

**CITY OF LOS ANGELES
LOS ANGELES ZOO**

DATE: March 18, 2025

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 through participation in AZA Species Survival Plan (SSP) Program recommendations, 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.

LOANS

Loan to Albuquerque Biological Park in New Mexico of 0.1 Von der Decken's hornbill. This transaction is a Studbook breeding recommendation.

SALES

Sale to San Diego Zoo Safari Park in Escondido, California of 1.0 Andean condor. This transaction is an SSP breeding recommendation and eliminates an unnecessary loan.

DONATION

Donation from Virginia Zoological Park in Norfolk of 0.2 Crested oropendola. This transaction is an SSP breeding recommendation.

Donation from Houston Zoo in Texas of 1.0 Lady Ross turaco. This transaction is a Studbook breeding recommendation.

Births (2/1/25-2/28/25)

None

Deaths (2/1/25-2/28/25)

0.1 Bali Myna

0.0.1	Boeseman's rainbowfish
1.2.2	Giant horned lizard
0.0.1	Parkinson's rainbowfish
0.0.1	Rainbowfish
0.0.1	Red rainbowfish
0.1	Red-legged seriema
0.0.1	Tiger salamander
1.0	Turkmenian markhor
0.0.1	Vampire crab

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