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**APPENDIX R – Field Work**

***Fill out a separate Appendix R for each species.***

Species:

1. Describe the location of your study area(s) and include any related safety concerns personnel should be aware of.

**NOTE: The American Society of Mammologists and the American Ornithological Society suggest that most capture procedures and most tagging and non-invasive tissue sampling procedures be categorized under USDA category C, including those procedures using anesthesia or sedatives for the purpose of protecting the animal or handlers from injury.**

1. Describe method(s) involving any transport of animals, including methods to secure the animals during transport and the type of container(s) you may use.

1. Please describe any manipulation of animal habitat including any equipment or materials to be used, if necessary, for this study. (Research on the impact of other human activity, such as forest harvesting, housing development, etc., should be discussed in the experimental design)

1. Describe methods and procedures for limiting transfer of pathogens between subjects, species, or colonies, including decontamination of equipment and PPE. (where applicable)

1. Please indicate the effect of your research field activities on any non-target animals including changes in habitat. Include a description of the species affected and plan to mitigate interruptions, if applicable. (Specifically indicate if any non-target animals that may be affected, are considered protected/endangered)