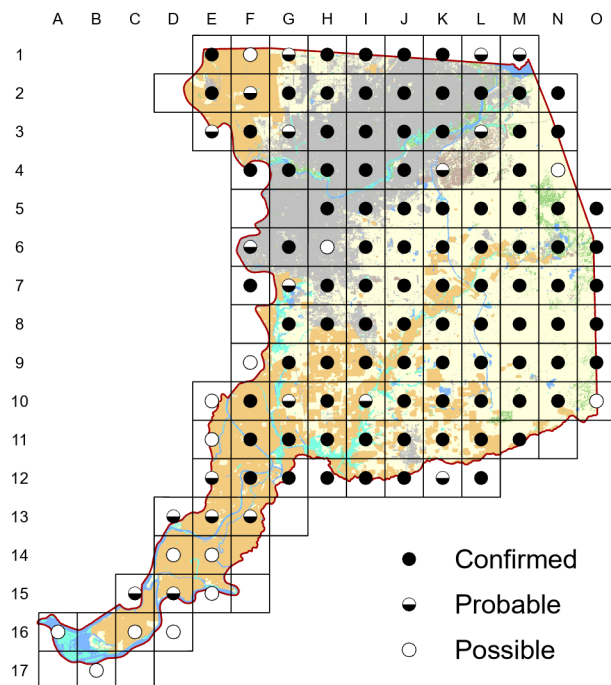
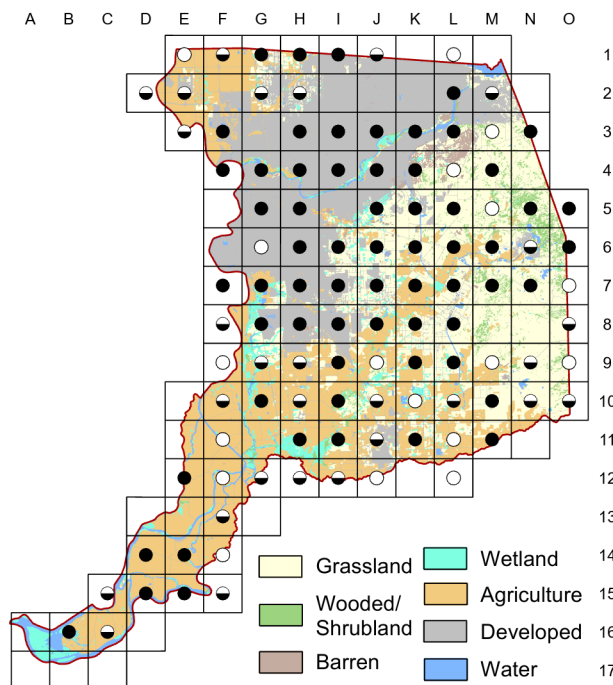


Western Kingbird *Tyrannus verticalis*

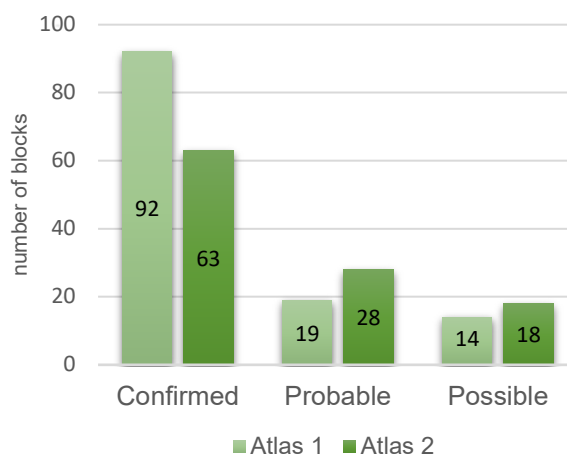
Atlas 1



Atlas 2



Comparison of Atlas Results



The status of the Western Kingbird in the county appears to have changed little between the atlases. Empty Atlas 2 blocks in the southeast may be attributed to lack of access, but the ones along the northern edge may represent impacts from increasingly dense development in those areas.

Breeding Bird Survey Trend (1966–2019)

California
-0.54% / year^s

Rangewide¹
-0.14% / yearⁿ

¹North America; ^ssignificant, ⁿnonsignificant; Source: Sauer et al. 2020

Breeding Habitat

Open country with some trees

Nest Type

Bulky cup in tree, shrub, or on structure

23 April 2018

Block H-4

Pair with two large young; saw hatch years eating elderberries by themselves but still being fed insects by parents.