



endangered if limiting factors are not reversed. Species of Special Concern are particularly sensitive to human activities or natural events. Endangered or

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or disturbances that are dominant across the landscape. Disturbed rural areas can be interspersed with range, farmland and native vegetation, or cultivated crops. Young forests are conifer-dominated stands with an age range between 0 and 80 years. Non-sensitive landscapes are shown in white in the areas that are not designated by a sensitive ecosystem. In addition, many sensitive ecosystem polygons close to urban or disturbed areas may have a modified landscape interspersed with the sensitive ecosystem(s), in which the sensitive ecosystems are too small to map individually. These modified

Seasonally Flooded Agricultural Fields (FS):

Seasonally Flooded Agricultural Fields ecosystems are subglacial fields that flood annually, providing important migratory and nesting habitat for birds. These provide important habitat for songbirds.



Some species associated with Seasonally Flooded Agricultural Areas are:

- Great Basin Spadefoot

(Amphibian, Threatened)
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- Peregrine falcon
- Food production
- Great Basin Gophersnake
- Western Rattlesnake

Mature Forest (MF).

Mature Forest Ecosystems provide the following services:

- Climate regulation
- Flood control

Some species associated with Mature Forest Ecosystems are:

Louisiana Marsh Wren	Mountain Sparrow Owl	Otus flammeus (Red, Special Concern)
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- Sediment retention
- Food production
- Showy Phlox

Non-sensitive Landscapes (NS): (Areas not mapped as sensitive or other important ecosystems are depicted in white)

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areas are depicted as NS (non-sensitive) on the map.