity	1	3%
Waterway bank protection/maintenance	1	3%

# **Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB**

Total Element Occurrences:	33
Element Occurrence Ranks:	
Excellent (A)	0
Good (B)	7
Fair (C)	5
Poor (D)	0
None (X)	3
Unknown (U)	18
Occurrence Status	_
Historical, > 20 years	5
Recent, < 20 years	28
Presence	_
Presumed Extant	30
Possibly Extirpated	2
Presumed Extirpated	1

#### Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
El Dorado (ELD), Nevada (NEV)*, Placer (PLA)	
States	
California (CA), Nevada (NV)	

#### Quads

Emerald Bay (3812081), Homewood (3912012), Kings Beach (3912021)\*, Meeks Bay (3912011), South Lake Tahoe (3811988), Tahoe City (3912022), Truckee (3912032)\*

#### **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**

Known in CA only from Lake Tahoe; many historical occurrences extirpated. Seriously threatened by development, recreation, foot traffic, and inundation; recovery work underway. State-listed as Critically Endangered in NV. Previously a candidate for federal listing. See *Contributions from the Dudley Herbarium* 3:177 (1941) for original description.

#### **Threats**

#### **Taxononmy**

#### **Selected References**

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