

Wrack is the organic material, like kelp and sea grass, that is left on the shore by surf, tides, and wind. The Western Snowy Plover finds its food among the wrack, which is why it is important to not remove this naturally occurring plover buffet!

The average lifespan of a Western Snowy Plover is 3 years. However some have been found to live as long as 15 years!

Did you know that the Western Snowy Plover is on the Federal List of Endangered and Threatened Species and is protected under the **Endangered Species Act?**

Western Snowy Plover

The Western Snowy Plover is a shorebird distinguished by its small size (between 6-7 inches long), pale brown back, dark patches on either side of the upper breast, and dark gray legs. The Western Snowy Plover feeds on invertebrates such as crustaceans, mollusks, marine worms, and insects. They utilize the run, stop and peck method in order to gather their food from the sand and

The breeding season for the Western Snowy Plovers is from March to September. Western Snowy Plovers are less common on the Balboa Peninsula during this time, and are more common during the wintering season, when the plovers actively build fat reserves required for migration and breeding.

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Interpretative Signage Template (Draft) 3'Tall



Reference Image

Did You Know?

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1) Plover chicks are unable to fly for approximately four weeks after hatching and are most vulnerable to predators during this time.

2) Western Snowy Plovers generally "fledge" (leave their nest) 28 to 33 days after they are born, when they are able to fly. Western Snowy Plovers are considered an adult when they are about are 1

Cor-Ten Educational Signage Template (Draft) 3' to 31/2' Tall



Reference Image

BEACH REGULATIONS

Stay Out of

No Plant

No Harassment Removal of Wild Animals

Dune Habitat

10am-4:30pm

Dogs are not permitted from 10am-430pm. When allowed, dogs must remain on a

Please stay on the path and protect sensitive habitat area boundaries

Please use caution when accessing the beach. This is a federally designated habitat area protected for the Western Snowy Ployer

The WSP and coastal dune habitat in this area is protected by the Endangered Species Act. Harassment or harm to Western Snowy Plovers or destruction of coastal dune

Harm or harassment of the Western Snowy Plover is a violation of the Endangered Species Act and may be subject to civil or criminal penalties

Cor-Ten Regulation Signage Template (Draft)

