


**CITY OF LOS ANGELES
LOS ANGELES ZOO**

DATE: December 1, 2020
TO: BOARD OF ZOO COMMISSIONERS
FROM: DENISE M. VERRET, Zoo Director 
SUBJECT: **LOS ANGELES ZOO ANIMAL TRANSACTIONS AND STATUS
REPORT**

The following is a list of animal transactions that have been approved. Funds from sales transactions will be deposited into the City's Animal Purchases and Sales account. All receiving institutions are accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) unless otherwise noted. Animal transactions support the Zoo's commitment to population management, animal welfare and conservation efforts. Transactions reflect loans, purchases and sales and include animals that are owned by the Los Angeles Zoo, but reside in the care of other AZA-accredited or approved institutions.

PLEASE NOTE: The following transactions have been approved, but the physical animal transport will be pending as each transaction is reviewed. We will be moving forward cautiously based on welfare, social and Species Survival Plan (SSP) needs.

LOANS

Loan to Buttonwood Park Zoo in New Bedford, Massachusetts of 0.1 Fennec Fox. This transaction is an SSP recommended transfer.

SALES

Sale to Hemker Park and Zoo in Freeport, Minnesota of 2.0 Southern gerenuk. These animals have been declared surplus to the SSP population and provides this facility with exhibit animals. This facility is on the Zoo's approved site list.

Sale to Zoo Boise in Boise, Idaho of 1.0 Ocelot. This transaction will eliminate an arrangement that is not necessary.

DONATION

Donation from Zoo New England of 1.0 Yellow-backed duiker. This animal currently resides at the Los Angeles Zoo. This transaction will eliminate an arrangement that is not necessary.

Births (11/1/20-11/30/20)

1.0 Black duiker

Deaths (11/1/20-11/30/20)

0.0.1 Axolotl
0.0.1 Black-headed weaver
1.0 California condor
0.0.1 Desert hairy scorpion
0.0.10 Freshwater angelfish
0.1 Galah
1.0 Giant horned lizard

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1.0	Golden spiny-tailed gecko
1.0	Domestic guinea pig
0.0.5	Marbled hatchetfish
0.1	Red-fronted macaw
1.0	Spur-winged lapwing
0.1	Tammar wallaby

