



Bank Swallow Annual Report

2013

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Title page photo: bank swallow colony at Smith River Rancheria by Laura Bradley.

Project Description

Title: Bank Swallow Surveys for Class I Water Crossings

Purpose: Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) monitoring

Date Initiated: March 1999

Projected End Date: Ongoing

Manager: Sal Chinnici, Forest Science Manager

Executive Summary:

The HRC HCP Section 6.7 (PALCO 1999), Bank Swallow Conservation Plan, requires that surveys be conducted where new road construction crossing low gradient Class I waters is planned and potential bank swallow (*Riparia riparia*) habitat exists. No crossings were established in 2013 that required bank swallow surveys to be conducted. Therefore, no bank swallow surveys were done in 2013 on HRC property.

No change in monitoring strategies or intensity is recommended at this time.

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