

# Response Statement - Island Marble

**December 2, 2010**

**Common Name:** Island Marble

**Scientific Name:** *Euchloe ausonides insulanus*

**Status assessment by the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada (COSEWIC):** Extirpated

**How the Minister of the Environment intends to respond to the assessment:** The above assessment confirms the classification of this wildlife species in Schedule 1, the *List of Wildlife Species at Risk* as Extirpated. Activities will continue to be undertaken in a manner consistent with the purposes, and according to the timelines identified in, the *Species at Risk Act*.

**Reason(s) for status designation provided by COSEWIC:** *Due to a recent change in COSEWIC procedures, reasons for status designation are not available for some species whose status is being confirmed.*

**Occurrence:** British Columbia

**Competent Minister(s):**

Minister of Environment

Minister responsible for the Parks Canada Agency

**Conservation activities underway:** The Island Marble (*Euchloe ausonides insulanus*) is included within the Garry Oak Ecosystems multi-species association. The final Recovery Strategy for Multi-species at Risk in Maritime Meadows associated with Garry Oak ecosystems in Canada is posted on the Species at Risk Public Registry. This strategy has been developed under the broader Recovery Strategy for Garry Oak and Associated Ecosystems and their Associated Species at Risk in Canada: 2001-2006 to address the recovery of species at risk that occur within Garry Oak woodland habitat