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Fwd: Eagle Info for N. Cal Survey Area

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GOEA info email

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From: Keiser, Kate@Wildlife <Kate.Keiser@wildlife.ca.gov>

Date: Thu, Mar 16, 2017 at 11:24 AM

Subject: RE: Eagle Info for N. Cal Survey Area

To: Joel Thompson <i thompson@west-inc.com>, Battistone, Carie@Wildlife

<Carie.Battistone@wildlife.ca.gov>

Hi Joel,

I've attached a zipped shapefile for the GOEA data. There are only 3 records so if you find anything be sure to let us know!

As for BAEA, you could also check Unprocessed Data from CNDDB Online Field Survey Form (ds1002) in the BIOS Viewer. It contains information that has been submitted but not yet entered into the CNDDB.

Kate

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From: Joel Thompson [mailto:jthompson@west-inc.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 16, 2017 9:11 AM

To: Battistone, Carie@Wildlife < Carie.Battistone@wildlife.ca.gov>

Cc: Keiser, Kate@Wildlife < Kate. Keiser@wildlife.ca.gov>

Subject: Re: Eagle Info for N. Cal Survey Area

Thanks Carie. That may/may not be. The heli was available Tues/Wed, so if we get it by then we'll be OK. Also looks like a fair chance that weather could play in and post-pone us, so it might be fine either way. Regardless, we'd be flying a second round later so even if we don't have all the dots for this one, we could make sure we check all them on the second, Hopefully we'd find them all anyway, but big timber country can be challenging. Also, there are a number of BAEA sites we have from CNDDB, but I'm guessing they could be old and there's better current info. We don't have any GOEA info from CNDDB so that will be a great to have.

Thank you much for the help.

Joel

On Thu, Mar 16, 2017 at 8:52 AM, Battistone, Carie@Wildlife < Carie.Battistone@wildlife.ca.gov> wrote:

Hi Joel,

Kate will be sending you something for GOEA. I will work on BAEA for you, but it requires me working with staff that are out of the office until next week. Is that too late?

Carie

From: Joel Thompson [mailto:jthompson@west-inc.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 15, 2017 10:09 AM

To: Battistone, Carie@Wildlife; Keiser, Kate@Wildlife

Subject: Eagle Info for N. Cal Survey Area

Hello Carie and Kate

I have a last minute request (seems like the usual in this day and age) for info on GOEA/BAEA nests in a survey area in N. Cal that we need to fly ASAP (just got a go to fly next Tues/Wed). Any chance you might be able to provide nest site info for BAEA and GOEA in the area by then? Attached is the survey area of interest. We have data from CNDDB, but any updates to that would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks so much.

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Joel Thompson < ithompson@west-inc.com> To: Andrea Chatfield <achatfield@west-inc.com> Mon, Jan 7, 2019 at 11:29 AM

the BAEA correspondence

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From: Battistone, Carie@Wildlife < Carie.Battistone@wildlife.ca.gov>

Date: Mon, Apr 3, 2017 at 1:29 PM

Subject: RE: Eagle Info for N. Cal Survey Area To: Joel Thompson <i thompson@west-inc.com>

Cc: McIntyre, Patrick@Wildlife <Patrick,McIntyre@wildlife.ca.gov>

Hello Joel,

I apologize for the delay. The bald eagle database is in draft form right now and I took some time to go through. Attached is a map of the bald eagle locations from CNDDB and from the bald eagle database (points called "Data Provided" in attached). The location data in the bald eagle database has not been cleaned up. Some of the points may be off, or they may be duplicate of what is in CNDDB. This is the best we can do at this point. I hope this helps you in your surveys! If you detect any nests (new of old) please do let us know.

Thanks,

Carie

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