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## Priority Vulnerable Species in Pima County



### Priority Vulnerable Species

are species that are being considered and analyzed as potentially covered species under the multi-species habitat conservation plan. These species were chosen through a process of scientific review of over 100 species that are already listed as Threatened or Endangered or recognized by the federal government as imperiled, extirpated species, and a much larger number of species that are in decline, and potentially on the way toward ESA listing.



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### Amphibians

**Lowland Leopard Frog** - *Rana yavapaiensis*

### Birds

**Abert's Towhee** - *Pipilo aberti*

**Bell's Vireo** - *Vireo bellii*

**Burrowing Owl** - *Athene cunicularia*

**Rufous-winged Sparrow** - *Aimophila carpalis*

**Swainson's Hawk** - *Buteo*

### Plants

**Gentry indigo bush** - *Dalea tentaculoides*

**Needle-spined Pineapple Cactus** - *Echinomastus erectocentrus* var. *erectocentrus*

**Tumamoc Globeberry** - *Tumamoca macdougalii*

### Reptiles

**Desert Box Turtle** - *Terrapene ornata luteola*

*swainsoni*

**Ground Snake** - *Sonora semiannulata*

## Fish

**Giant Spotted Whiptail Lizard** - *Cnemidophorus burti stictogrammus*

**Desert Sucker** - *Pantosteus clarki*

**Mexican Garter Snake** - *Thamnophis eques*

**Longfin Dace** - *Agosia chrysogaster*

**Organ Pipe Shovel-nosed Snake** - *Chionactis palarostris*

**Sonora Sucker** - *Catostomus insignis*

**Red-backed Whiptail Lizard** - *Cnemidophorus burti xanthonotus*

## Invertebrates

**Tucson Shovel-nosed Snake** - *Chionactis occipitalis klauberi*

**Talus Snails** - *Sonorella species*

**Arkenstone Cave Psuedoscorpion** - *Albiorix anophrhalmus*

## Mammals

**Allen's big-eared bat** - *Idionycteris phyllotis*

**Arizona Shrew** - *Sorex arizonae*

**California leaf-nosed bat** - *Macrotus californicus*

**Mexican Long-tongued Bat** - *Choeronycteris mexicana*

**Merriam's Mesquite Mouse** - *Peromyscus merriami*

**Pale Townsend's big-eared bat** - *Plecotus townsendii pallescens*

**Southern Yellow Bat** - *Lasiurus ega*

**Western Red Bat** - *Lasiuris borealis*

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