# Dispatching the Monterey Bay Area's Mosaic of Invasive Plants

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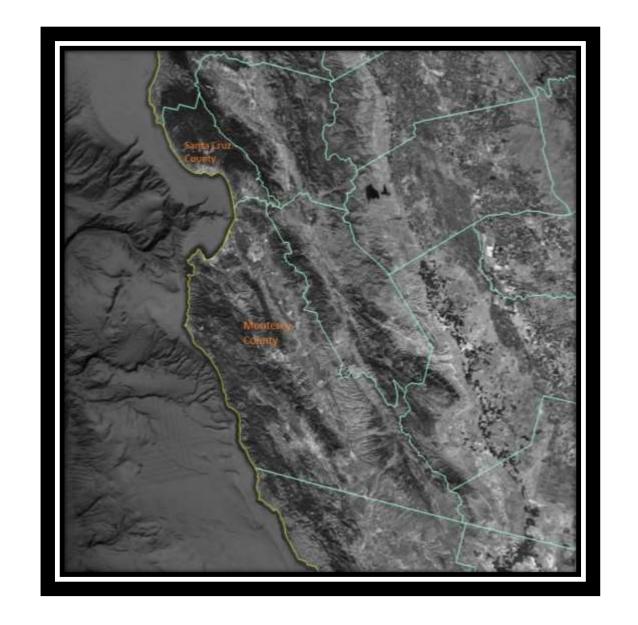
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# The Immediate Monterey Bay Area

- Santa Cruz County
  - 607 sq. mi (388,480 AC) total
  - 73% land
- Monterey County
  - 3,771 sq. mi. (2,413,440 AC) total
  - 87% Land

Collectively 2.8 million Acres!





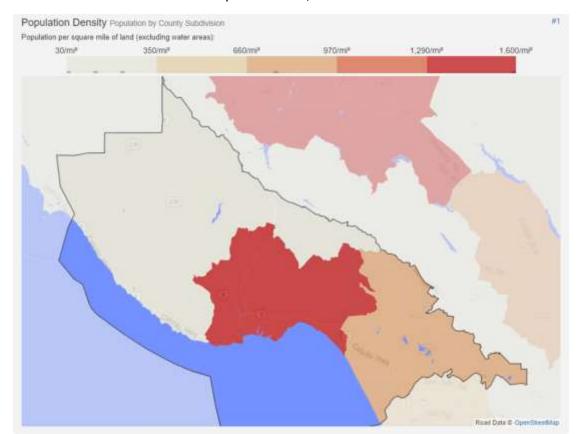
- Mountains
- Beach
- Agriculture
- Tourism