3' to 31/2' Tall

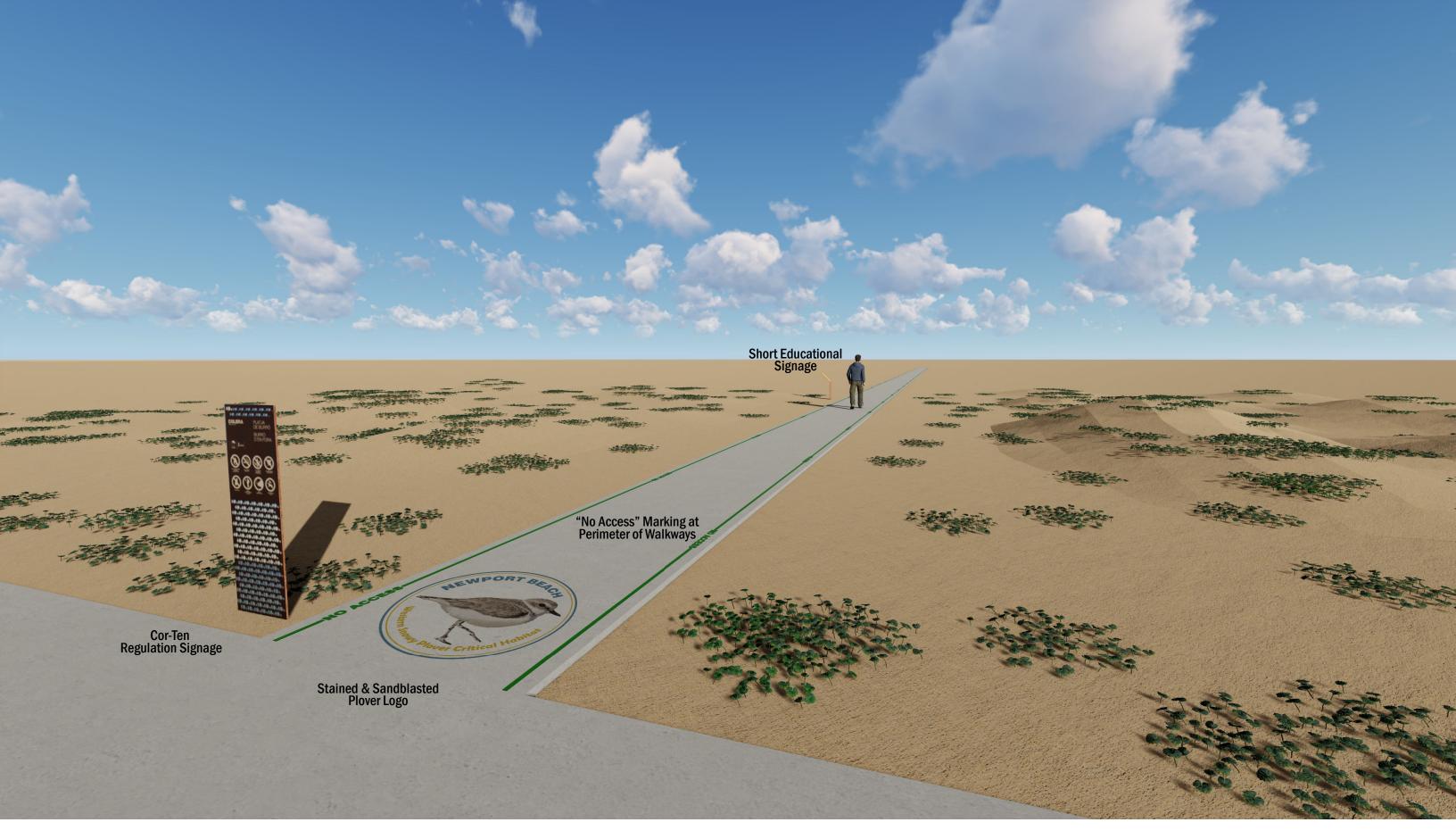


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Sample Interpretive Signage Templates Rabben/

1.5'

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"Finger Walkway" Intersection w/ Bike Path



"Finger Walkway" End at Beach

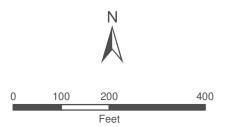


Stencil to be Stained & Sandblasted into Concrete



Western Snowy Plover Critical Habitat Unit 48

- Interpretive Signage
- Educational Signage
- Regulatory Signage
- Regulatory Signage (Seasonal)
- Sidewalk "Icons"



1 inch = 200 feet

Coordinate System: State Plane 6 NAD 83 Projection: Lambert Conformal Conic Datum: NAD83 Map Prepared by: B. Gale, GLA Date Prepared: January 13, 2020

