## Wildlife Enhancement at Quarry Lakes

The Quarry Lakes Regional Recreation Area restoration effort is helping wildlife. Many rich wildlife treasures can be found inhabiting the park. Their conservation depends upon protecting and enhancing the existing habitat. This park is home to eight special status wildlife species. Two birds, the Alameda song sparrow and the saltmarsh yellowthroat are species at risk.

People of all ages in the Fremont area are planting wildlife-friendly vegetation, installing irrigation systems to nurture young plants, and building nesting boxes and platforms for tree swallows, wood ducks, and western grebes. These "Restoration Rangers" have created over one-half mile of new wildlife habitat.

Thanks to the vision and financial support of the East Bay Regional Park District, Regional Parks Foundation, Chevron, Alameda County Fish and Wildlife Commission, Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program, and the Fremont Bank Foundation, the new wildlife habitat will benefit future generations of park users, both human and other animals.



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