#### 709,905 People (U.S.Census 2016)

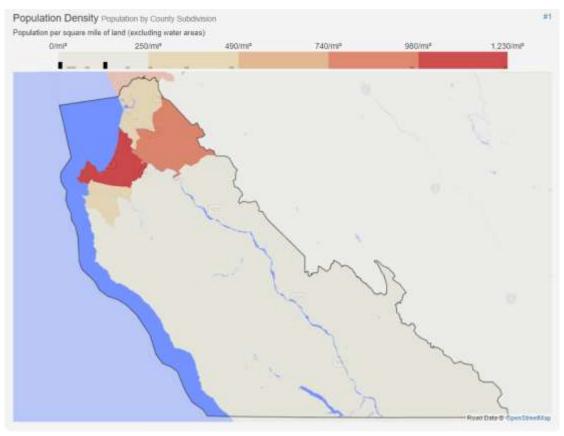
#### Santa Cruz County

Population 274,673



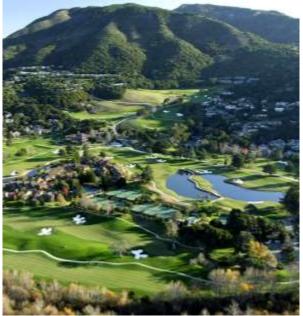
#### **Monterey County**

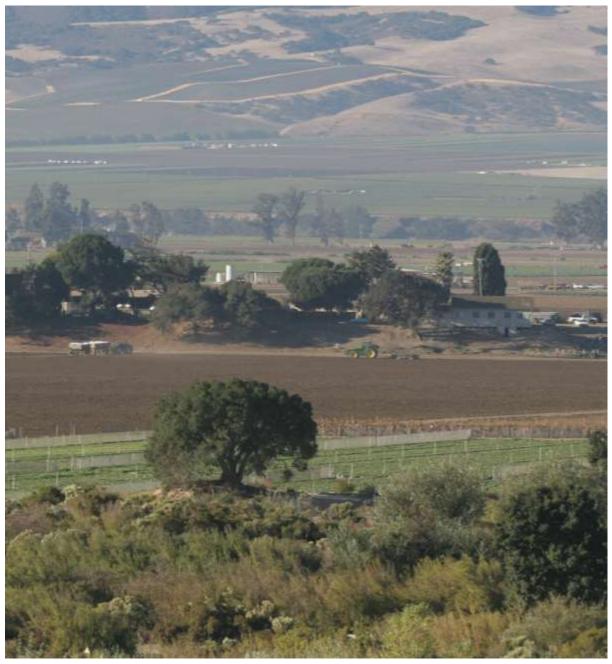
Population 435,232













































































































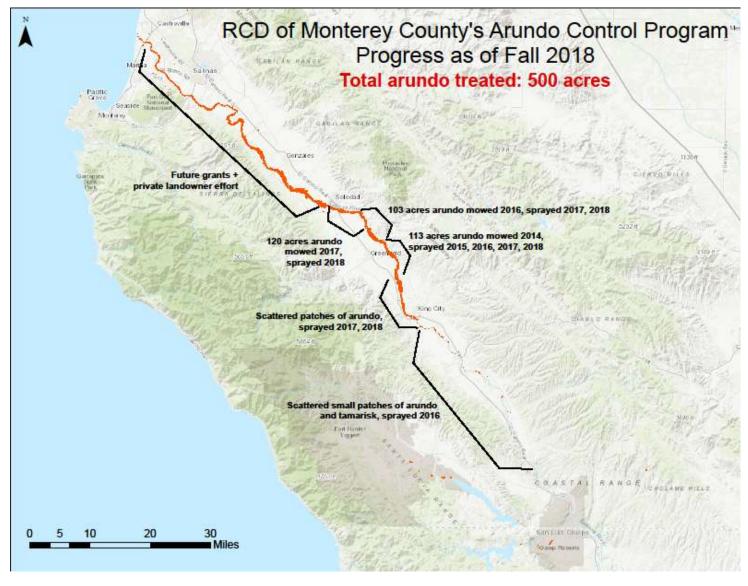






























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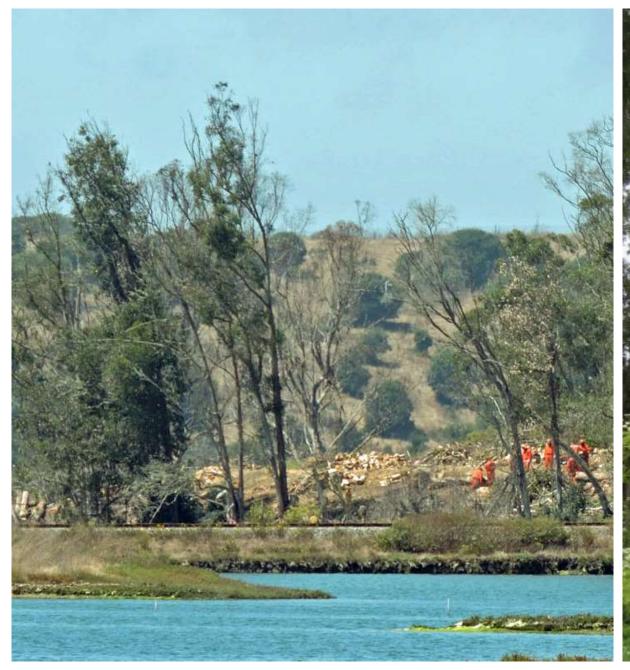




























# Central Coast Wetlands Group

Photo 4. (C) 2002-2012 Kenneth & Gabrielle Adelman, California Coastal Records Project, www.Californiacoastline.org. Ice-plant dominates the foredune of SRSB. Here the dunes lie between the ocean and the Old Salinas River Channel and the Moss Landing Community.



Photo 1. Sarah Stoner-Duncan (CCWG). Ice-plant at SRSB over-stabilizes dunes leading to erosion of the dune face.





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Photo 2. Ross Clark (CCWG). Demarcation between restored section and unrestored section of dunes at SRSB.



Photo 3. Ross Clark (CCWG). Restored foredune with native plant species and gentile foredune topography















