**Species of Conservation Concern for Manti-La Sal NF:**

**RO and Manti-La Sal NF Recommendations**

**As of 10/30/2016**

**(Ultimately a Regional Office decision for the Manti-La Sal NF)**

1. **PLANT SPECIES OF CONSERVATION CONCERN**

Plant species recommended by the Regional Office as Manti-La Sal NF species of conservation concern (SCC). Those highlighted in yellow are the only ones Manti-La Sal NF is proposing as plant SCC (i.e., this would replace the previous Regional Office list of “sensitive species” for Manti-La Sal NF) as of October 30, 2016.

As of November 11, 2016, the Forest has not revealed its data/reasoning for rejecting SCC status for for 49 of the 53 plant species recommended by the Regional Office. Three of the four plant SCC recommended by the Manti-La Sal NF are located in the Mount Peale Research Natural Area which is being grazed year-round by exotic mountain goats, which are, according to the Manti-La Sal NF plan and US Forest Service national regulations, to be removed because of being an exotic species.

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| **Common\_Name** | **Scientific\_Name** |
| Abajo Daisy | Erigeron abajoensis |
| Alcove Bog-orchid | Habenaria zothecina |
| Arizona Willow | Salix arizonica |
| Canyon Sweetvetch | Hedysarum occidentale var. canone |
| Canyonlands biscuitroot | Lomatium latilobum |
| Carrington Daisy | Erigeron carringtoniae |
| Different Groundsel/Splitleaf Groundsel | Packera dimorphophylla var. intermedia |
| Geyer's onion | Allium geyeri var. chatterleyi |
| Handsome Beardtongue | Penstemon lentus var. albiflorus |
| Huntington Rabbitbrush | Chrysothamnus nauseosus ssp. psilocarpus |
| Intermountain Bladderpod/Range Creek Bladderpod | Lesquerella hemiphysaria var. lucens |
| Isely's Milkvetch | Astragalus iselyi |
| Jone's Catseye | Cryptantha jonesiana |
| Kachina Daisy | Erigeron kachinensis |
| La Sal Daisy | Erigeron mancus |
| La Sal Mountains' Groundsel | Senecio fremontii var. inexpectatus |
| Link Trail Columbine | Aquilegia flavescens var. rubicunda |
| Low Woollybase | Hymenoxys acaulis var. nana |
| Musinea Ragwort/Musinea Groundsel | Senecio musiniensis |
| Navajo Beardtongue | Penstemon navajoa |
| Payson's Lupine | Lupinus crassus |
| Peterson Catchfly/Plateau Catchfly | Silene petersonii |
| Sharpleaf Twinpod/Book Cliffs Twinpod | Physaria acutifolia var. purpurea |
| Sheathed Deathcamus | Zigadenus vaginatus |
| Tidestrom Beardtongue | Penstemon tidestromii |
| Uttermann's Daisy/Indian Canyon fleabane | Erigeron untermannii |
| White Arctic Whitlow-grass/Patterson's Draba | Draba fladnizensis var. pattersonii |
| Wright's Fishhook Cactus | Sclerocactus wrightiae |
| Baker'S Oreoxis | Oreoxis bakeri |
| Black-head Fleabane | Erigeron melanocephalus |
| Carolina Tassel-rue | Trautvetteria caroliniensis var. occidentalis |
| Compound Kobresia | Kobresia simpliciuscula |
| Constance's Phacelia | Phacelia constancei |
| Creutzfeldt's Cat's-eye/Creutzfeldt-flower | Cryptantha creutzfeldtii |
| Eastwood's Podistera | Podistera eastwoodiae |
| Ferron Milkvetch | Astragalus musiniensis |
| Flatragg / Fan Ramalina | Ramalina sinensis |
| Intermountain Bitterweed | Hymenoxys helenioides |
| La Sal Penstemon | Penstemon crandallii ssp. atratus |
| Missouri/Puzzling Milkvetch | Astragalus missouriensis var. amphibolus |
| Musk-root | Adoxa moschatellina |
| Northern Spleenwart/Grass-fern | Asplenium septentrionale |
| Pinnate Spring-parsley | Cymopterus beckii |
| Reveal'S Corymbed Wild Buckwheat | Eriogonum corymbosum var. revealianum |
| Rush Desert-parsley | Lomatium junceum |
| Ruth's Milkweed | Asclepias ruthiae |
| Sedge Fescue/Utah Fescue | Festuca dasyclada |
| Skyline Townsendia | Townsendia montana var. caelilinensis |
| Spineless Hedgehog Cactus | Echinocereus triglochidiatus var. inermis |
| Sweet-flower Rock-jasmine | Androsace chamaejasme ssp. carinata |
| Western Peony | Paeonia brownii |
| White-vein Wintergreen/Pictureleaf Wintergreen | Pyrola picta |
| Yellowish Phlox | Phlox austromontana var. lutescens |

**ii. NON-PLANT SPECIES OF CONSERVATION CONCERN**

Non-plant species recommended by the Regional Office as Manti-La Sal NF species of conservation concern (SCC). Those highlighted in yellow are the only ones Manti-La Sal NF is proposing as non-plant SCC (i.e., this would replace the previous Regional Office list of “sensitive species” for Manti-La Sal NF).

American pika (highlighted in blue) has been suggested by the Manti-La Sal NF, but was not on the original Regional Office list. The American pika, an herbivore, lives in the Mount Peale Research Natural Area which is being grazed/browsed year-round by exotic mountain goats, which are, according to the Manti-La Sal NF plan and US Forest Service national regulations, to be removed because of being an exotic species.

As of November 11, 2016, the Forest has not revealed its data/reasoning for rejecting SCC status for 11of the 23 non-plant species recommended by the Regional Office.

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| **COMMON\_NAME** | **SCIENTIFIC\_NAME** |
| Boreal Toad | Anaxyrus boreas |
| Columbia Spotted Frog | Rana luteiventris |
| Greater Sage-grouse | Centrocercus urophasianus |
| Bald Eagle | Haliaeetus leucocephalus |
| Black Rosy-finch | Leucosticte atrata |
| Red Crossbill | Loxia curvirostra |
| Purple Martin | Progne subis |
| Grace's Warbler | Setophaga graciae |
| Western Bluebird | Sialia mexicana |
| Bluehead Sucker | Catostomus discobolus |
| Southern Leatherside Chub | Lepidomeda aliciae |
| Colorado River Cutthroat Trout | Oncorhynchus clarkii pleuriticus |
| Bonneville Cutthroat Trout | Oncorhynchus clarkii utah |
| Western Bumble Bee | Bombus occidentalis |
| Monarch | Danaus plexippus pop. 1 |
| Utah Sallfly | Sweltsa cristata |
| Townsend's Big-eared Bat | Corynorhinus townsendii |
| North American Wolverine | Gulo gulo luscus |
| Fringed Myotis | Myotis thysanodes |
| Striate Disc | Discus shimekii |
| Yavapai Mountainsnail | Oreohelix yavapai |
| Southern Bonneville Springsnail | Pyrgulopsis transversa |
| Many-lined Skink | Plestiodon multivirgatus |
| American Pika | Ochotona princeps |