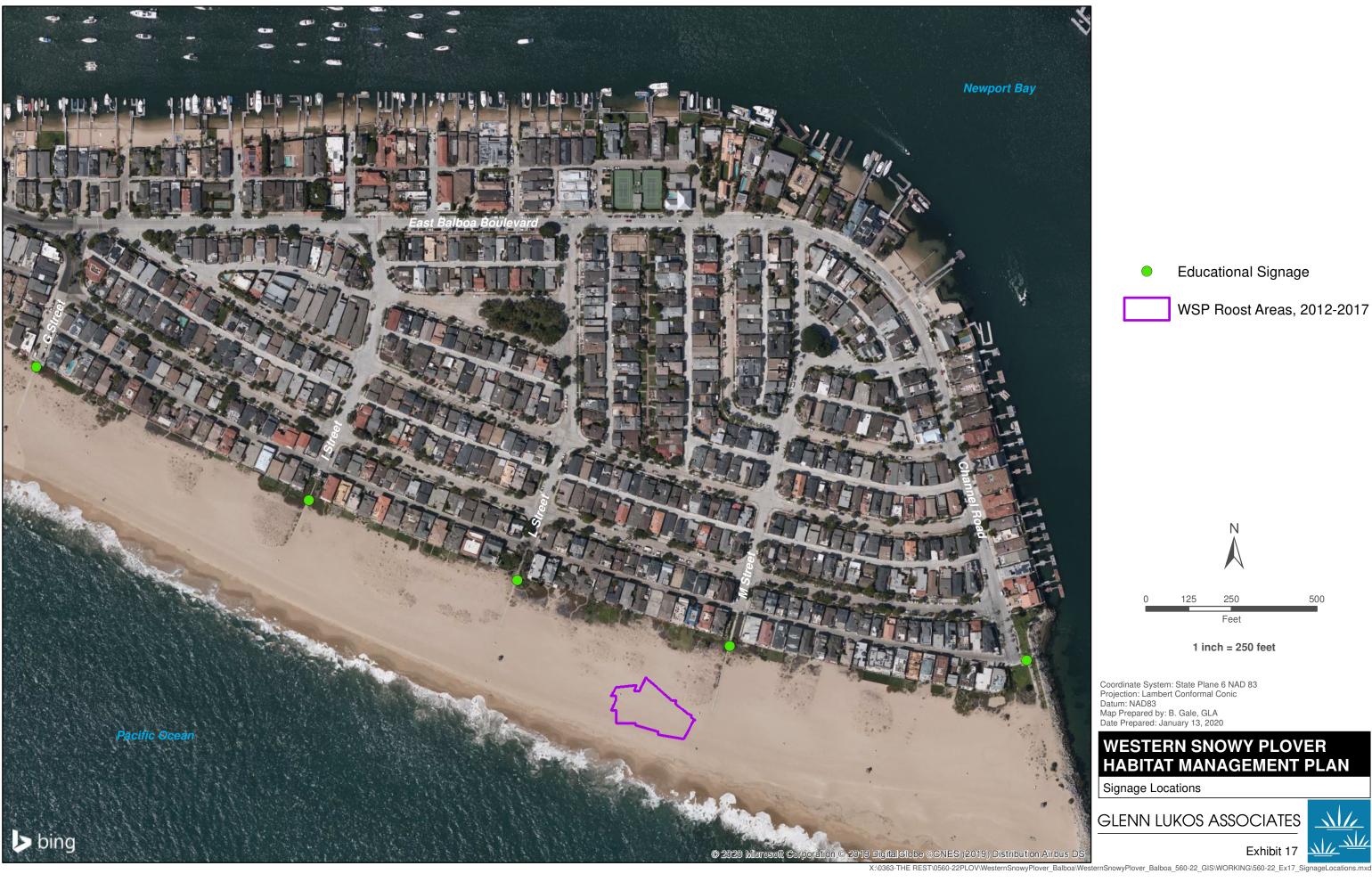
WESTERN SNOWY PLOVER HABITAT MANAGEMENT PLAN

Signage Locations

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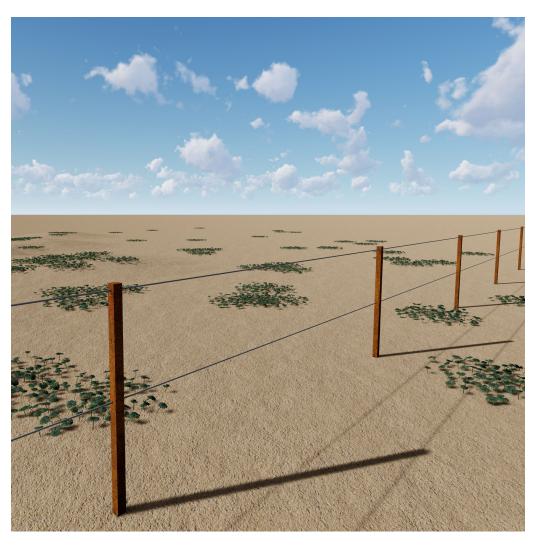
Exhibit 16



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A-Frame Seasonal Sign



Corten Steel Post/Cable Fence - 18" (Phase 2 - Only if Necessary)