

Appendix H: Free-Ranging Wildlife

- 1a. If the research requires federal or state permits, please indicate the dates of permit application and names of the agencies from which the applications have been obtained.

If you are using Free-Ranging Wildlife , the following items should be addressed in your protocol if applicable:

- * If the research will have an effect on the survival or reproduction of the animal, explain the extent of the impact and the alternative procedures considered.
- * Describe the method of capture to be used and cite the literature reference if the method is standard procedure or complete details if it is a non-standard method. Include an estimate of the expected mortality for each capture method.
- * If blood, teeth or tissue samples are to be taken, indicate the type of sample. The method used, the literature reference if the method is standard procedure or complete details if it is a non-standard procedure. Include an estimate of the expected mortality for each sampling method.
- * If the animals are held in captivity for a period longer than necessary to band, mark, measure, or take blood, teeth, tissue samples, indicate the type of enclosure or cage, provide details on the care to be provided etc.