

# NRC D Annual Report - 2021

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NRC D-432

District or Center  
Santa Cruz NRC D

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## District Supervisor

District Supervisor  
Name:Stephen Williams|Title:Appointed; Name:Bill Schock|Title:Elected; Name:Dan Bell|Title:Appointed; Name:Fox Neville-Johnson|Title:Elected; Name:Andy Jackson|Title:Appointed

Paid Staff

Contracted Support  
Chris Postel (SCNRCD Clerk), Jim Koweek (Arizona Revegetation and Monitoring)

Local Working Group Meeting Date  
2021-07-30

Photo 1 Project or Program  
Rangeland Monitoring

Photo 1 Caption  
Monitoring on the Rosetree Ranch

Photo 1 Credit  
Jim Koweek, Arizona Revegetation & Monitoring

Photo 2 Project or Program  
Rangeland monitoring

Photo 2 Caption  
Monitoring on Babacomari Ranch

Photo 2 Credit  
Jim Koweek, Arizona Revegetation & Monitoring

Affiliation or Job Title  
Cooperator and Rosetree Ranch owner

Key Partners  
Volunteer

Quote  
"Gathering this data has side benefits such as:  
assessing the impact on wild game management  
and how I can run the ranch better with practices  
such as brush control. Also, this data can be used  
to develop a cost-benefit analysis."

Quoted Source  
Bill Brake

### **State Financial Information**

Beginning Balance (State)  
\$2984.0

Salary (State)  
\$0.0

State Income  
\$16812.0

Office Expenses (State)  
\$715.0

Special Plate Fund  
\$0.0

Supervisor Expenses (State)  
\$0.0

Total Income (State)  
\$16812.0

Program Expenses (State)  
\$7547.0

Contract Labor (State)  
\$3600.0

Other Expenses (State)  
\$0.0

### **Local Financial Information**

Beginning Balance (Local)  
\$150701.0

Salary (Local)  
\$0.0

Total Income (Local)  
\$0.0

Office Expenses (Local)  
\$0.0

Local or District Income

Supervisor Expense (Local)

\$199.0

\$0.0

Sources of Income  
interest

Program Expenses (Local)  
\$0.0

Contract Labor (Local)  
\$0.0

Other Expenses (Local)  
\$0.0

Other Expenses Description  
none

Explanation for No Projects  
Able to complete

## **NRCD Program Projects**

### **NRCD-Proj-Program-838**

Type  
District Program

Title  
Rangeland Monitoring

#### Summary

Arizona Revegetation and Monitoring provides monitoring on 20 vegetative transects yearly on ranches within the district. The focus is on National Forest grazing permits but private land is also monitored. The data gathered can be used by the FS and cooperators to evaluate trends on key areas for livestock grazing. The data gathered can be used to defend renewal of grazing permits against action of litigious environment groups which have a goal of removing livestock grazing from rangeland.

#### Importance

The data gathered can be used to defend renewal of grazing permits against actions of litigious environment groups which have a goal of removing livestock grazing from rangeland.

#### Key Partners

Arizona Revegetation and Monitoring and Natural Resource Conservation Services (NRCS).