

Eelgrass Survey Reporting Form

This form is required to be submitted for any surveys conducted for the eelgrass, *Zostera marina*, that are required to be conducted under federal or state permits and authorizations issued by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Coastal Commission. The form has been designed to assist in identifying eelgrass while ensuring that the required information is consistently documented. Surveys required to be conducted for this species are subject to modification through publication of revisions to the eelgrass survey policy. It is incumbent upon the authorized permittee to ensure that survey work is following the latest protocols. For further information on these protocols, contact: Robert Hoffman, National Marine Fisheries Service, 562-980-4043, or William Paznokas, California Department of Fish & Game, 858-467-4218.

* Required Information

Site Name: (common reference)	*
Survey Contact: (name, phone, e-mail)	*
Permit Reference: (ACOE Permit No., CCC Permit No.)	
Hydrographic System: (bay, estuary, lagoon, or harbor)	*
Specific Location: (UTM, Lat./Long., datum, accuracy level, attach electronic survey area map if possible)	
Was Eelgrass Detected:	<p>* _____ Yes, Eelgrass was found at this site.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EELGRASS WITHIN 15' OF PROJECT</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EELGRASS WITHIN 15' – 30' OF PROJECT</p> <p>* _____ No, Eelgrass was <u>not</u> found at this site.</p>
Description of Permitted Work: (describe briefly the work to be conducted at the site under the permits identified above)	*

Description of Site: (describe the physical and biological conditions within the survey area at the time of the survey and provide insight into variability, if known. Please provide units for all numerical information).	Depth range:	*
	Substrate type:	*
	Temperature:	
	Salinity:	
	Dominant flora:	
	Dominant fauna:	
	Exotic species encountered:	
	Other site description notes:	
Description of Survey Effort: (please describe the surveys conducted including type of survey (SCUBA, remote video, etc.) and survey methods employed, date of work, and survey density (estimated percentage of the bottom actually viewed). Describe any limitations encountered during the survey efforts.	Survey date and time period:	*

	Horizontal visibility in water:	*
	Survey type and methods:	*
	Survey personnel:	*
	Survey density:	
	Survey limitations:	*
Other Information: (use this space to provide any additional information or references to attached materials such as maps, reports, etc.)		