



# Yolo HCP/NCCP Qualified Biologist Application

Individuals that wish to work as a qualified biologist under the Yolo HCP/NCCP must fill out this application. The Yolo Habitat Conservancy, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and California Department of Fish and Wildlife certify all qualified biologists based on review of the completed application. Please select the types of surveys and/or monitoring for which you can demonstrate adequate education, training, experience, and permits (if applicable) for species-specific surveys and monitoring. Submit the completed application to [info@yolohabitatconservancy.org](mailto:info@yolohabitatconservancy.org)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Yolo HCP/NCCP Surveying and Monitoring Categories:

### ***Planning-Level Survey***

By checking the box below, you certify you have the education, training, and experience to conduct planning-level surveys and are familiar with the requirements described in Section 4.2 of the Yolo HCP/NCCP Permitting Guide. Planning surveys include the identification of Yolo HCP/NCCP land cover types and species habitat for all Yolo HCP/NCCP covered species in and around a project site.

Planning-Level Habitat Surveys

### ***Planning-Level Species Surveys if Habitat is Present***

By checking a box(es) below, you certify you have the education, training, experience, and any necessary permits required to conduct planning-level species surveys and are familiar with the requirements for these surveys described in Section 4.3 of the Yolo HCP/NCCP Permitting Guide and the applicable Avoidance and Minimization Measures (AMMs) described in Chapter 8 of the Permitting Guide.

Palmate-bracted bird's beak (AMM11)

California tiger salamander occupancy (AMM13)

Valley elderberry longhorn beetle (AMM12)

Western yellow-billed cuckoo (AMM17)

### ***Species Pre-Construction Surveys and Construction Monitoring***

By checking a box(es) below, you certify you have the education, training, experience, and any necessary permits required to conduct pre-construction surveys and construction monitoring and are familiar with the requirements for pre-construction surveys and construction monitoring described in Section 4.4 of the Yolo HCP/NCCP Permitting Guide.

Western pond turtle

Western yellow-billed cuckoo

Giant garter snake

Western burrowing owl

Swainson's hawk and white-tailed kite

Least Bell's vireo

Submit application and attachments to [info@yolohabitatconservancy.org](mailto:info@yolohabitatconservancy.org)

**Qualifications (limited to the space below and attached resume or curriculum vitae):**

**Applicable training:**

*Describe specific course work, workshops, certifications, or other relevant education and training.*

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**Experience:**

*Describe years and type of experience, including number and type of surveys conducted as the lead biologist.*

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**Permits:**

*Include species covered, permit number, and expiration date of permit*

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**Any other qualifications:**

*Experience training others, publications, etc.*

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I \_\_\_\_\_ certify that the information provided is accurate, I have reviewed the Yolo HCP/NCCP, the Yolo HCP/NCCP permitting guide, and Frequently Asked Questions. I further certify that I understand that HCP/NCCP compliance are not the same as California Environmental Quality Act compliance and will advise clients accordingly.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Attach a copy of a current resume or curriculum vitae and any applicable permits you hold**