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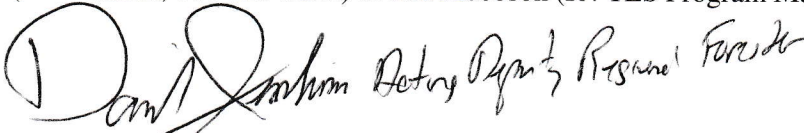
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The Regional Office completed its review of the Forest's updated plant species of conservation concern (SCC) evaluations submitted to our office (August 9, 2017). Based on this review, I am identifying the following 32 plants as SCC on the Manti La Sal National Forest:

1. *Allium geyeri* var. *chatterleyi*
2. *Androsace chamejasme* subsp. *lehmanniana* (Syn. *Androsace chamejasme* var. *carinata*)
3. *Aquilegia flavescens* var. *rubicunda*
4. *Astragalus iselyi*
5. *Botrychium simplex*
6. *Carex perglobosa*
7. *Cryptantha creutzfeldtii*
8. *Cymopterus beckii*
9. *Ericameria nauseosa* var. *psilocarpa* (Syn. *Chrysothamnus nauseosus* var. *psilocarpus*)
10. *Erigeron abajoensis*
11. *Erigeron elatior*
12. *Erigeron kachinensis*
13. *Erigeron mancus*
14. *Erigeron melanocephalus*
15. *Erigeron uttermannii* (Syn. *E. carringtoniae*)
16. *Hedysarum occidentale* var. *canone*
17. *Oreoxis bakeri*
18. *Oxypolis fendleri*
19. *Packera musiniensis* (Syn. *Senecio musiniensis*)
20. *Penstemon navajoa*
21. *Penstemon tidestromii*
22. *Plantanthera zothecina* (Syn. *Habenaria zothecina*)
23. *Podistera eastwoodiae*
24. *Potentilla paucijuga* (Syn. *Potentilla pensylvanica* var. *paucijuga*)
25. *Rudbeckia laciniata* var. *ampla*
26. *Salix arizonica*
27. *Saxifraga flagellaris* ssp. *crandallii*
28. *Saxifraga cernua*
29. *Senecio serra* var. *admirabilis*
30. *Senecio fremontii* var. *inexpectatus*
31. *Symphyotrichum laeve* var. *geyeri*
32. *Synthyris alpina* (syn. *Besseya alpina*)



I appreciate the considerable effort the Forest has completed in the development of the SCC list. If you have questions about our conclusions and documentation, please contact John Proctor (R4 Botanist, 801-625-5522) or Lee Jacobson (R4 TES Program Manager, 801-625-5664).

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