

CENTRAL VALLEY HABITAT EXCHANGE

LANDOWNER APPLICATION FORM

This Landowner Application Form provides basic information about a potential habitat project to the Central Valley Habitat Exchange. Interested landowners or land managers should fill out this form as an initial step in participating in the Central Valley Habitat Exchange. Complete forms are ideal, but partially completed forms will also be accepted as long as contact information is provided. The more information provided in this form, the more efficient the early enrollment process stages will be for landowners and land managers.

Completed forms should be sent to Dan Kaiser (Environmental Defense Fund) at dkaiser@edf.org. Exchange staff will follow up with applicants within a short time period after receiving this form.

Completion of this form does not commit the landowner to any action; this form simply provides the Exchange with an initial understanding of the potential conservation opportunities on the property. As of now, the Exchange is primarily interested in habitat for Swainson’s hawk, Giant garter snake, Chinook salmon, riparian birds, and monarch butterflies.

CONTACT INFORMATION (AUTHORIZED PROPERTY REPRESENTATIVE)

Name
(First, Last)

Mailing Address

Telephone

Email

If different than Mailing Address. Otherwise, leave blank.

Property
Address

GENERAL PROPERTY INFORMATION

Property
Location

Include county name, and general road access and/or place names.

Property Size

Include property size and number of acres in production.

Describe
Current Land
Management

What are your primary crops? Do you rotate crops depending on year/season?

Describe Water
Sources/Access

CONSERVATION POTENTIAL

Describe previous
conservation
projects on
property

Have you ever worked with your local NRCS or RCD to fund habitat, conservation, or infrastructure projects on your land? If so, please briefly describe.

Do you have any
easements on
your property?

Please describe any conservation or agricultural easements, as well as any access easement from utilities or neighbors.

Describe the
general scenic
and special values
of your
farm/ranch. Have
you seen any of
our species of
interest?

Species of interest include: Swainson's Hawk, Chinook Salmon, Giant Garter Snake, Riparian birds, and Monarch butterflies. Please also include description of open space, tree areas, wildflowers, natural springs and creeks.

Thank you for filling out this landowner application form! Please email it to Dan Kaiser (Environmental Defense Fund) at dkaiser@edf.org.

If you have questions, please call the EDF San Francisco Office – (415) 293-6050.