

TST-BA Migratory Birds and Breeding Birds Nest Encounters Field Guide

Federal and Provincial Legislation

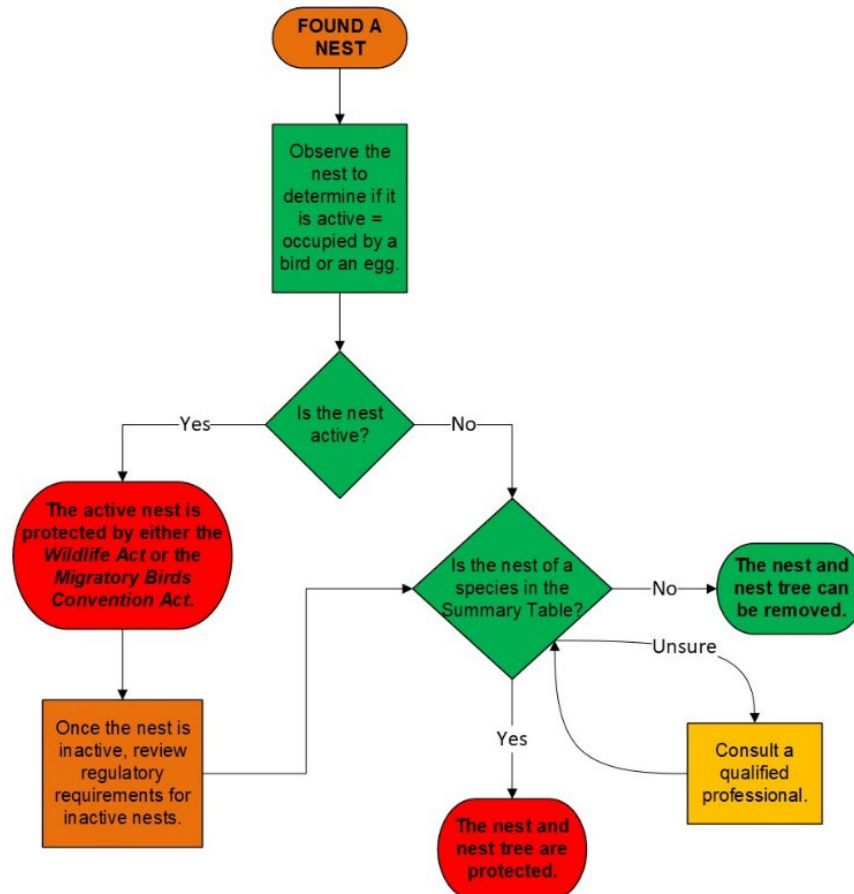
- **ALL ACTIVE** bird nests are protected during all activities on all land tenures in BC.
- **ALL INACTIVE** bird nests that meet the following criteria are protected during all activities on all land tenures in BC (summarized in the table below):
 - species listed in Schedule 1 of the *Migratory Birds Regulations*,
 - migratory birds listed as endangered, threatened, or extirpated on Schedule 1 of the *Species at Risk Act*, if nests are included in the definition of the residence for the species, *and*
 - species named in Section 34 of the *Wildlife Act*.
- If nest removal is required, review all applicable provincial and federal regulations to determine if a permit or other conditions are required prior to nest removal.

Inactive Nests of the following species that could be found in the TST Business Area* have regulatory protection (see photos on next page)

Great Blue Heron <i>Wildlife Act</i> Schedule 1 <i>Migratory Birds Regulations 2022</i>	Pileated Woodpecker Schedule 1 <i>Migratory Birds Regulations 2022</i>	Barn Swallow Schedule 1 of <i>Species at Risk Act</i>	Marbled Murrelet Schedule 1 of <i>Species at Risk Act</i>
Bald Eagle <i>Wildlife Act</i>	Golden Eagle <i>Wildlife Act</i>	Peregrine Falcon <i>Wildlife Act</i>	Osprey <i>Wildlife Act</i>

*Species on Schedule 1 of the *Migratory Birds Regulations* that nest at shoreline sites only have not been included as potential impacts are limited to specific development activities such as log dumps and barge ramps, not general forestry activities.

Regulatory requirements associated with bird nests in the TST Business Area:



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The inactive nests of these species have regulatory protection.



Pileated Woodpecker Cavities (Schedule 1 MBR)



Barn Swallow Nest (SARA)



Bald Eagle Nest (Wildlife Act)

Golden Eagle tree nests look similar, or nests can be constructed on cliff ledges



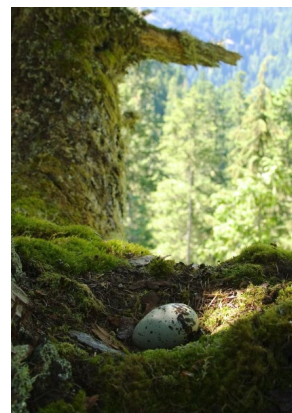
Osprey Nest (Wildlife Act)



Great Blue Heron Nests (Wildlife Act, Schedule 1 MBR)



Peregrine Falcon Nest (Wildlife Act)



Marbled Murrelet Nest (SARA)