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Mexican Spotted Owl

(*Strix occidentalis lucida*)



Protected at Fort Carson (Colorado), Fort Huachuca (Arizona) and White Sands Missile Range (New Mexico)

Habitat: Moderate to high canopy closure with large old-growth trees

Eat mostly small rodents and small birds

About 16 to 19 inches long; females are larger than males

Nest in closed canopy forests or rocky canyons

Listed as threatened on March 16, 1993

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