



Date: December 6, 2018

TO: DISTRIBUTION

RE: DESERT CONSERVATION PROGRAM PROJECT COMPLETION NOTIFICATION:
DESERT UPLAND BASELINE BIRD SURVEYS
2017-SWCA-1730C

The work for the above referenced project has been completed. Please see the attached for all project related information.

The purpose of the above referenced project was:

The purpose of this project was to establish a baseline record of bird species currently present on the Boulder City Conservation Easement. These records can be used to detect changes in species presence and distribution over time and to inform future management actions at the BCCE.

The major accomplishment or findings of this project include:

Three rounds of avian point-count surveys were completed in the spring and summer of 2018 at 40 locations throughout the BCCE. A total of 23 avian species were recorded through this project, including two MSHCP evaluation species: loggerhead shrike (*Lanius ludovicianus*) and LeConte's thrasher (*Toxostoma lecontei*).

For more information about this project and/or for other Project Reports or Symposium Reports, please visit our website at: <http://www.clarkcountynv.gov/airquality/dcp/Pages/default.aspx>

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

Sincerely,



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cc:

US Fish and Wildlife Service
Board of County Commissioners (7)
Permittees' Executive Committee
Permittees' Process Management Group
Thomas Boldt, Purchasing
Catherine Jorgenson, District Attorney – Civil Division
Desert Conservation Program Community Advisory Committee
Desert Conservation Program Interested Parties List
Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan Implementing Agencies
Science Advisor
SNPLMA Office (for SNPLMA projects)
Congressional Office
DCP Staff