## • Evaluation of RIFA presence within the buffer zones. Project and Goals Summary

Table 6.2 presents a list of rare species management projects with specific goals. Figure 6.1 shows project locations.

Project ID	Project Name	Description and Goals	Duration and Schedule	Priority Classification
6A	BCVI population survey and core/non-core habitat mapping	Point counts of BCVI in suitable habitat to assess population trends and habitat utilization	2007 Breeding/nesting season	Compliance / Class 0
6B	GCWA population survey and core/non-core habitat mapping	Point counts of GCWA in suitable habitat to assess population trends and habitat utilization	2007 Breeding/nesting season	Compliance / Class 0
6C	BCVI habitat enhancements	Shrubby, low-stature Ashe junipers will be subject to selective removal, maintaining a relatively open shrub canopy and encouraging growth of beneficial broad-leaf shrub species, such as flame leaf sumac. Habitat areas will be subject to small scale prescribed burn treatments.	Corresponding to brush management activities	Stewardship / Class III
6D	GCWA habitat enhancements	Selective thinning of low stature Ashe juniper shrub vegetation on slopes will occur in selected treatment areas in the North Pasture. Thinning would be accomplished with hand tools and be focused on enabling native hardwood growth and regeneration.	Corresponding to brush management activities	Stewardship / Class III
6E	Karst Area Management	Coordinate BMP implementation with construction activities.	Corresponding to construction and renovation areas.	Compliance / Class 0

 Table 6.2
 Rare Species Management Projects