

Poa abbreviata R. Brown **ssp. *marshii*** R. J. Soreng**MARSH BLUEGRASS****FAMILY:** *Poaceae*, the grass family.**STATUS:** **Heritage Program SENSITIVE LIST, ranks: G5 T1T2 S1**

USFWS/ESA: none. STATE OF NEVADA: none. BLM: none. USFS: Humboldt-Toiyabe NF Sensitive Species, Inyo NF watch list. NNNPS: none.

POPULATION CENSUS (NEVADA): 1 occurrence mapped; total estimated **individuals unknown**, total estimated **area unknown**. **TREND:** unknown.**IMPACTS AND MAJOR THREATS (NEVADA):** No summary available (see references).**INVENTORY EFFORT (NEVADA):** Not yet systematically surveyed in Nevada. Such surveys would be very difficult due to the remote and inhospitable habitat and the cryptic nature of the taxon. Most recent entered survey 1965.**Years since last entered survey** (percent of mapped records at various survey ages): **31-50 yrs: 100%**.**LAND MANAGEMENT (NEVADA):** Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest.**RANGE:** White Pine County, Nevada; also in CA and ID.**ELEVATIONS RECORDED (NEVADA):** 11600 feet (3536 meters).**HABITAT (not yet reviewed for Nevada):** "Soil pockets in alpine scree and talus."**PHENOLOGY:** no summary available. Range of most frequent **survey months:** July.**DESCRIPTION:** Dwarf perennial alpine grass.**PHOTOGRAPHS:** none known.**ILLUSTRATIONS:** none known.**SPECIFIC REFERENCES:**Soreng, R. J. 1991. Notes on new infraspecific taxa and hybrids in North American *Poa* (Poaceae). *Phytologia* 71: 390-413.