

INFORMATION FOR AUTHORS

The California Fish and Wildlife Journal (CFWJ) is a peer-reviewed, scientific journal focused on the biology, ecology, and conservation of the flora and fauna of California and surrounding areas, and the northeastern Pacific Ocean.

The CFWJ now has an **online submission system!**

New! All manuscripts should now be submitted using the online submission system. **Submissions guidelines (PDF)** for the Journal have been updated (December 2020) to reflect this change.

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- Essays
- Commentaries on previously published papers

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