

National Workplan to Address Downlisting and Delisting Recommendations

Fiscal Year 2026–2028 Workload (July 2026 Version)

Key to action types:

12M - 12-month finding on a petition to delist or downlist a species. If delisting or downlisting is warranted, we generally intend to proceed with a concurrent proposed de- or downlisting rule.

PDEL - For species with a 5-year review recommendation to delist, if delisting is warranted, we will propose delisting.

FDEL - For species that have already been proposed for delisting, the final delisting determination would either finalize or withdraw the proposed delisting rule.

PDNL - For species with a 5-year review recommendation to downlist from endangered to threatened, if downlisting is warranted, we will propose downlisting.

FDNL - For species that have already been proposed to be downlisted from endangered to threatened, the final downlisting determination would either finalize or withdraw the proposed downlisting rule.

F4(d) - For species with a proposed stand-alone 4(d) rule, the final 4(d) rule would put into place a protective regulation for the subject species.

PR - Proposed revision of entity.

FR - For species with a proposed revision of entity, the final revision of entity would either finalize or withdraw the proposed revision of entity.

Table 1. Species on which we planned to publish actions in previous fiscal years and are on target to publish in Fiscal Years 2026, 2027, and 2028. Bolded entries with an asterisk (*) accompanying the species name have court-ordered dates associated with them.

Species Name	Listing Status	5-year Review Date	5-year Review Recommendation or Action Type	Action Type	Lead FWS Region	Fiscal Year	Range	Scientific Name
Columbian white-tailed deer (Columbia River DPS)	T	9/2/2025	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R1	FY26	OR	<i>Odocoileus virginianus leucurus</i>
Golden-cheeked warbler	E	1/6/2025	Downlist to T	PDNL	R2	FY26	TX	<i>Dendroica chrysoparia</i>
Lloyd's Mariposa cactus	T	7/23/2025	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R2	FY26	TX	<i>Echinomastus mariposensis</i>
Prairie bush-clover	T	9/23/2021	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R3	FY26	IL, IA, MN, WI	<i>Lespedeza leptostachya</i>
Dwarf lake iris	T	11/27/2024	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R3	FY26	MI, WI, Canada	<i>Iris lacustris</i>
Puerto Rican boa	E	7/13/2022	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R4	FY26	PR	<i>Chilabothrus inornatus</i>

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Large-flowered skullcap	T	--	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R4	FY26	GA, TN	<i>Scutellaria montana</i>
Fat threeridge and Chipola slabshell mussels	E	--	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R4	FY26	FL, GA	<i>Amblema neislerii</i> and <i>Elliptio chipolaensis</i>
Virginia sneezeweed	T	4/23/2020	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R5	FY26	MO, VA	<i>Helenium virginicum</i>
American hart's tongue fern	T	7/29/2020	Delist due to recovery	pDeL	R5	FY26	AL, MI, NM, NY, TN	<i>Asplenium scolopendrium</i> var. <i>americanum</i>
Northeastern bulrush	E	8/28/2019	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R5	FY26	MA, MD, NH, NY, PA, VA, VT, WV	<i>Scirpus ancistrochaetus</i>
Northern red-bellied cooter (MA popn.)	E	3/25/2022	Downlist to T	PDNL	R5	FY26	MA	<i>Pseudemys rubriventris</i>
Razorback sucker	E	9/25/2018	Downlist to T	FDNL	R6	FY26	AZ, CA, CO, NM, NV, UT, WY, Mexico	<i>Xyrauchen texanus</i>
Topeka shiner	E	7/21/2021	Downlist to T	PDNL	R6	FY26	IA, KS, MN, MO, NE, SD	<i>Notropis topeka</i>
Ute ladies' tresses	T	8/8/2023	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R6	FY26	AZ, CO, ID, MT, NE, NV, SD, UT, WA, WY	<i>Spiranthes diluvialis</i>
Grizzly bear	4d	--	Standalone 4d	F4(d)	R6	FY26	ID, MT, WA, WY	<i>Ursus arctos horribilis</i>
Tidewater goby	E	--	Downlist to T / Revision of entity	PR/DNL/CH	R8	FY26	CA	<i>Eucyclogobius newberryi</i>
Tuberolabium guamense	T	8/4/2025	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R1	FY27	Islands of Guam (Territory) and Rota (CNMI)	<i>Tuberolabium guamense</i>
Delist due to extinction (o'u (honeycreeper), O'ahu alauhio (O'ahu creeper))	--	--	Delist due to extinction	PDEL	R1	FY27	HI	<i>Psittirostra psittacea</i> and <i>Paroreomyza maculata</i>
Gila chub	E	4/5/2022 (ANPR)	Delist due to taxonomy	FDEL	R2	FY27	AZ, NM	<i>Gila intermedia</i>
Gray bat	E	4/16/2025	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R3	FY27	AL, AR, GA, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, MS, MO, NC, OH, OK, SC, TN, VA, WV	<i>Myotis grisescens</i>
Geocarpon minimum	T	2/26/2026	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R4	FY27	AR, LA, MO, OK, TX	<i>Geocarpon minimum</i>

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Nashville crayfish	E	2/7/2017	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R4	FY27	TN	<i>Faxonius shoupi</i>
Ivory-billed woodpecker	E	6/3/2019	Delist due to extinction	FDEL	R4	FY27	Cuba, U.S.A. (southcentral and southeastern)	<i>Campephilus principalis</i>
Delist due to extinction (Golden coqui, Culbra Island giant anole)	--	--	Delist due to extinction	PDEL	R4	FY27	PR	<i>Eleutherodactylus jasperi</i> and <i>Anolis roosevelti</i>
Shale barren rock cress	E	6/16/2023	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R5	FY27	VA, WV	<i>Arabis serotina</i>
Knieskern's beaked-rush	E	12/16/2024	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R5	FY27	DE, NJ	<i>Rhynchospora knieskernii</i>
Maryland darter	E	8/20/2021	Delist due to extinction	PDEL	R5	FY27	MD	<i>Etheostoma sellare</i>
North Park phacelia	E	8/30/2021	Delist due to recovery	FDEL	R6	FY27	CO	<i>Phacelia formosula</i>
Grizzly bear*	T	--	Revision of entity	FR	R6	FY27	Lower-48 (WA, ID, MT, WY)	<i>Ursus arctos horribilis</i>
White sedge	E	5/2/2019	Delist due to taxonomy	FDEL	R8	FY27	CA	<i>Carex albida</i>
Hawaiian hoary bat	E	5/4/2026	Downlist to T	PDNL	R1	FY28	HI	<i>Lasiurus semotus</i>
Gentner's fritillary	E	7/15/2022	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R1	FY28	CA, OR	<i>Fritillaria gentneri</i>
Gila topminnow	E	--	12-month finding	12M	R2	FY28	AZ, NM	<i>Poeciliopsis occidentalis</i>
Florida bonamia	T	3/2/2023	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R4	FY28	FL	<i>Bonamia grandiflora</i>
Fat pocketbook	E	12/26/2019	Delist due to recovery	PDEL	R4	FY28	AR, IL, IN, KY, LA, MO, MS, TN	<i>Potamilus capax</i>
James spinymussel	E	12/8/2022	Downlist to T	PDNL	R5	FY28	NC, VA, WV	<i>Pleurobema collina</i>
Sandplain gerardia	E	6/19/2019	Revision of entity	PDEL	R5	FY28	CT, MA, MD, NY, RI	<i>Agalinis acuta</i>

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Lee County cave isopod	E	8/3/2021	Downlist to T	PDNL	R5	FY28	VA	<i>Lirceus usdagalun</i>