#### **Monterey District**

- 27 state parks in Monterey county
- 18,800 acres

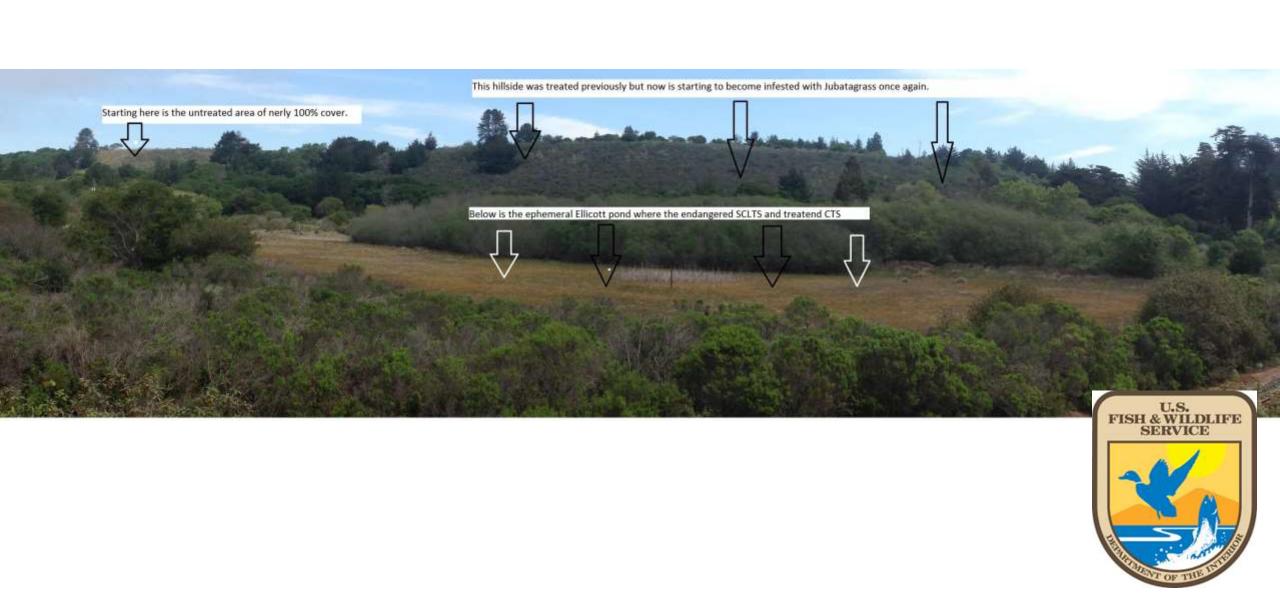
#### **Santa Cruz District**

• 17 parks in Santa Cruz County



















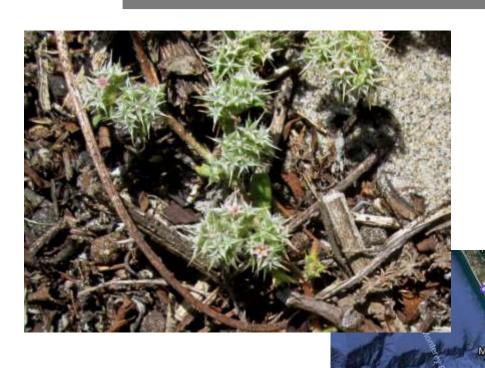








Friends of Manzanita Park Endangered Species Protection and Mapping









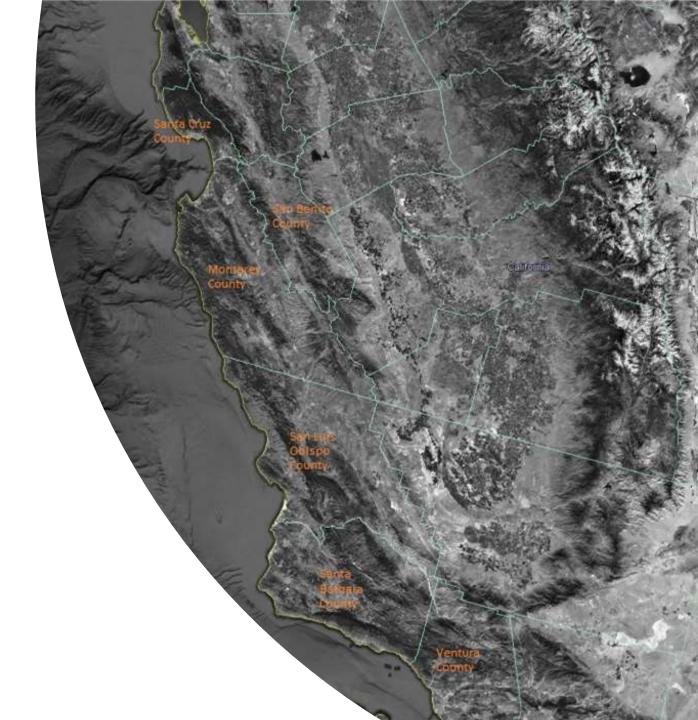






### Broader Monterey Bay Area

- Monterey County
- Santa Cruz County
- San Benito County
- Parts of Santa Clara County
- Parts of San Luis Obispo County





WMA's are the framework that future state wide weed programs will be rebuilt on.

Keep them healthy by:

- Participating in meetings
- Utilizing the WMA's to obtain grant funding for collaborative projects
- Participate in Weed Day at the Capitol with Cal-IPC
- Encourage Ag Commissioner's, County Supervisors, State and Federal Agencies and Representatives to utilize resources for weed management















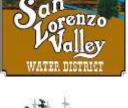










































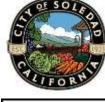






























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