



Shorebird Monitoring Questionnaire

Instructions: Thank you so much for offering to provide us with information regarding your shorebird survey and monitoring project(s). Answers to this questionnaire will help us immensely in the strategic design of a comprehensive plan for monitoring shorebirds in the Pacific Flyway. This plan would integrate past and current methodologies and efforts and identify spatial, temporal, and species-specific gaps in monitoring. Please enter information as best you can and use as much space as you need (continued typing will wrap to next line).

Name of Survey:

Organization(s):

Project Leader(s):

Contact Info (phone/email):

Survey Location(s) (region or locations of survey; *if available, please attach map [pdf, jpg, tif] of survey areas. Please delineate on the map OR describe here the actual sites/units surveyed, including any subarea designations within larger survey areas*):

Primary Survey Purpose (e.g., to assess migrant numbers through study area, to monitor use of particular habitat type, etc.)

Shorebird Species Surveyed (specify if all shorebirds, certain species, or species groups; indicate if survey focuses entirely on shorebirds or includes other species of waterbirds):

Habitat Type(s):

Season(s) of Survey:

Specific Dates/Date Blocks:

Survey Timing (are surveys timed to tidal conditions [y/n]? If so, indicate those conditions [e.g., rising, falling, or slack tide; specific tidal height or window; etc.]. If not, are surveys timed to a specific time of day?):

Frequency (within year; e.g., every other month, specify months):

Frequency (among years; e.g., every 5 yrs, specify yrs):

Duration of Survey (give years):

Future Surveying Planned?:

Coordinated with other surveys? (if yes, describe and identify other surveys):

Survey Protocol (describe specific survey protocol or other details not provided above regarding protocol and methodology used, e.g., aerial-, land- or water-based count):

Personnel involved in survey (e.g., organizational staff, citizen volunteers; indicate minimum number of people needed for a successful census):

Status of Data (e.g., in electronic format, entered & proofed?)

Data accessibility and sharing - Would you be willing to allow PRBO staff to view your data to help in the development of a state-wide survey?

Survey Effectiveness (How effective is the survey and protocol?, e.g., at capturing peak migration, comprehensive geographically [or do access issues preclude surveying important areas], etc.):

Report or Published Paper(s) (y/n; please provide citations and indicate availability of documents, e.g., pdf available, on web, etc.):

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Please return completed form to:

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