Project Update: June 2016

As a part of the initial project activities we have done meetings with other communities of the area so as to develop conservation projects together. In each one of them we discussed about the reach of the "Quebrada del Yerbal" proposal and came to the possibility of the participation of the different community estates in de mammal monitoring activities, and also of sharing the generated information with the purpose of amplifying the territorial capacities for the conservation actions.

We have placed cameras in several of the community estates closest to the "Quebrada del yerbal" in order to obtain valuable information about the fauna of the high basin of Rocha's lagoon area.

List of species recorded until june 2016

Common name in spanish	Scientifc name
Comadreja mora	Didelphis albiventris
Mulita	Dasypus hybridus
Tatú	Dasypus novemcinctus
Peludo	Euphractus sexcinctus
Guazubira	Mazama gouazoubira
Jabalí	Sus scrofa
Liebre	Lepus europaeus
Lobito de río	Lontra longicaudis
Mano pelada	Procyon cancrivorus
Gato montes	Leopardus geoffroyi
Margay	Leopardus wiedii
Hurón	Galictis cuja
Zorro gris	Lycalopex gymnocercus
Zorro de monte	Cerdocyon thous
Carpincho	Hydrochaerus hydrocaeris
Aperea	Cavia aperea

The project will work over 2016 in coordinating actions and articulate activities of conservation in more of ten community and/or private estates of the "Sierras de Rocha". This represents more than 1,500 ha in the high basin of Rocha's Lagoon area.





