

California Department of Conservation

Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**Alternate Nevada County 2018-2020 Land Use Conversion
Table A-23**

Part 1: County Summary and Change by Land Use Category

Land Use Category	Total Acreage Inventoried 2018	Total Acreage Inventoried 2020	2018-20 Acres Lost (-)	2018-20 Acres Gained (+)	2018-20 Total Acreage Changed	2018-20 Net Acreage Changed
Prime Farmland	277	271	24	18	42	-6
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1,162	1,016	159	13	172	-146
Unique Farmland	461	438	31	8	39	-23
Farmland of Local Importance	5,861	5,664	214	17	231	-197
Important Farmland Subtotal	7,761	7,389	428	56	484	-372
Grazing Land	133,393	133,489	283	379	662	96
Agricultural Land Subtotal	141,154	140,878	711	435	1,146	-276
Urban and Built-up Land	17,274	17,478	102	306	408	204
Other Land	130,789	130,861	308	380	688	72
Water Area	2,175	2,175	0	0	0	0
Total Area Inventoried	291,392	291,392	1,121	1,121	2,242	0

Part 2: Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use

Data not available for Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use.

Part 3: Land Use Conversion from 2018-2020

Due to the large size of this table, it has been split into two tables. Table One has the conversions of all land uses to the Important Farmland categories (Prime Farmland, Farmland of Statewide Importance, Unique Farmland, Farmland of Local Importance, and Important Farmland Subtotal) and Table Two has the conversions of all land uses to the remaining land use categories (Grazing Land, Agricultural Farmland Subtotal, Urban and Built-up Land, Other Land, Water Area, and Total Area Inventoried).

Table One

Land Use Category	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Important Farmland Subtotal
Prime Farmland	no data	0	0	0	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	no data	0	0	0
Unique Farmland	0	0	no data	0	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	no data	0
Important Farmland Subtotal	0	0	0	0	0
Grazing Land	18	13	8	14	53
Agricultural Land Subtotal	18	13	8	14	53
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	1	1
Other Land	0	0	0	2	2
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0

Land Use Category	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Important Farmland Subtotal
Total Acreage Converted	18	13	8	17	56

Table Two

Land Use Category	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	23	23	0	1	0	24
Farmland of Statewide Importance	148	148	0	11	0	159
Unique Farmland	22	22	0	9	0	31
Farmland of Local Importance	164	164	1	49	0	214
Important Farmland Subtotal	357	357	1	70	0	428
Grazing Land	no data	53	11	219	0	283
Agricultural Land Subtotal	357	410	12	289	0	711
Urban and Built-up Land (1)	10	11	no data	91	0	102
Other Land	12	14	294	no data	0	308
Water Area	0	0	0	0	no data	0
Total Acreage Converted	379	435	306	380	0	1,121

Footnote (1): Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land is primarily due to a lack of sufficient infrastructure and the use of detailed digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.