

Statement of Notice

Washington County, Utah is the home of seven (7) threatened or endangered species as identified by U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, including:

Bald Eagle (<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>)	Status: Endangered
Peregrine Falcon (<i>Falco peregrinus</i>)	Status: Endangered
Desert Tortoise (<i>Gopherus agassizii</i>)	Status: Threatened
Woundfin (<i>Plagopterus argentissimus</i>)	Status: Endangered
Dwarf Bear Poppy (<i>Arctomecon hollisii</i>)	Status: Endangered
Siler Pincushion Cactus (<i>Pediocactus sileri</i>)	Status: Endangered
Virgin River Chub (<i>Gila robusta seminuda</i>)	Status: Endangered

An additional twenty-eight (28) species are considered candidates and may be placed on the list of threatened and endangered species with further data. A large percentage of land in Washington County is affected by these species.

In the event of "TAKE" (*meaning to "harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture, or collect, or attempt to engage in any such conduct, Harm is further defined as an act that kills or injures such species. Such an act may include significant habitat modification or degradation where it kills or injures wildlife by significantly impairing essential breeding patterns, breeding, feeding or shelter"*), fines may be levied by U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, up to a maximum of \$50,000 and one-year imprisonment *per offense*.

The subject property _____

may contain or be habitat for threatened or endangered species. Biological studies are advised on all land to be developed in Washington County. A copy of the completed study should be sent to U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 1745 West 1700 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84105 prior to proceeding with any physical development.

Submission of this document verifies receipt of limited information on local issues pertaining to Threatened and Endangered Species Habitat, but, does not in any way reduce, negate or eliminate liability of landowner/developer in the event of "Take". This document is NOT a clearance to proceed.

I have read and understand the above notice.

Date

Landowner/Developer