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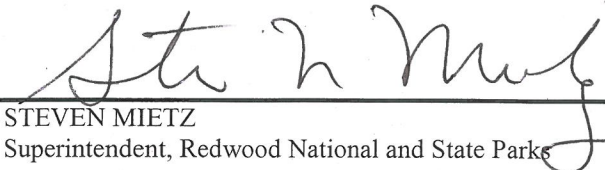
To: Alice Chung-MacCoubrey, KLMN Program Manager

From: Steven Mietz, Redwood National and State Parks Superintendent

Subject: Handling of protected natural resource data

The Superintendent of Redwood National and State Parks has identified resources that are rare, threatened, endangered, or commercially valuable. Information about these resources (the specific location, abundance, presence, or absence), if released to the public or other unapproved audiences, has been determined to potentially result in harm, theft, or destruction. To ensure data are appropriately protected in accordance with park management priorities, the following rules must be followed when disseminating natural resource information collected through inventory, monitoring, or other related scientific activities.

Type of Data	Level of Protection	Rules for Dissemination
Resource Data and Information		
<i>Strix occidentalis</i> (spotted owl)	Legally Protected	Specific locations of these species will not be released to the general public. Any such data collected will be redacted from publicly released datasets. This will be done indefinitely.
<i>Charadrius alexandrinus nivosus</i> (western snowy plover)	Legally Protected	
<i>Brachyramphus marmoratus</i> (marbled murrelet)	Legally Protected	
<i>Layia carnosa</i> (beach layia, beach tidytips)	Legally Protected	
<i>Monotropa uniflora</i> (ghost plant, Indian pipe)	Operationally Protected	
Location Data and Information		


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Resource	Type of Information to be Protected	Level of Protection	Protected From Release To	Method of Protection	Protected for How Long?	Secondary Method of Protection	Notes	Justification
Brachyramphus marmoratus (marbled murrelet)	Specific Location	Legally Protected	Release to public	Redacted	Indefinitely / Forever	Park		T&E Species
Monotropa uniflora (Indian pipe)	Specific Location	Operationally protected	Release to public	Redacted	Indefinitely / Forever	Park		California Native Plant Society Rank 2B.2 ("California Rare Plant Rank 2B: Plants Rare, Threatened, or Endangered in California, But More Common Elsewhere")
Charadrius alexandrinus nivosus (western snowy plover)	Specific Location	Legally Protected	Release to public	Redacted	Indefinitely / Forever	Park		T&E Species
Strix occidentalis (spotted owl)	Specific Location	Legally Protected	Release to public	Redacted	Indefinitely / Forever	Park		T&E Species
Layia carnosa (beach layia)	Specific Location	Legally Protected	Release to public	Redacted	Indefinitely / Forever	Park		T&E Species