

Mammals of Sedgwick Reserve
Santa Barbara County, California
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ORDER DIDELPHIMORPHIA – Opossums **Sedwick Status**

Family Didelphidae – Opossums	
Virginia Opossum (<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>)	Observed

ORDER LAGOMORPHA – Pikas, Hares, and Rabbits

Family Leporidae – Hares and Rabbits	
Desert Cottontail (<i>Sylvilagus audubonii</i>)	Observed
Brush Rabbit (<i>Sylvilagus bachmani</i>)	Observed
Black-tailed Jackrabbit (<i>Lepus californicus</i>)	Observed

ORDER SORICOMORPHA – Insectivores

Family Soricidae – Shrews	
Ornate Shrew (<i>Sorex ornatus</i>)	Observed
Trowbridge’s Shrew (<i>Sorex trowbridgii</i>)	Expected

Family Talpidae – Moles	
Broad-footed Mole (<i>Scapanus latimanus</i>)	Observed

ORDER CHIROPTERA – Bats

Family Molossidae – Free-tailed Bats	
Western Bonneted Bat (<i>Eumops perotis</i>)	Expected
Pocketed Free-tailed Bat (<i>Nyctinomops femorosaccus</i>)	Expected
Brazilian Free-tailed Bat (<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>)	Observed

Family Vespertilionidae – Vesper Bats	
Pallid Bat (<i>Anthrozous pallidus</i>)	Observed
Townsend’s Big-eared Bat (<i>Corynorhinus townsendii</i>)	Observed
Big Brown Bat (<i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>)	Observed
Silver-haired Bat (<i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i>)	Expected
Western Red Bat (<i>Lasiurus frantzii</i>)	Expected
Hoary Bat (<i>Lasiurus cinereus</i>)	Observed
California Myotis (<i>Myotis californicus</i>)	Observed
Western Small-footed Myotis (<i>Myotis ciliolabrum</i>)	Expected
Long-eared Myotis (<i>Myotis evotis</i>)	Expected
Fringed Myotis (<i>Myotis thysanodes</i>)	Expected
Yuma Myotis (<i>Myotis yumanensis</i>)	Observed
Canyon Bat (<i>Parastrellus hesperus</i>)	Expected

ORDER CARNIVORA – Carnivores

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Family Canidae – Dogs, Foxes, and Wolves

Domestic Dog (<i>Canis familiaris</i>)*	Expected
Coyote (<i>Canis latrans</i>)	Observed
Common Gray Fox (<i>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</i>)	Observed
Red Fox (<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>)*	Expected

Family Felidae – Cats

Feral Cat (<i>Felis catus</i>)*	Expected
Bobcat (<i>Lynx rufus</i>)	Observed
Mountain Lion (<i>Puma concolor</i>)	Observed

Family Mephitidae – Skunks

Striped Skunk (<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>)	Observed
Western Spotted Skunk (<i>Spilogale gracilis</i>)	Observed

Family Mustelidae – Weasels, Otters, and Badgers

Long-tailed Weasel (<i>Mustela frenata</i>)	Observed
American Badger (<i>Taxidea taxus</i>)	Observed

Family Procyonidae – Raccoons, Ringtails, and Coatis

Ringtail (<i>Bassariscus astutus</i>)	Expected
Northern Raccoon (<i>Procyon lotor</i>)	Observed

Family Ursidae – Bears

American Black Bear (<i>Ursus americanus</i>)	Observed
Grizzly Bear (<i>Ursus arctos</i>)	Extirpated

ORDER PERISSODACTYLA – Odd-toed Ungulates

Family Equidae – Horses and Asses

Domestic Horse (<i>Equus caballus</i>)*	Introduced
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ORDER ARTIODACTYLE – Even-toed Ungulates

Family Antilocapridae – Pronghorn

Pronghorn (<i>Antilocapra americana</i>)	Extirpated?
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Family Bovidae – Cattle, Sheep, and Goats

Domestic Cattle (<i>Bos taurus</i>)*	Introduced
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Family Cervidae – Deer

Elk (<i>Cervus canadensis</i>)	Extirpated
Mule Deer (<i>Odocoileus hemionus</i>)	Observed

ORDER ARTIODACTYLE – Even-toed Ungulates Sedwick Status

Family Suidae – Pigs

Feral Pig (<i>Sus scrofa</i>)*	Observed
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ORDER RODENTIA – Rodents

Family Cricetidae – New World Mice, Rats, and Voles

California Vole (<i>Microtus californicus</i>)	Observed
Bryant's Woodrat (<i>Neotoma bryanti</i>)	Observed
Big-eared Woodrat (<i>Neotoma macrotis</i>)	Observed
Brush Deermouse (<i>Peromyscus boylii</i>)	Expected
California Deermouse (<i>Peromyscus californicus</i>)	Observed
North American Deermouse (<i>Peromyscus maniculatus</i>)	Observed
Piñon Deermouse (<i>Peromyscus truei</i>)	Observed
Western Harvest Mouse (<i>Reithrodontomys megalotis</i>)	Observed

Family Geomyidae – Pocket Gophers

Botta's Pocket Gopher (<i>Thomomys bottae</i>)	Observed
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Family Heteromyidae – Pocket Mice and Kangaroo Rats

California Pocket Mouse (<i>Chaetodipus californicus</i>)	Observed
Agile Kangaroo Rat (<i>Dipodomys agilis</i>)	Expected

Family Muridae – Old World Mice and Rats

House Mouse (<i>Mus musculus</i>)*	Expected
Black Rat (<i>Rattus rattus</i>)*	Expected

Family Sciuridae – Squirrels

California Ground Squirrel (<i>Otospermophilus beecheyi</i>)	Observed
Western Gray Squirrel (<i>Sciurus griseus</i>)	Observed
Merriam's Chipmunk (<i>Tamias merriami</i>)	Observed

Status Codes:

Introduced Species = *

Source for Common and Scientific Names:

Bradley, R. D., et al. 2014. Revised Checklist of North American Mammals North of Mexico, 2014. Occasional Papers Museum of Texas Tech University No. 327.